COVID-19 Case Investigations
Tools for LBOHs

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DSAI Updates for today, Tuesday, 3/29/2022

- Reminder to scan and check your Immediate, Routine & Pending Workflows in MAVEN
- MAVEN listserv update
- LBOH Death Report – confirmed and probable cases
  - Pivot Table Demonstration
- MAVEN Release Updates - 3/18
Check your Immediate, Routine & Pending Workflows

- Reminder to check your Immediate, Routine, Pending Case Report Form Workflows
  - LBOH Notification for Immediate Disease
  - LBOH Notification for Routine disease (380 cases currently waiting for you today)
  - LBOH Case Report Forms (CRF) are pending (871 cases in this workflow)

--- Cases in this workflow range from Jan 2021 – March 2022
MAVEN Listserv

- MAVEN listserv software has been updated to Constant Contact

- This change will affect the following types of emails:
  - Webinar-related emails
  - MAVEN maintenance emails
  - Weekly LBOH testing data

- Emails will look different, but the content will be the same

- Emails will still come from mavenhelp@mass.gov

- All new MAVEN users are added to the listserv receiving webinar emails. If you would like to be added, please email mavenhelp@mass.gov
LBOH Confirmed and Probable Death Report

- Deployed Friday, 3/11
- This report will extract ALL cases of who have Outcome=Died in the Clinical Question Package #3.
- Confirmed and Probable cases
  - Report can be pulled with dates from 2020-2022
Create new question in the Demographic Question: Industry

(*additional training will be forthcoming)
Add new question in the Demographic QP: Gender Identity

Overview presentation and Terms/Definitions guide available on MAVEN Help - Dec. 14th webinar

CNSTAT Webinar Opportunity: Measuring Sex, Gender Identity, and Sexual Orientation
▪ **General Epidemiology**

  ▪ Updated event time period for Lyme to one year, based off calendar year (Jan - Dec)

▪ **Tuberculosis**

  ▪ Addition of new variables throughout question packages of tuberculosis events for new CDC reporting requirements. LBOH users do not need to be concerned about them but if they do have questions they can reach out to DGP 617-983-6970
COVID-19 Updates

- Add new question in Risk & Exposure Question Package #5 and COVID wizard: Exposure of Significance

- Streamlined COVID case wizard

- Added COVID Repeat Infection variable in Clinical QP under Medical Information Notes and added to Confirmed and Probable Case line list
COVID-19 Events Updates

- Add new question in Risk & Exposure Question Package #5 and COVID wizard: Exposure of Significance.

- Keyword variable to identify settings, trends, or other key exposure events of note. This will allow for better data searches/trend detections/retrospective analysis.
  - Examples include: a Concert, Convention, Activity of Note, etc.
  - Meant to reduce the larger burden of other Risk activity variables and make one key variable for tracking.

- Added to COVID case wizard as well.
COVID-19 Events Updates

- Added COVID Repeat Infection variable in Clinical QP under Medical Information Notes and added to Confirmed and Probable Case line list.

- If you interview someone and they state they had a previous diagnosis (lab confirmed OR self-test) over 90 days ago (so it is not associated with their current positive), you can indicate YES.
- You can also indicate this is a YES if you identify a previous event.
- Do not indicate YES if they state they had a recent self-test indicating they are out of their isolation period (for example, took a self-test a month ago). That would just be part of their current event. We are looking for distinct previous infections.
MDPH Conducts COVID-19 Case Investigation Webinars – Now Every Other Week

- MDPH presents Every Other Week on Tuesdays 11:00-12:15
  - Updates in Guidance.
  - Troubleshooting MAVEN.
  - How to conduct case investigations and contact tracing in different settings.
  - Target Audience: Health Agents, Contact Tracers, and Public Health Nurses doing this work.
  - Spring 2022 we will begin to incorporate other disease investigation topics. Stay Tuned!

Next Webinar:
Tuesday, April 12, 2022

MAVEN Help has Guidance Documents and Previous Webinars:

Webinar Schedule Update:
Every Other Tuesday @ 11am

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