2013 British Columbia Annual Summary of Reportable Diseases – Amendments

Please note the following has been amended:

October 4, 2014

Replace graph 37.4 2013 Legionellosis Reports Compared to Historical Median and the 10th and 90th percentiles Around the Median (2004 to 2012) on page 112 with the graph below.
July 2, 2015

Replace graph 36.1 2013 Cryptococcus gattii Rates by Year, 2004-2013 on page 108 with the graph below.

On the Sources and Explanatory Remarks (page 120) under section 1, remove “For Cryptococcus gattii probable cases are included in reporting.” It should be:

1. Clinical and confirmed case reports are collected from the health regions in British Columbia through the integrated Public Health Information System (iPHIS). Starting in 2005, only confirmed cases are described in the main report, in keeping with BC reporting to the Public Health Agency of Canada. For the breakdown of cases by their confirmed or clinical case status for 2005 and previous years, see the 2005 BC Annual Summary of Reportable Diseases posted on www.bccdc.ca. The exceptions are Lyme Disease, and Tetanus for which clinical cases are included in reporting.