

United States Department of State

Washington, D.C. 20520

December 16, 2024 F-2023-06543

Gary Ruskin U.S. Right to Know 4096 Piedmont Ave., #963 Oakland, CA 94611

Dear Mr. Ruskin:

This letter responds to your March 22, 2023, request submitted to the Department of State ("the Department"), pursuant to the Freedom of Information Act (FOIA), 5 U.S.C. § 552 in which you requested "documents from the following State Department employees: Jamie Fouss U.S. Consul General in Wuhan, China, Rick Switzer Counselor of Environment, Science, Technology and Health Section, U.S. Embassy in China, Terry E. Branstad Ambassador, U.S. Embassy in China, Robert W. Forden Deputy Chief of Mission, U.S. Embassy in China. Documents from the individuals in the following posts and offices: Post Occupational Safety and Health Officer in Wuhan, China, Public Affairs Officer in Wuhan, China, Regional Security Officer in Wuhan, China, Community Liaison Office in Wuhan, China, Economic/Political Section staff in Wuhan, China. Email correspondence to or from the above-named individuals and positions, including attachments, CC and BCC, containing any of the following keywords or combinations of keywords: "SARS" OR "SARS-like", "pneumonia", "fever", "cases", "unknown etiology", "flu" OR "influenza", "flu-like", "viral", "disease", "illness or sickness", "hospital". The Office of Shared Knowledge Services received your FOIA request on March 23, 2023, and assigned it tracking number F-2023-06543. Please include the tracking number in all future communications concerning this FOIA request.

The Department conducted a search for information responsive to your request and located the enclosed records. Where applicable, we have considered the foreseeable harm standard when reviewing this information and applying FOIA exemptions. As such, we have determined that some information is exempt from release pursuant to the following FOIA exemptions:

- 5 U.S.C. § 552(b)(5), which concerns certain privileged communications within or between agencies, including those protected by the deliberative process privilege; and
- 5 U.S.C. § 552(b)(6), which concerns material that, if released, would constitute a clearly unwarranted invasion of an individual's personal privacy.

This action closes your request in this office. For further assistance or to discuss any aspect of your request, you may contact our FOIA Requester Service Center or our FOIA Public Liaison at

<u>FOIAstatus@state.gov</u> or by telephone at (202) 261-8484. Please include the DOS case number in all communications concerning this FOIA request.

If you are not satisfied with this determination, you may administratively appeal by writing to: Appeals Officer, Office of Shared Knowledge Services (A/SKS), Room B-266, U.S. Department of State, 2201 C Street, NW, Washington, D.C. 20520; by fax to (202) 485-1718; or by email to <u>FOIAAppeals@state.gov</u>. Your appeal must be postmarked or submitted electronically within 90 days of the date of this email. Please include a copy of this correspondence with your written appeal and clearly state why you disagree with the determinations set forth in this response.

Finally, if you are not satisfied with the Department's determination in response to your appeal you may contact the Office of Government Information Services at the National Archives and Records Administration to inquire about the FOIA Mediation Services they offer. The contact information is as follows: Office of Government Information Services, National Archives and Records Administration, 8601 Adelphi Road-OGIS, College Park, Maryland 20740-6001, email address: <u>ogis@nara.gov</u>; telephone: (202) 741-5770; toll free number: 1-877-684-6448.

Sincerely,

James A. Rosenbaum Supervisory Government Specialist FOIA Case Processing Office

Enclosures: As stated

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• During 2019 Week 42 (October 14–20, 2019), there was 0 new human infection reported.

• October 1, 2019 to October 20, 2019, total 0 human infections were reported in China.

• As of October 13, 2019, total 1565 human infections reported in China, including 615 deaths since the first outbreak reported in 2013.

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Subject: Avian influenza summary report_2019/10/18

• During 2019 Week 41 (October 7–13, 2019), there was 0 new human infection reported.

• October 1, 2019 to October 13, 2019, total 0 human infections were reported in China.

• As of October 13, 2019, total 1565 human infections reported in China, including 615 deaths since the first outbreak reported in 2013.

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H7N9

• During 2019 Week 39–40 (September 23–October 6, 2019), there was 0 new human infection reported.

• October 1, 2019 to October 6, 2019, total 0 human infections were reported in China.

• As of October 6, 2019, total 1565 human infections reported in China, including 615 deaths since the first outbreak reported in 2013.

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Subject: Avian influenza summary report_2019/10/08

• During 2019 Week 38 (September 16-22, 2019), there was 0 new human infection reported.

• October 1, 2018 to September 22, 2019, total 1 human infections were reported in China.

• As of September 22, 2019, total 1565 human infections reported in China, including 615 deaths since the first outbreak reported in 2013.

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Subject: Avian influenza summary report_2019/09/24

H7N9

• During 2019 Week 37 (September 9-15, 2019), there was 0 new human infection reported.

• October 1, 2018 to September 15, 2019, total 1 human infections were reported in China.

• As of September 15, 2019, total 1565 human infections reported in China, including 615 deaths since the first outbreak reported in 2013.

