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Subject: RE: Pb - follow-up from call.
Date: Monday, October 26, 2015 9:28:59 AM

All,

HHS has developed materials regarding blood lead testing that will be provided to parents through the schools. It sounds like DEQ is interested in developing materials regarding the water testing and results. I think it would be best to pull these efforts together to maintain consistency in the messaging.

Sue and Eden, please advise on how you'd like to move forward. Thanks

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Let's try to set up a meeting for Tuesday. Thanks.

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Liane,

Apologies, apologies.

Jen, Michelle and I have been at an ATSDR conference this week. I am just getting to emails.

Obviously – this week I over. I am around all next week. Jen is available Monday and Tuesday. Michelle is around most of next week.

I think we could be helpful on both issues. Given I have been out of the loop all week, Linda will need to let me know the status of the MDHHS process and how we can help.

Kory

From: Shekter Smith, Liane (DEQ)
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To follow up – we've been told that filters have not been installed at schools. Rather, pitcher type filters have been provided to each classroom. Our sampling protocol reflects this.

I plan to address your secondary comments once the protocol is included as an insert in the final document. It is that document that will contain recommendations etc. that will apply to all schools eventually.

Also, as part of this week's action steps identified by DEQ to implement the governor's action plan, we proposed to meet with DHHS to discuss lead education materials for schools and we should also discuss the development of childcare facility guidance. Are you and your staff available to meet sometime this week?