

Subject: FW: [Records Center] General Records Request :: G000492-053020
Date: Monday, June 7, 2021 at 2:42:31 PM Eastern Daylight Time
From: Sarah Wishingrad
To: AO Records
Attachments: King County 6.7.zip

From: King County Public Records <kingcountyexec@govqa.us>
Date: Monday, June 7, 2021 at 11:34 AM
To: Sarah Wishingrad <sarah.wishingrad@americanoversight.org>
Cc: "James.Apa@kingcounty.gov" <James.Apa@kingcounty.gov>
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June 07, 2021

Re: G000492-053020

Dear Ms. Sarah Wishingrad:

Thank you again for the public records request which the King County Executive Branch received from you on March 05, 2020. We understand you are seeking the following records:

"All email communications between (1) Public Health Director Patty Hayes and/or Health Officer Jeff Duchin, and (2) anyone communicating from an email address ending in cdc.gov, eop.gov, or hhs.gov."

An installment of records responsive to your request is available to you now in the King County Public Records Center. Click the link below to retrieve the records. Please note that the link works best with the Google Chrome browser, and any pop-up blockers need to be turned off.

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In addition, I have placed copies of the installments in your [shared OneDrive folder](#).

Limited redactions have been made to the enclosed records based on the following statutory exemption:

CODE	WHAT EXEMPTION THE CODE STANDS FOR	STATUTE/CASE	BRIEF EXPLANATION OF HOW EXEMPTION APPLIES
PHI	Medical Records - Protected Health Information	Chapter 70.02 RCW; Proclamation 20-64.5 Public Records Act - Contact Tracing- Personal Information	Identifying healthcare information (All elements of dates directly related to an individual, including birth date, admission date, discharge date, date of service, date of death; all geographic subdivisions smaller than a State, including street address, city, county, precinct, zip code; medical record numbers; names of clients, employers, household members and relatives; and/or telephone numbers) has been redacted as they are exempt from public release without the patient's consent. Public agencies, including local governments, are prohibited from releasing the personally identifying and contact information gathered by COVID-19 contact tracers or in customer/visitor/employee logs in response to a public records request.

We continue to gather and review responsive records, and we anticipate that we will be able to make another installment of responsive records, should they exist, available to you in approximately 4-6 weeks.

Please let me know if you have any questions.

Sincerely,

Jonathan Bibler
Public Records Officer
Public Health Seattle & King County

To monitor the progress or update this request please log into the

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Sent: Wednesday, March 4, 2020 5:46 AM PST
To: Bogan, Sharon; Lofy, Kathy H (DOH); Kay, Meagan; Karasz, Hilary; Thomas, Heather (DOHi); Wickersham, Kevin P (DOH); Wiesman, John (DOH); Hayes, Patty; Frederick, Shawn (DOHi); Spitters, Christopher (DOHi)
CC: Apa, James; bhaynes@cdc.gov; Worsham, Dennis
Subject: Re: LATEST VERSION_COVID 19 community mitigation draft 3-3.docx KEY MESSAGES_VERSION 2

I think we need to use same language about 7 days fever resolved and IMPROVEMENT in symptoms (not complete resolution) - agrss

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Yes, you are right. I will correct that.

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Re-sending with John's correct email address. That way, if there are edits, you can all be in the loop.

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Here are the key messages that we would like to use for press release, talking points etc.
Please use this version for edits and approvals.

With appreciation,

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Sent: Tuesday, March 3, 2020 5:24 PM

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Does King or DOH have definition of large groups being announced?

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Thanks; I have forwarded to Shawn and Chris. Also copied them on this thread for future communication.

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These are the community mitigation strategies we discuss this afternoon. We have reviewed them together several times, but Jeff has not noodled with them. These are the measures we will announce at the presser tomorrow. I think Chris Spitters was looking to see these as well but I don't have his email. Please forward.

