

TATTOOIST / PIERCING GUIDELINES AND REGISTRATION

In order to prevent the spread of blood-borne infections during the Redding Ink events, we have listed below the sanitary requirements to be followed by all tattoo artists and piercers. Inspectors from the health department will be checking each booth to insure that all tattooists/piercers are complying with these regulations:

1. Tattooist will provide a new needle grouping and tube for each client, dated and sealed in an autoclave bag (that cannot be resealed).
2. Tubes and needles (bagged) will be autoclaved or chemclave sterilized at no less than 273 degrees Fahrenheit with a minimum of 35 PSI for no less than 35 minutes from heated start.
3. Tattooist/Piercer must wear a new pair of gloves for each new client.
4. Tattooist must supply new pigments for each client in a disposable pigment tray or cap.
5. Tattooist/Piercer will wash their hands with anti-microbial soap before donning gloves, and after servicing each client.
6. Tattooist/Piercer will check every client's I.D. All clients must sign a release form.

NO ONE UNDER THE AGE OF 18 WILL BE TATTOOED. NOT EVEN WITH PARENTAL CONSENT. THOSE UNDER THE AGE OF 18 MAY BE PIERCED ONLY WITH BOTH PARENTAL CONSENT AND PROPER IDENTIFICATION.

7. Tattooist/Piercer shall use a new razor blade for each client.
8. Tattooist/Piercer shall not perform work on any client who has any open sores, rashes, or lesions or around the area of the body to be tattooed/pierced.
9. All piercing equipment must be autoclave sterilized. All needles must be properly disposed of in a sharps container that is approved as puncture-resistant.
10. Tattooists using ultrasonic cleaners must use disposable cups filled with cleaning solution, New cups and solution shall be used for each client.
11. Tattooist/Piercer shall use disposable lap cloths that will be discarded after servicing each client.
12. Tattooist/Piercer will use ointment from a collapsible tube. Single use for each client.
13. Tattooist shall bandage each tattoo with sterile, pre-packaged telfa.
14. Absolutely NO dry heat sterilization will be accepted.
15. All Piercers must provide an enclosed area in which all piercings will be done. All piercings must be executed completely out of the public's view.
16. Redding Ink reserves the right to refuse any vendor/patron who does not comply with the spirit of this event.

17. Each client shall sign a Redding Ink release of liability. All forms shall be turned over to a Redding Ink representative at the close of the event.
18. Please note the closing hours for each show day. NO tattooing/piercing will be allowed past scheduled closing times. Please set all appointments accordingly.

Release of Liability

Applicant agrees to observe and comply with all applicable laws, statues, ordinances, rules, and regulations. Applicant assumes all costs and liability arising from the use of patented, trade-marked, copyrighted or serve mark materials; equipment processes or creative rights. Applicant shall not assign or attempt to sell or assign this agreement or any rights hereunder without the prior written consent of Redding Ink. Redding ink reserves the right to terminate the license granted by this agreement for good cause and, in said event, Applicant agrees to waive and forego all claims for damages and recourse of any kind. Applicant agrees to waive and forego all claims for damages and recourse of any kind. Applicant agrees to assume all risks arising out of or relating to its attendance or participation at said event and to protect, defend, indemnify and hold harmless Redding Ink, the owner and operator of the event site and facility, and each of their agents, servants, contractors and employees from any and all liability, loss, damage, or injury or body loss. Redding Ink has the exclusive right to display, license, sell and merchandise all event novelties (i.e. event t-shirts, event run pins, etc.) Redding Ink further has the right to inspect, approve, reject or otherwise control the display, promotion, sale or other merchandising of products or services by exhibitors at the event, in its sole discretion. Any products or services rejected by Redding Ink shall be immediately removed from the event premises and may be removed or excluded by Redding Ink (if this event does not occur). Illegal drugs and controlled substances, weapons, merchandise containing racial, ethnic or other slurs, obscenities, or other offensive or detrimental matter will not be permitted. Merchandise designed to be passed off as event merchandise (i.e. use of city, date, event name, event trade-marks, etc) or which has this effect will not be permitted. I further acknowledge that I am and that I cannot sell, give or offer for sale any pictures or accounting of this event for publication without the written permission of Redding ink.

This form must be signed in order for Redding ink to confirm your reservation. I HEREBY UNDERSTAND AND WILL CONFORM TO THE ABOVE REQUIREMENTS LISTED AS WELL AS

THE RELEASE OF LIABILITY CLAUSE. Any Tattooist/Piercer that does not comply with all of

the above regulations will be asked to leave the event, and will automatically forfeit his/her right to participate in any remaining event functions.

COMPANY NAME _____

ADDRESS _____

PHONE: _____

OF BOOTHS: _____ **@ \$400 EACH**

ADDITIONAL ARTISTS: _____ **@ \$50 EACH**

TOTAL \$ DUE: _____

SIGNATURE _____ **DATE:** _____

All applicants must submit a business card and one portfolio photo with this completed registration form. Questions? Call 530 953 5013.

Please send check or money order to Redding Ink, 1358 Market St, Redding CA 96001 or call Billy at 530 953 5013 to arrange a credit card transaction over the phone.