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• During 2019 Week 33 to Week 36 (August 12 to September 8, 2019), there was 0 new human infection reported.

• October 1, 2018 to September 8, 2019, total 1 human infections were reported in China.

• As of September 8, 2019, total 1565 human infections reported in China, including 615 deaths since the first outbreak reported in 2013.

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Subject: Avian influenza summary report_2019/08/21

Beijing reported a human case infected with avian influenza A(H5N6) on August 19. The patient is a 59 year-old female, having been temporarily living in Beijing for 3 months. The patient had illness onset on August 6, was hospitalized on August 11, and was confirmed influenza A(H5N6) infection on August 17. She was exposed to slaughtered poultry from outside of Beijing. She remains hospitalized in critical condition.

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• During 2019 Week 32 (Aug 5-11, 2019), there was 0 new human infection reported.

• Oct 1, 2018 to Aug 11, 2019, total 1 human infections were reported in China.

• As of Aug 11, 2019, total 1565 human infections reported in China, including 615 deaths since the first outbreak reported in 2013.

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H7N9

• During 2019 Week 30-31 (July 22-Aug 4, 2019), there was 0 new human infection reported.

• Oct 1, 2018 to Aug 4, 2019, total 1 human infections were reported in China.

• As of Aug 4, 2019, total 1565 human infections reported in China, including 615 deaths since the first outbreak reported in 2013.

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• During 2019 Week 29 (July 15-21, 2019), there was 0 new human infection reported.

• Oct 1, 2018 to July 21, 2019, total 1 human infections were reported in China.

• As of July 21, 2019, total 1565 human infections reported in China, including 615 deaths since the first outbreak reported in 2013.

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H7N9

• During 2019 Week 27 (July 1-7, 2019), there was 0 new human infection reported.

• Oct 1, 2018 to July 7, 2019, total 1 human infections were reported in China.

• As of July 7, 2019, total 1565 human infections reported in China, including 615 deaths since the first outbreak reported in 2013.

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Subject: Avian influenza summary report_2019/07/08

H7N9

• During 2019 Week 26 (June 24-30, 2019), there was 0 new human infection reported.

• Oct 1, 2018 to June 30, 2019, total 1 human infections were reported in China.

• As of June 30, 2019, total 1565 human infections reported in China, including 615 deaths since the first outbreak reported in 2013.

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Subject: Avian influenza summary report_2019/06/27

H7N9

• During 2019 Week 25 (June 17-23, 2019), there was 0 new human infection reported.

• Oct 1, 2018 to June 23, 2019, total 1 human infections were reported in China.

• As of June 23, 2019, total 1565 human infections reported in China, including 615 deaths since the first outbreak reported in 2013.

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H7N9

• During 2019 Week 24 (June 10-16, 2019), there was 0 new human infection reported.

• Oct 1, 2018 to June 16, 2019, total 1 human infections were reported in China.

• As of June 16, 2019, total 1565 human infections reported in China, including 615 deaths since the first outbreak reported in 2013.

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Subject: Avian influenza summary report_2019/06/14

H7N9

• During 2019 Week 23 (June 3-9, 2019), there was 0 new human infection reported.

• Oct 1, 2018 to June 9, 2019, total 1 human infections were reported in China.

• As of June 9, 2019, total 1565 human infections reported in China, including 615 deaths since the first outbreak reported in 2013.

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H7N9

• During 2019 Week 22 (May 27- June 2, 2019), there was 0 new human infection reported.

• Oct 1, 2018 to June 2, 2019, total 1 human infections were reported in China.

• As of June 2, 2019, total 1565 human infections reported in China, including 615 deaths since the first outbreak reported in 2013.

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H7N9

• During 2019 Week 21 (May 20-26, 2019), there was 0 new human infection reported.

• Oct 1, 2018 to May 26, 2019, total 1 human infections were reported in China.

• As of May 26, 2019, total 1565 human infections reported in China, including 615 deaths since the first outbreak reported in 2013.

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Subject: Avian influenza summary report_2019/05/24

H7N9

• During 2019 Week 20 (May 13-19, 2019), there was 0 new human infection reported.

• Oct 1, 2018 to May 19, 2019, total 1 human infections were reported in China.

• As of May 19, 2019, total 1565 human infections reported in China, including 615 deaths since the first outbreak reported in 2013.

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H7N9

• During 2019 Week 19 (May 6-12, 2019), there was 0 new human infection reported.

• Oct 1, 2018 to May 12, 2019, total 1 human infections were reported in China.

• As of May 12, 2019, total 1565 human infections reported in China, including 615 deaths since the first outbreak reported in 2013.

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H7N9

• During 2019 Week 18 (April 29- May 5, 2019), there was 0 new human infection reported.

• Oct 1, 2018 to May 5, 2019, total 1 human infections were reported in China.

• As of May 5, 2019, total 1565 human infections reported in China, including 615 deaths since the first outbreak reported in 2013.

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Subject: Avian influenza summary report_2019/05/06

• During 2019 Week 17 (April 22-28, 2019), there was 0 new human infection reported.

• Oct 1, 2018 to April 28, 2019, total 1 human infections were reported in China.

