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Biosafety Requirements for Autopsies of Patients with COVID-19: Example of a BSL-3 Autopsy Facility Designed for Highly Pathogenic Agents

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In this review, the authors

- summarize specific recommendations for postmortem analysis of COVID-19-deceased patients from the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention.
- compare requirements for biosafety level 3 (BSL-3) laboratories from the European Commission (EC) and the World Health Organization (WHO).
- Describe a BSL-3 facility for performing autopsies, biobanking of collected tissue specimens, and culture of pathogens in the context of COVID-19.

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