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CC: Kay, Meagan
Subject: Fwd: Guidance regarding LIFECARE
Attachments: LifeCare guidance 3.3. 1 pm version.docx

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Yes, I need the appropriate contact for LifeCare. That said, our Call Center already has our updated document.

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Hi Sharon, let me know if you need the appropriate points of contact for LifeCare.
Best,
Nimalie

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Sharon-some additional comments from Nimalie stone to consider. She also raises the good point that perhaps we should run this by the lifecare folks before going out
JJ

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This is updated as of 1 pm with all CDC.

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FOR LIFECARE

- **If you have been in contact with someone from Lifecare while they were sick, self-quarantine for 14 days and self-monitor your symptoms.**

If you are a healthcare worker at LifeCare.

- Healthcare provider are needed to provide essential services for ill people. We support healthcare organizations making their own guidance to ensure continued care.

- **If you have been at LifeCare, but haven't had contact with someone while they were ill, you do not need to self-quarantine at this time. You do need to:**

- Monitor your symptoms,
- Practice good hygiene.
- If you develop symptoms, isolate yourself at home immediately and call your healthcare provider.

- **Who should be tested?**

- Public health is working to test symptomatic healthcare workers of LifeCare who have illness and residents of LifeCare who have illness.
- People who are ill and have had close contact with a resident of LifeCare, immediately self-quarantine, call your healthcare provider by phone before coming in AND contact Public Health so testing can be started.
- For those who have been inside LifeCare, but without close contact with a resident, if you start to feel ill, contact your healthcare provider immediately by phone to report your symptoms. Let your healthcare provider know you have been inside LifeCare. Your provider will determine whether testing is recommended.

- **What is considered close contact of a person at LifeCare?**

Close contact is:

Being within approximately 6 feet of an ill person for a prolonged period of time such as caring for or visiting the patient; sitting within 6 feet of the patient in a healthcare waiting area or room, or exposed to a patients'

respiratory secretions such as being coughed on or contact with used tissues with a bare hand.

- **What is happening with my family member at LifeCare?**

We are working with LifeCare so that your family members are cared for:

- Monitoring for progression of illness
- Implementing infection control to prevent spread to others
- For anyone who is ill at LifeCare, we are managing and treating them as if they have COVID-19.
- For all ill patients, we are providing medical care they need
- We are monitoring all patients closely, ill or not. And if residents develop symptoms that need higher level of care, we are transporting them to a hospital for care.

We understand how unsettling this can be at this time. LifeCare and Public Health will do everything we can to ensure the care of your loved ones.

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Other people with F and cough/SOB without an exposure risk would say stay home for 72 hours after resolution of fever and improvement of symptoms.

I would recommend against public messaging on this issue...too complicated.

For people who are sick:

Stay home when you are sick. Do not go out in public when you are sick.

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Subject: RE: LATEST VERSION_COVID 19 community mitigation draft 3-3.docx KEY MESSAGES_VERSION 2

Jeff said at the press conference groups more than 10. We are not putting that on our web.

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Sent: Wednesday, March 4, 2020 9:49 AM
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Does King or DOH have definition of large groups being announced?

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Sent from my iPhone

On Mar 3, 2020, at 11:20 PM, Bogan, Sharon <Sharon.Bogan@kingcounty.gov> wrote:

Thanks Kathy.

Here is where we are. I have made changes based on Kathy Lofy and Meagan Kay's review. I will wait to integrate additional changes until 8:00 am tomorrow so that Jeff and others have time to review and to send me their edits.

For version control, I'm calling this. VERSION 2.

Thanks-
Sharon

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I think we also decided that confirmed or suspected cases (with close contact to confirmed case) of COVID-19 would stay home for 7 days or 72 hours after resolution of sx whichever longer.

Other people with F and cough/SOB without an exposure risk would say stay home for 72 hours after resolution of fever and improvement of symptoms.

I would recommend against public messaging on this issue...too complicated.

For people who are sick:

Stay home when you are sick. Do not go out in public when you are sick.

