

Appendix 3: Sequence and examples of control measures

Control measures can be subdivided into different types, with a preferred sequence. As an example, it is more effective and safer to first see if it is possible to reduce the source of the hazard (e.g. by using an attenuated strain if possible) rather than immediately vaccinating the employees. If using a biosafety cabinet is adequate, then this is preferred above using a powered air-purifying respirator (PAPR). If all the above measures have not proved to be sufficient, then therapy is the last measure.

