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Vaccines newsletter 9 February 2021

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The department has prepared a coronavirus (COVID-19) vaccines newsletter to inform vaccine providers of the latest updates including; delivery of the vaccines, surge workforce and training, safety and where to find more information.

Special Testing System Bulletin

Please find attached.

- Special Testing System Bulletin - 9 February 2021

This bulletin includes:

- Holiday Inn outbreak - Hotel Quarantine Worker Testing protocols

The Testing System Bulletin is published weekly and made available to the entire testing system to provide consistent and accurate information about coronavirus (COVID-19) testing and the department's instructions and priorities. A 'Special' Bulletin is sent when required or at any time in addition to the weekly bulletin for urgent communication.

New coronavirus (COVID-19) cleaning guidelines -COVID-19 Deep clean factsheet

A coronavirus (COVID-19) deep clean is done whenever there is a high risk need for decontamination cleaning, such as where there is a positive or suspected coronavirus (COVID-19) positive case in hotel quarantine, hospital, aged care, workplaces, schools or other health and community settings.

Any coronavirus (COVID-19) deep clean must follow the cleaning guidance to help prevent the transmission of coronavirus (COVID-19) through the cleaning activities.

New guidance has been published on the department's website under the "Infection prevention and control" heading:

<https://www.dhhs.vic.gov.au/infection-prevention-control-resources-covid-19#guidelines-and-resources-for-environmental-cleaning>

and here:

<https://www.coronavirus.vic.gov.au/preventing-infection-workplace#cleaning-and-disinfection>

Attachments

Attachments referenced in this bulletin are available at <https://dhhs.vic.gov.au/sites/Covid-19-HealthSectorUpdate/SitePages/Health-Services-Bulletin.aspx>.

If you wish to request access to the [COVID-19 Health Sector Portal](#), please [click this link](#) and complete the e-form.

Please note we are currently receiving a large volume of requests, which may result in delays in receiving access to the portal. If you require urgent access to the attachments referenced in this bulletin, please email COVID-19PMO-Communications@dhhs.vic.gov.au.