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Public Health Alert – Measles Ruled Out

Situation

Serology and PCR results for the probable measles case in Sioux Lookout are all **NEGATIVE**.

Suspicion for measles was based on dates of travel through Toronto and the development of symptoms consistent with measles in a timeframe that made measles a possibility. The possible case was too young to have received MMR vaccine. However, there was no known contact with a case of measles.

Public communication is in progress, and individuals who were known contacts will be called directly.

Actions requested

- Communicate with affected individuals and families that risk has been ruled out
- Continue to promote MMR vaccine

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