



MEASLES WEBINAR - RECORDED

Leeds, Grenville and Lanark Health Care Providers - Public Health Call
Thursday, March 7, 2024, 12:15 to 1:15 pm

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- **Introduction – Dr. Linna Li, Leeds, Grenville & Lanark District Health Unit Medical Officer of Health**
 - You may be aware that Ontario has had 4 measles cases in the past 3 weeks, one of which may have been locally acquired. All have been in the greater Toronto area.
 - Locally we haven't had any measles cases, but we've had a handful of investigations at the Health Unit and are seeing gaps in the system. Although our risk of local cases is low, I am expecting more measles cases in Ontario and it's a matter of chance as to where it lands (could be here!)—especially since March Break is coming.
- **Purpose – In-depth review of Measles Fact Sheet/Q&As**
 - This webinar was intended for primary care and other clinical settings to provide an update and key considerations on:
 - Identification and testing of measles
 - Reporting to the Health Unit
 - Vaccination and post-exposure prophylaxis
 - IPAC and Occupational Health considerations
- **Resources:**
 - [Fact Sheet to Health Care Providers](#)
 - [Passive Screening Signage](#)
 - [PHO: Measles Information for Health Care Providers](#)
 - Routine practices and additional precautions for healthcare settings:
 - [PHAC document \(federal\)](#); [PIDAC document \(provincial\)](#)
 - [Ontario's routine immunization schedule | ontario.ca](#)
 - [Vaccines and immunization - Canada.ca](#)
- Please do not hesitate to call the Health Unit at Ext. 2222 (Infectious Diseases Program) with any questions regarding measles.