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ATTN: Medical Health Officers and Branch Offices Directors of Health Protection Communicable Disease Specialists-Enterics 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. The final version was approved by the BC Communicable Disease Advisory Committee on February 7 2018.

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

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

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If you have any questions or concerns, please contact me (604-707-2558; eleni.galanis@bccdc.ca).





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Sincerely,

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