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: Update to Communicable Disease Control Manual,  
Chapter 1 - Legionella

A new guideline has been developed on *Legionella* Outbreak Investigation and Control. A draft version was approved by the BC Communicable Disease Advisory Committee on June 20 2017. This draft version is being circulated and posted and is to be used as a pilot. The guideline and pilot findings will be reviewed by the BC Communicable Disease Advisory Committee in a few months.

**Please insert the following in the Communicable Disease Control Manual, Chapter 1- Management of Specific Diseases, Legionellosis DRAFT**

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Sincerely,

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