Adults with fever AND cough OR shortness of breath should stay home for 10 days or until symptoms have been resolved for 72 hours, whichever is longer.

Avoid medical settings in general unless necessary. If you are ill in any way call your doctor's office first before going in.

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Yes, you are right. I will correct that.

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I think they landed on staying home for 7 days not 10 days. Correct me if I'm wrong

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Re-sending with John's correct email address. That way, if there are edits, you can all be in the loop.

Thanks-
Sharon

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Please use this version for edits and approvals.

With appreciation,

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Sent: Wednesday, March 4, 2020 6:31 PM PST
To: Duchin, Jeff
Subject: FW: John's turn to add to SITREP
Attachments: SKCFieldTeam-SITREP_3_3_2020jj.docx, Healthcare Facility Employee Impact Report (3-4-2020).docx

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Jeff, attached are the bullets we send nightly. I've tried to make sure we're careful with what we say and how we say it, but this just goes up to our Epi and IPC Task Force Leads to brief leadership at the 3x/week IM meeting, so internal use only. But let me know if you have concerns.

Also is a healthcare facility impact report for John's team that is very informative.

Tom

Impact on Healthcare Workers, as Reported by Facilities, March 3, 2020

	3/3/2020		
	n		%
Number of acute care facilities with confirmed case (patient)	7		
Number of facilities reporting	6	(2/7)	85.71%
Total (estimated) exposed HCP	1370-5850		
Total being monitored	873	(873/1370)	63.72%
Total furloughed	49	(49/1350)	3.63%
Total symptomatic	43	(43/49)	87.76%
Total number tested	32	(32/43)	74.42%
Total positive (cases)	1 ^a	(1/32)	3.13%
pending	23	(23/32)	71.88%
Total negative	8	(8/32)	25.00%
Number of long-term care facilities with confirmed case (patient)	1		
Number of facilities reporting	1		100.00%
Total (estimated) exposed HCP			
Total being monitored			
Total furloughed			
Total symptomatic			
Total number tested			
Total positive (cases)	2		
Total negative			
Number of dialysis facilities with confirmed case (patient)	1 ^b		
Number of facilities reporting	1	(1/1)	100.00%
Total (estimated) exposed HCP	19		
Total being monitored	19	(19/19)	100.00%
Total furloughed	18	(18/19)	94.74%
Total symptomatic	3	(3/19)	16.67%
Total number tested	0		
Total positive (cases)	0		
Total negative	0		

* An additional healthcare worker has tested positive, but was not exposed at work (transmitted from husband)

^a Employee tested positive but has not been reported to King County as case; may not be King County resident

^b Numbers only reflect Life Care Kirkland location because that is the only Life Care location that has had contact with confirmed positive

