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**ATTN:** Medical Health Officers and Branch Offices

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Re: Update to Communicable Disease Control Manual, Chapter 2: Immunization, Part 4 – Biological Products

## Part 4 - Biological Products

## **Immune Globulins**

## Human Rabies Immune Globulin (Rablg): HyperRAB®

• The HyperRAB® product page has been corrected to align with the product monograph. If an increased volume of HyperRAB® is required it should be diluted with dextrose, 5% (D5W) in water and not normal saline as previously stated.

Please remove HyperRAB® page numbers: 1-3 dated July 26 2019 Please add HyperRAB® page numbers: 1-3 dated September 2019





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