October 5, 2011

ATTN: Medical Health Officers and Branch Offices
Directors of Health Protection
Communicable Disease Environmental Health Officers
Public Health Nursing Administrators and Assistant Administrators
Holders of Communicable Disease Control Manuals

Re: Revisions to Chapter I Communicable Disease Control “Exclusion of Enteric Cases and their Contacts from High Risk Settings”

Revisions are made to Appendix 2 to ensure the template letters refer to the appropriate Acts and sections.

Please remove and destroy the following from the Communicable Disease Control Manual, Chapter 1 – Communicable Disease Control, Exclusion of Enteric Cases and their Contacts from High Risk Settings:

Pages 29 to 35 Dated May 2010

Please insert the following in the Communicable Disease Control Manual, Chapter 1 – Communicable Disease Control, Exclusion of Enteric Cases and their Contacts from High Risk Settings:

Pages 29 to 40 Dated October 2011

Administrative Circular 2011:14
If you have any questions or concerns, please contact Dr. Eleni Galanis, Physician Epidemiologist, at telephone (604) 707-2558, fax (604) 707-2516 or by email at eleni.galanis@bccdc.ca or Dr. Nataliya Skuridina, Physician Epidemiologist, at telephone (604) 707-2558, fax (604) 707-2516 or by email at nataliya.skuridina@bccdc.ca.

Sincerely,

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