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MEMORANDUM

TO: Medical officers of health, Local Health Integration Network chief executive officers, health sector employers and health care workers

RE: Ebola virus disease resources

I am pleased to announce the release of the following resources to support Ontario health system readiness for the Ebola virus disease (EVD):

- updated *Chief Medical Officer of Health Directive for Paramedic Services*
- a summary of changes to the *Chief Medical Officer of Health Directive for Paramedic Services*
- new *Chief Medical Officer of Health Directive for Primary Care Settings*
- screening tools for paramedic services and primary care settings

These materials are attached to this memo. They will also be posted in English at www.ontario.ca/ebola and in French at www.ontario.ca/virusebola later this week.

It is expected that all organizations subject to these directives will take immediate steps to review and begin implementing these measures. To ensure full awareness of these expectations, I request that recipients of this memo please forward these materials internally to your staff and, where applicable, to your respective stakeholders or members.

Health sector employers and health care workers can continue to contact the ministry's Health Care Provider Hotline by email at emergencymanagement.moh@ontario.ca or phone at 1-866-212-2272 with any questions or concerns about EVD.

Thank you for your ongoing efforts to support Ontario's readiness for EVD.

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Attachments