HEALTHCARE PROVIDER ALERT June 3, 2022



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IMPORTANT UPDATES ON COVID-19

To: Physicians, Nurse Practitioners, Nurses, and Midwives Hospital Infection Control Departments and Emergency Departments

The Ministry has released an updated CCM guidance which can be found here: Management of Cases and Contacts of COVID-19 / FR Version (v 14.2)

Highlights include:

Version 14.2- Significant Updates

Page #	Description
7	Clarification of public health unit responsibilities for highest risk settings.
9	Guidance for symptomatic individuals with a positive rapid antigen test and a subsequent negative molecular test within 48 hours.
19	Follow up for indeterminate cases is at the discretion of the PHU.
19	Updated information for management of previously cleared cases with new positive results.
32	Information for COVID-19 positive cases with ongoing positivity (PCR or RAT) on/after 10 days from symptom onset or date of specimen collection (Section 9.1: Routine Operations Staffing Options).
33	Updated staffing option for COVID-19 positive cases (Section 9.3: Higher COVID-19 Transmission Risk Staffing Options).