
From: Wells, Eden (DHHS)
Sent: Sunday, December 20, 2015 4:32 PM
To: LaRocco, Toni
Subject: Re: Newborn

Toni- that is an excellent point as well- and will discuss with heads of Medicaid and Population health first thing in AM!

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On Dec 20, 2015, at 1:03 PM, LaRocco, Toni <tlarocco@gchd.us> wrote:

Yes I understand however sometimes the common sense doesn't rule the contract.

Toni LaRocco MS, RN
Director of Nursing Services
Genesee County Health Department

On Dec 20, 2015, at 12:30 PM, Wells, Eden (DHHS) <WellsE3@michigan.gov> wrote:

Right, of interest is that this is cord blood from a newly born baby....!!! There should be NO lead...

From: LaRocco, Toni <tlarocco@gchd.us>
Sent: Sunday, December 20, 2015 11:53 AM
To: July, Jori; STAYLOR@gchd.us; knoble@gchd.us; jwenstrom@gchd.us
Cc: Wells, Eden (DHHS)
Subject: Fwd: Newborn

Jori and Eden,
Please see below. Please note that this is a result below 5. We are happy in this extended circumstance to follow this family. I am off next week and will need you Eden, to advocate with state for the follow up by case managers as it does not fit the specified criteria.
Merry Christmas!

Toni

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Begin forwarded message:

From: "Wells, Eden (DHHS)" <WellsE3@michigan.gov>
Date: December 20, 2015 at 11:46:15 AM EST
To: Mona Hanna-Attisha <MHanna1@hurleymc.com>
Cc: "Miller, Corinne (DHHS)" <MillerC39@michigan.gov>, "Dykema, Linda D. (DHHS)" <DykemaL@michigan.gov>, "Peeler, Nancy (DHHS)" <PeelerN@michigan.gov>, "Priem, Wesley F. (DHHS)" <priemw@michigan.gov>, "LaRocco, Toni" <tlarocco@gchd.us>, "Valacak, Mark" <MVALACAK@gchd.us>, "Moran, Susan (DHHS)" <MoranS@michigan.gov>
Subject: Re: Newborn

Great info- !!! Thanks- and we shall close the loop in this quickly!
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On Dec 20, 2015, at 11:14 AM, Mona Hanna-Attisha <MHanna1@hurleymc.com> wrote:

Looking forward to hearing from a case manager.

We started our cord blood lead research project about three weeks ago. We've tested about 150 cord bloods. Every mom (except 2) has consented to the research. We are only getting back results now and we have not analyzed anything yet. It would be interesting to confirm if these cord blood results get to the state program.

Hurley delivers about 3000 babies/yr. Most of city of flint babies.

Mona Hanna-Attisha MD MPH FAAP
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On Dec 20, 2015, at 11:05 AM, Wells, Eden (DHHS) <WellsE3@michigan.gov> wrote:

Good to know- we shall be sure one of the case managers contacts you directly for information-- how many babies are born at Hurley each mint? I.e., how many cord bloods are being tested?

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On Dec 20, 2015, at 10:57 AM, Mona Hanna-Attisha <MHanna1@hurleymc.com> wrote:

Yes we are planning to contact mom, test mom, test baby (venous), test siblings, and contact PMD.

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On Dec 20, 2015, at 10:19 AM, Wells, Eden (DHHS) <WellsE3@michigan.gov> wrote:

Good morning, Mona,

All lead tests (negative or positive) get into the program, no matter the age or source...but always good to check, as this is a cord blood (Hurley Lab?) and this one needs tracked. Mom and family should be tested as well. By virtue of this email I am looping in the State EPid and our CLPP program as well as the Healthy Homes folks, and our GCHD leads. Thank you, Mona!

Linda, can you coordinate the point person to contact Dr. Mona- Hanna-Attisha regarding name, address, etc on this cord blood for investigation ASAP. Should be coordinated per usual case management between GCHD and MDHHS.

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From: Mona Hanna-Attisha <MHanna1@hurleymc.com>
Sent: Sunday, December 20, 2015 9:02 AM
To: Wells, Eden (DHHS)
Subject: Newborn

Eden, in our cord blood lead research project, we just got a 4.8 result on a newborn's cord blood. Who can I contact to make sure they get a proper home/water investigation? I doubt these labs get into the lead program.

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