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Importance: High

Hi all, just so we're on the same page, just received from my dept:

PSPC has order on behalf of PHAC and the providence/territories 8,850,000 swabs and the required quantity of reagent required to test the swab. (Each unit of reagent can test approximately 100 swabs), these swabs will be tested in 9 provincial labs.

On rapid testing kits

To date, there are no large bulk orders of rapid testing kits placed. PSPC has provided to PHAC's National Microbiology Laboratory a spread sheet of the hundreds of rapid test kits specs for their review and triage.

On Spartan, PSPC received an order on Sunday for (40 testing kits and a number of cartridges) that will allow us to test 15000 people. The contract is in the process of being award today.