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**PROGRAMS**

Maternal Child Health  
Community Health Education  
Disease Prevention & Control  
WIC Program  
Child & Teen Checkups  
Follow Along Program  
Emergency Preparedness  
Statewide Health Improvement  
Partnership

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Dear Valued Partner,

We are reaching out to you because you are an identified partner that can help in an effort to minimize the spread of Coronavirus (Covid-19) should it reach our local communities. We want to ensure that you have the information you need to make informed decisions when the time comes.

As county/city officials, you are likely aware of the upcoming COVID-19 Informational Webinar available for government officials and staff on Thursday March 12<sup>th</sup>. I have attached a link for registration here in case you did not receive this information. [https://www.lmc.org/learning-events/events/league-events/free-webinar-preparing-local-government-for-covid-19/?utm\\_source=Multi&utm\\_medium=Multi&utm\\_campaign=Webinars](https://www.lmc.org/learning-events/events/league-events/free-webinar-preparing-local-government-for-covid-19/?utm_source=Multi&utm_medium=Multi&utm_campaign=Webinars)

Additionally, there are resources from the CDC and MDH specific to communities in how to plan, prepare, and respond. Here are the links to guidance materials. [https://www.cdc.gov/coronavirus/2019ncov/community/index.html?CDC\\_AA\\_refVal=https%3A%2F%2Fwww.cdc.gov%2Fcoronavirus%2F2019-ncov%2Fpreparing-individuals-communities.html](https://www.cdc.gov/coronavirus/2019ncov/community/index.html?CDC_AA_refVal=https%3A%2F%2Fwww.cdc.gov%2Fcoronavirus%2F2019-ncov%2Fpreparing-individuals-communities.html)

Please know that we have already reached out to most all organizations within our communities (faith based, law enforcement, businesses etc.) but we want to be sure to work with you closely should circumstances change.

Our department will continue to monitor the situation and work closely with MDH. We will continue to provide updates relevant to your work as needed. Please feel free to contact us if you have any questions.

Healthy Regards,

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