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Hi Luke,

Much appreciated – would EOD Tuesday be possible? We have PT HSC that afternoon and this will be a discussion topic.

No substantive issues/concerns with the TOR were shared

Please let us know and we'll inform PT HSC

Thanks,

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Hi Vinessa,

Thanks for flagging this feedback. Spoke to my colleagues as well and we are very open to receiving input on the ToR and would suggest PTs provide input on the ToR by close of business on Monday, July 27th if possible. Please feel free to pass that on to PT HSC.

As you suggested, we can then update the ToR accordingly and present for final approval at the CDM meeting on July 30.

In the meantime, did you hear any substantive issues of concern that could be shared at this time so we can give that some early thought now?

Thanks,

Luke

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Hi Luke,

Ontario understood from both the description of this CDM agenda item (as an initial discussion) and the Deputies' conversation at CDM that HC would be seeking input from PTs on the draft TOR. There was no deadline provided for this input and a few PTs are concerned that the TOR is being presented as approved. Requesting this item be added to the CDM agenda for July 30 for DM approval, and that HC welcomes PT input to finalize the TOR between now and next week.

Thanks and happy to discuss further,

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Dear Colleagues,

As you may recall, the Conference of Deputy Ministers of Health recently approved the creation of a Federal-Provincial/Territorial ADM-level committee focussed on testing, contact tracing, and data management. Bringing together health and public health officials, this committee is well-positioned to enhance federal/provincial/territorial collaboration in the planning, development and promotion of policies and strategies on COVID testing, contact tracing, and data management and infrastructure. The Committee will also be critical to support implementation of the testing, tracing and data elements of the Safe Restart Agreement announced last week.

Attached for your reference is the terms of reference for this committee as approved by the CDMH earlier this month. I expect to announce the Co-Chairs of this Committee shortly. At this time, we are asking provinces and territories to **identify two ADM-level officials** (from health ministries and public health officials) to participate in this committee. Please provide the names and contact information for your respective members on this committee to Nancy Hamzawi (nancy.hamzawi2@canada.ca) **by Friday, July 24, 2020.**

Kind regards,
Les Linklater

Chers collègues,

Comme vous vous en souvenez, la Conférence des sous-ministres de la Santé a récemment approuvé la création d'un comité fédéral-provincial-territorial des sous-ministres adjoints

(SMA) chargé du dépistage de la COVID-19, la recherche des contacts et la gestion des données. Rassemblant des responsables de la santé et de la santé publique, ce comité est en bonne position pour renforcer la collaboration fédérale, provinciale et territoriale en matière de planification, d'élaboration et de promotion de politiques et de stratégies relatives au dépistage de la COVID, à la recherche des contacts, ainsi qu'à la gestion et à l'infrastructure des données. Le Comité sera également essentiel pour appuyer la mise en œuvre des éléments du dépistage, de la recherche et des données de l'Accord de relance sécuritaire qui a été annoncé la semaine dernière.

Le mandat pour ce comité est ci-joint à titre de référence, tel qu'il a été approuvé par le CSMS plus tôt ce mois-ci. J'espère être dans la position d'annoncer les Co-présidents du Comité sous peu.

Pour l'instant, nous demandons aux provinces et aux territoires de **choisir deux représentants au niveau des SMA** (parmi les ministères de la Santé et les responsables de la santé publique) pour participer à ce comité. Veuillez fournir les noms et les coordonnées de vos membres respectifs à ce comité à Nancy Hamzawi (nancy.hamzawi2@canada.ca) **d'ici le vendredi 24 juillet 2020.**

Cordialement,
Les Linklater