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ATTN: Medical Health Officers and Branch Offices
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Re: Update to Communicable Disease Control Manual, Introduction

Communicable Disease Control Manual, Introduction

A new section “Changing the Reportability of a Communicable Disease Under the Public Health Act in British Columbia”, has been added to the introduction chapter. This section describes a typical pathway by which recommendations for changing the reportability status of a communicable disease come forward from the Communicable Disease Policy Advisory Committee for review and action by government.

Please remove entire section: dated April 2011

Please add new section: dated March 2024

If you have any questions or concerns, please contact Mandy Deresh, Senior Practice Lead, BCCDC (telephone: 778-908-5365 / email: mderesh@bccdc.ca).

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