



# GUILFORD COUNTY

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH  
ENVIROMENTAL HEALTH DIVISION



## BODY PIERCING DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

**AS WITH ANY INVASIVE PROCEDURE, BODY PIERCING MAY INVOLVE POSSIBLE HEALTH RISKS.**

### BODY PIERCING COULD RESULT IN:

- PAIN
- BLEEDING
- SWELLING
- INFECTION
- SCARRING OF THE PIERCED AREA
- NERVE DAMAGE

### THE PIERCING TECHNICIAN SHOULD:

- PROPERLY CLEANSE THE PIERCING SIGHT BEFORE PIERCING
- USE STERILIZED EQUIPMENT
- USE STERILE PIERCING TECHNIQUES
- INFORM THE CLIENT OF PROPER AFTERCARE OF THE PIERCED AREA

**COMMENTS OR COMPLAINTS**  
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