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**ATTN:** Medical Health Officers and Branch Offices  
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Holders of Communicable Disease Control Manuals

**Re: Update to Communicable Disease Control Manual,  
Chapter 1: Communicable Disease Control, Novel Coronavirus (2019-nCoV)**

**Novel Coronavirus (2019-nCoV)**

Interim guidelines for public health management of cases and contacts associated with novel coronavirus (2019-nCoV) in the community have been developed and are available on the [BCCDC website](#). Updates will be posted on the website.

The following supporting documents have also been developed to assist with case and contact management and are available on the [BCCDC website](#):

- Active Daily Monitoring Form for a Case of 2019-nCoV
- Active Daily Monitoring Form for Contacts of a Case of 2019-nCoV
- Information About the Novel Coronavirus (2019-nCoV) and Recommendations for Patients in the Home Setting

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