Field Investigation team daily sitreps outline

1. **Case description** (21 confirmed cases, 7 of which are new). 8 deaths, 3 of which are new.
 - a. Among the 21 cases, 13 appear to be directly related to the LTCF (2 visitors to the LTCF, 2 staff, and 9 patients). One additional person was exposed from her husband who is one of the visitors to the LTCF.
 - b. Of the 21 cases
 - i. 8 deaths. 7 of these are among patients of the LTCF. Among the 13 persons directly related to the LTCF, 7 (54%) have died.
 - ii. 9 hospitalized [7 in the ICU of which 6 of them are intubated]
 - iii. 3 isolated [2 at home and 1 is living with her husband who is formally hospitalized]. These 3 are improving.
 - c. Among these 21 cases, we have identified x household and community contact investigations [if under active surveillance, # pending investigation]
2. **PUIs:** We have 5 rounds of testing that are pending for today. We do not know the total number that are pending and have not been registering the total number of negatives among those that were tested yesterday.
3. **HCW investigations** (3 confirmed cases among healthcare workers. 2 of these people acquired COVID-19 through work exposures. One pediatric nurse acquired it from her husband who is not a healthcare worker. The 3 healthcare workers are furloughed / isolated. We are unsure of the number of contacts from these persons)
4. **Community Mitigation Update:** On March 4th, SKC will announce the following: 1) High risk people (immunocompromised and those with comorbidities) should do social distancing and stay home. 2) Large gatherings should be discouraged. 3) Large business and employers should utilize aggressive telework and support their staff in doing so. 4) Faith-based communities should modify their work so as to minimize face-to-face interactions of large gatherings. Large gatherings = 10 or more people. 5) Close of schools is discouraged but if done, is recommended only for 2-5 days if a case occurs there. During that 2-5 day time period, disinfection + contacting of cases should occur. They are not supportive of curtailing student activities because school-age children do not seem to be a population significantly affected by this COVID-19 outbreak.
5. **Community Surveillance Update**
6. **Updates on Field Studies**
 - a. Long forms completed on cases
 - b. Other studies planned
7. **IPC/Safety Update**
 - a. **Acute care Team Update:**
 - 7 ACH in King county have cases
 - o Geographically dispersed around Seattle area
 - o Estimated 600-700 exposed-burden of tracking large
 - Currently 50-70 exposed HCWs with symptoms, under evaluation
 - One hospital Highline-had one case, 41 HCW furloughed, potentially planning to close down some services
 - Evergreen set up 'drive through' swabbing station staffed by NIOSH and lab LLS fellow. 28 symptomatic HCP from region swabbed (Evergreen HCP, Lifecare HCP, including student nurses, EMS, NW dialysis center), symptomatic family of confirmed Evergreen patients were also offered tested. Plan is to expand hours tomorrow and run through at least Friday

- There have been issues with discharging ANY patients from some of these hospitals back to long term care facilities (non-COVID patients from Evergreen unable to get placed). County in discussions.

Worker safety

- Worked with ME's office doing PPE training and observation. Respiratory protection program to fit test additional staff to facilitate safe autopsies
- Discussion ongoing regarding funeral homes

Patient sampling

- Exploring establishing "swab strike team" tomorrow; CDC staff prepared to train staff on PPE and safety of performing those specimens. Team will be deployed to collect specimens of particular epidemiologic importance (e.g. investigate clusters in other SNFs or dialysis centers)

Dialysis

- Provided additional infection control guidance to NW facility (and major Dialysis system responsible for approximately 80% of dialysis centers in Seattle)
- Working to obtain information regarding other facilities that could be involved in outbreak

EMS

- Attended a CME for paramedics on COVID-19, and participated in Q & A answering questions related to the EMS IPC guidance. >100 paramedics in attendance and many more on the phone.
- If feasible, will attempt to do in person training on PPE and IPC at a few stations/groups in coming days.

LTC team update

- Shortages in clinical and nursing staff are stressing the LifeCare Center; 4 hospitalizations between 3/2 pm and 3/3 afternoon
 - Escalated the urgent need to establish reciprocity with WA licensing board for nursing to WA DOH leadership
 - Spoke with President of Diagnostic service provider to answer questions and re-establish laboratory and radiologic testing for LCC
 - Efforts underway to deploy federal medical staff to support clinical operations
 - Family concern with lack of communication-Family Town Hall scheduled for tomorrow, CDC participation requested
- LCC requesting public health and CDC support for town hall meeting planned for afternoon of 3/4 -- risk communication support available from CDC
- Needs to address workforce shortages at LCC and questions re: eligibility for federal reimbursement have been escalated to CMS leadership
- Outreach underway to other community nursing homes to identify other potential clusters

8. Communications Update

9. Needs/Gaps (Staffing, Ops, Request calls with special teams or task forces, etc):

- a. Need guidance for funerals and funeral parlors
- b. Need guidance (if any) re: persons who return from travel to countries with large numbers of cases

10. Other issues:

- a. Sarah Reagan-Steiner is working with us and with the MEO to prioritize bodies for autopsy and also to send specimens to CDC.

