HIV/AIDS and Other Communicable Diseases

(a) Modes of Transmission

Objectives:
- Define HIV and AIDS
- Identify the origination of HIV and AIDS
- Explain how HIV is transmitted
- Identify Other Communicable Diseases

(b) Infection Control Procedures

Objectives:
- List the symptoms of HIV infection
- Define ways to avoid infecting others

(c) Clinical Management

Objectives:
- Describe the reliability of HIV testing
- Describe the stages of HIV infection
- List the types of studies and clinical trials performed by the AIDS Healthcare Foundation
- List opportunistic infections related to AIDS
- Define the term antiretroviral

(d) Prevention of HIV and AIDS

Objectives:
- List pro-active measures that help prevent HIV infection
- List the diseases that condoms are reported to protect against

(e) Attitudes towards HIV and AIDS

Objectives:
- Describe issues of behavior and communication concerning HIV
- List the considerations that a person with HIV has on a personal level
- List the considerations that a person with HIV has on a professional level

(f) Appropriate behavior in dealing with persons who may have the virus or syndrome

Objectives:
- Describe the International Labor Organization's role regarding workplace attitudes
- Explain the US Dept. of Labor's SHARE program
- Define the Share program's effectiveness