

Date: July 19, 2019

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

Re: Update to Communicable Disease Control Manual, Chapter 2: Immunization, Part 4 – Biological Products

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Immune globulins

Human Rabies Immune Globulin (Rablg)

Two separate product pages have been developed for HyperRAB® and IMOGAM® Rabies Pasteurized, as the concentration for HyperRAB® has changed. HyperRAB® is now provided as 300 IU/mL in a 1mL vial. IMOGAM® Rabies Pasteurized will continue to be provided as 150 IU/mL in a 2 mL vial.

- Please remove the current Rablg pages: dated April 2015
- Please add the new product pages for HyperRAB® and IMOGAM® Rabies Pasteurized: dated July 2019

Please also remove the Table of Contents for Part 4 – Biological Products dated October 2018 and replace with the enclosed updated Table of Contents dated July 2019.





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Sincerely,

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