Team	Total field team #'s Date 3/3/2020	Aggregate Case Numbers by County	New Cases in Last 24 Hours	Total HCW cases	Total Deaths	Notes
Seattle King County Team	21 (Includes SKC ONLY)	King County 21 Snohomish County ? [We currently do not have good visibility on the # of cases in Snohomish County but are attempting to be better connected on this, particularly because some of these people are admitted to SKC hospitals.	7	3 (Only 2 were exposed through their work. The other was exposed by her husband who is NOT a HCW)	8 (7 of which were patients of the Life Care LTCF)	13 confirmed patients are directly linked to the LTCF, 1 is linked to one of these. 2 friends can be linked to the LTCF cluster because one of these received dialysis at the same facility where a Life Care patient received dialysis. In this way, 16 people seem to be part of the same large cluster even though some, on first look, seem to be community cases. The team is working on sorting out the transmission chains for the remaining 5 persons

From: Jay Shendure
Sent: Tuesday, March 3, 2020 10:56 AM PST
To: Scott Dowell
CC: Duchin, Jeff; Schrag, Stephanie (CDC/DDID/NCIRD/DBD); Dan Wattendorf; Keith Klugman; Emily Turner; trvr; Cowgill, Karen; Lindquist, Scott W (DOH); Worsham, Dennis; Trevor Mundel; Anita Zaidi; Mark Rieder
Subject: Re: SFS covid-19 results debrief

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Hi all,

Just talked to Helen about the one prospective positive that we discussed. I am adding her to this thread.

Even the plan that we outlined -- recontacting the patient to sign an updated consent and forwarding the sample to the state lab, would be a breach of the current IRB protocol. She thinks it is likely solvable issue but would like to talk to someone at KGPH or DOH directly about this and how to overcome it.

Karen, can you call Helen to discuss (or ask the appropriate person to call her if I'm getting wrong) -- she will be available for the next 2 hours. Cell phone = PII
Jay

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On Tue, Mar 3, 2020 at 9:09 AM Scott Dowell <Scott.Dowell@gatesfoundation.org> wrote:

3/3 – Adding N6-104. Tx. sa

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To: Jay Shendure; Scott Dowell
CC: Duchin, Jeff; Dan Wattendorf; Keith Klugman; Emily Turner; trvr; Cowgill, Karen; Lindquist, Scott SL (CDC doh.wa.gov); Worsham, Dennis; Trevor Mundel; Anita Zaidi; Mark Rieder
Subject: RE: SFS covid-19 results debrief

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Karen is connecting w helen now. thnx

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Hi all,

Just talked to Helen about the one prospective positive that we discussed. I am adding her to this thread.

Even the plan that we outlined -- recontacting the patient to sign an updated consent and forwarding the sample to the state lab, would be a breach of the current IRB protocol.

She thinks it is likely solvable issue but would like to talk to someone at KGPH or DOH directly about this and how to overcome it.

Karen, can you call Helen to discuss (or ask the appropriate person to call her if I'm gettin gt wrong) -- she will be available for the next 2 hours. Cell phone = PII [REDACTED]

Jay

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On Tue, Mar 3, 2020 at 9:09 AM Scott Dowell <Scott.Dowell@gatesfoundation.org> wrote:

3/3 – Adding N6-104. Tx. sa

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Sent: Monday, March 2, 2020 6:52 AM PST
To: Duchin, Jeff; Olson, Christine (CDC/OCOO/OSSAM)
CC: Worsham, Dennis
Subject: RE: Hello from Atlanta by way of the SeaTac Q-Station

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If we could do 9am PST that would be great

From: Duchin, Jeff <Jeff.Duchin@kingcounty.gov>
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To: Olson, Christine (CDC/OCOO/OSSAM) <cco7@cdc.gov>
Cc: Clark, Thomas A. (CDC/DDID/NCIRD/DVD) <tnc4@cdc.gov>; Worsham, Dennis <Dennis.Worsham@kingcounty.gov>
Subject: RE: Hello from Atlanta by way of the SeaTac Q-Station

Swamped – can you chat with Tom Clark, he’s on site here and can help strategize how we might get you on board.

