

We got word yesterday of a male dog with veterinarian confirmed lead toxicosis in the city of Flint. Female dog in the same household gave birth to a single stillborn pup yesterday morning (she'd had 2 previous large successful litters). MDARD is working with them on the veterinary concerns.

I spoke the resident late yesterday and again this morning. They are on Flint water and have a filter from the city. He first told me they'd had their filtered water tested, but said today that he thought his wife had sent off the sample but she had not. Wife is pregnant. There are 4 children in the house. Their Dr has told them not to bathe or shower in the tap water. They all had blood drawn yesterday and we may have the results as soon as this afternoon. Resident is heartbroken over his dogs, angry at the city, and very worried about his family. This could hit the press.

We are making arrangements to conduct a lead risk assessment on the house, possibly Thursday or Friday, that would include one of our field staff from the Lead Safe Homes Program (copying Wes Priem the program manager) and a nurse from the county health department. We'd like to take water samples from 3 taps: the kitchen filtered faucet, the bathroom tap they'd use to bathe, and an outside tap from which they'd watered the dogs. We need DEQ input on how best to collect (homeowner or other?) and analyze the samples (DEQ lab?).

I have meetings from 12:30 to 2:30, but am available after that to discuss.

From: Krisztian, George (DEQ)
Sent: Tuesday, October 20, 2015 8:34 AM
To: Dykema, Linda D. (DHHS)
Cc: Sygo, Jim (DEQ); Edgerton, Shelly (LARA)
Subject: Data Request
Importance: High

Linda,

I was unable to find data on 829 E Wellington. Either they used a Lab other than the DEQ's Lab or they did not submit their sample under Flint's free testing program.

George

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From: Krisztian, George (DEQ)
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Subject: RE: questions

I'm a little lost. Can you please call him and ask him if he has received the information that he is looking for? If not, give him my contact information

Thank you
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From: Smith, Carol (DEQ)
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Subject: RE: questions

George
I do not think it was about the home evaluation.
He mentioned public housing and DEQs protocol.
See my email.
I think someone needs to call him and I have no idea what the protocol is.

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To: Smith, Carol (DEQ)
Subject: RE: questions

If this was in response to the potential home evaluation, then the answer is that I provided the billing code information to DHHS but not necessarily to David specifically.

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