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Hi - you’re up early! I’m here - headed to the Q-Station for my shift at 8am so available to talk later this am if that works!
Christine

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Subject: Re: Hello from Atlanta by way of the SeaTac Q-Station

Great to hear from you, Christine. How soon can you get out here to help with COVID-19 response? We can probably bring you on as extra help immediately and if there is a way to get you assigned here through feds for this emergency response we would support that. If I'm hard to reach Dennis can help with follow up.

Thanks for your message and hope we see you in Seattle later today :)

Jeff

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Subject: Hello from Atlanta by way of the SeaTac Q-Station

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Hi Jeff,

I know you're very busy so am going to be as brief as possible and bullet-point this:

- I left PHSKC and Seattle after my PMR in 2009 b/c it was an awful time to find a public health job outside the federal system given the economics at that time; I would have loved to stay here at that time if it were possible

- I want to get back to the PNW now

- I have since had 10+ more years of increasing leadership experience at CDC

- I've worked effectively in both infectious and chronic disease: in Foodborne as an EISO involved in multiple national outbreaks; DGMQ in immigrant and refugee health screening; Div of Reproductive Health in maternal/infant morbidity and mortality (int'l and domestic) and emergency response, especially focused on "vulnerable populations" (e.g., Zika); Occupational Health Clinic and OSSAM as both an active clinician and as the OHC liaison to the Emergency Operations Center in a leadership position that produced tangible results; currently deployed as a medical officer to SeaTac for coronavirus

- I've worked effectively at all levels of public health over the past 20 years: county, state, nat'l, and int'l, been a team lead in different divisions at CDC, and have several years of clinical experience as an attending physician

- I've evolved to a level where I'm politically savvy, effective, and know how to (and have) leverage relationships to get things done in an efficient and effective way.

If you see a way I could be useful out here, especially if there might be a way I could stay federal for another 6.3 years (CEFO or other mechanism), please let me know. I think I could be an asset to any county or state health department at this point in my career, especially in the current climate.

Thank you,
Christine

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From: Cowgill, Karen
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To: Armstrong, Gregory (CDC/DDID/NCEZID/OD); Schrag, Stephanie (CDC/DDID/NCIRD/DBD)
CC: Duchin, Jeff
Subject: Re: Seattle Flu Study

Welcome, Stephanie! Will be great to work with you again — looking forward to it. If you'd like to contact me directly my personal cell is PII Karen

From: Armstrong, Gregory (CDC/DDID/NCEZID/OD) <gca3@cdc.gov>

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To: Schrag, Stephanie (CDC/DDID/NCIRD/DBD) <zha6@cdc.gov>

Cc: Duchin, Jeff <Jeff.Duchin@kingcounty.gov>; Cowgill, Karen <n-kcowgill@kingcounty.gov>

Subject: Seattle Flu Study

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Stephanie—I just got off the phone with Jeff Duchin, who is very supportive of this. Your contact in his shop will be Karen Cowgill (cc'd here).

Karen—Stephanie is a very seasoned doctoral-level epidemiologist here at CDC, with over 20 years of experience in bacterial respiratory disease epidemiology and public health. She is tentatively flying out tomorrow to start working side-by-side with the Seattle Flu Study. Her tentative objectives are:

- Help interface between the study and various public health partners (Seattle, the state, CDC teams in the field, etc.)
- Review the study—what it is, how it's designed, how flexible is, etc.
- Work with the study to get information that will be useful for the public-health response to SARS-CoV2
- Help develop a plan to modify the study, if needed, to get the information that will be useful to public health, both locally, and for the larger US and global response.

We view her role as being different from that of the CDC response team there, although she will coordinate closely with them (she already is).

Thanks,
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