• As of April 28, 2019, total 1565 human infections reported in China, including 615 deaths since the first outbreak reported in 2013.

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Subject: Avian influenza summary report_2019/04/26

H7N9

• During 2019 Week 16 (April 15-21, 2019), there was 0 new human infection reported.

• Oct 1, 2018 to April 21, 2019, total 1 human infections were reported in China.

• As of April 21, 2019, total 1565 human infections reported in China, including 615 deaths since the first outbreak reported in 2013.

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Subject: Avian influenza summary report_2019/04/22

• During 2019 Week 15 (April 8-14, 2019), there was 0 new human infection reported.

• Oct 1, 2018 to April 14, 2019, total 1 human infections were reported in China.

• As of April 14, 2019, total 1565 human infections reported in China, including 615 deaths since the first outbreak reported in 2013.

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Subject: Avian influenza summary report_2019/04/08-a new human infection case with H7N9

H7N9

• In April 5, one new human infection with A(H7N9) was reported. The male patient, age 82 years, from Jiuquan, Gansu Province has been hospitalized and is in serious condition.

• Oct 1, 2018 to April 7, 2019, total 1 human infections were reported in China.

• As of April 7, 2019, total 1565 human infections reported in China, including 615 deaths since the first outbreak reported in 2013.

H9N2

- 1 new cases has been reported in March, 2019, from Jiangsu Province.
 - The case is a 9-year-old boy, with an onset on March 15, had severe illness, including pneumonia, recovered after antiviral treatment
- Since 2013, total 36 cases of human infection with H9N2 have been reported, with 1 death

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H7N9

• During 2019 Week 12 (Mar 18-24, 2019), there was 0 new human infection reported.

• Oct 1, 2018 to Mar 24, 2019, total 0 human infections were reported in China.

• As of Mar 24, 2019, total 1564 human infections reported in China, including 615 deaths since the first outbreak reported in 2013.

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Subject: Avian influenza summary report_2019/03/21

• During 2019 Week 11 (Mar 11-17, 2019), there was 0 new human infection reported.

• Oct 1, 2018 to Mar 17, 2019, total 0 human infections were reported in China.

• As of Mar 17, 2019, total 1564 human infections reported in China, including 615 deaths since the first outbreak reported in 2013.

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H7N9

• During 2019 Week 10 (Mar 4-10, 2019), there was 0 new human infection reported.

• Oct 1, 2018 to Mar 10, 2019, total 0 human infections were reported in China.

• As of Mar 10, 2019, total 1564 human infections reported in China, including 615 deaths since the first outbreak reported in 2013.

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Subject: Avian influenza summary report_2019/03/11

H7N9

• During 2019 Week 9 (Feb 25-Mar 3, 2019), there was 0 new human infection reported.

• Oct 1, 2018 to Mar 3, 2019, total 0 human infections were reported in China.

• As of Mar 3, 2019, total 1564 human infections reported in China, including 615 deaths since the first outbreak reported in 2013.

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H9N2

- 1 new cases has been reported in February, 2019, from Yunnan Province.
 - The case is a 8-year-old girl, with an onset on Jan 27, mild illness, recovered
- Since 2013, total 35 cases of human infection with H9N2 have been reported, with 1 death

H7N9

- During 2019 Week 7&8 (Feb 11-24, 2019), there was 0 new human infection reported.
- Oct 1, 2018 to Feb 24, 2019, total 0 human infections were reported in China.

• As of Feb 24, 2019, total 1564 human infections reported in China, including 615 deaths since the first outbreak reported in 2013.

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H9N2

- 1 new cases has been reported in Jan 31, 2019, from Hunan Province.
 - The case is a 2-year-old boy, mild illness, recovered
- Since 2013, total 34 cases of human infection with H9N2 have been reported, with 1 death

H7N9

• During 2019 Week 6 (Feb 4-10, 2019), there was 0 new human infection reported.

• Oct 1, 2018 to Feb 10, 2019, total 0 human infections were reported in China.

• As of Feb 10, 2019, total 1564 human infections reported in China, including 615 deaths since the first outbreak reported in 2013.

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H7N9

• During 2019 Week 3 (Jan 14-20, 2019), there was 0 new human infection reported.

• Oct 1, 2018 to Jan 20, 2019, total 0 human infections were reported in China.

• As of Jan 20, 2019, total 1564 human infections reported in China, including 615 deaths since the first outbreak reported in 2013.

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H9N2

- 2 new cases have been reported in December 2018, both from Guangdong Province
 - Case 1: 10 months old girl, mild illness
 - Case 2: 32 years old female, developed pneumonia
- Since 2013, total 33 cases of human infection with H9N2 have been reported, with 1 death

H7N9

• During 2019 Week 2 (Jan 7-13, 2019), there was 0 new human infection reported.

• Oct 1, 2018 to Jan 13, 2019, total 0 human infections were reported in China.

• As of Jan 13, 2019, total 1564 human infections reported in China, including 615 deaths since the first outbreak reported in 2013.

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H7N9

• During 2019 Week 1 (Dec 31, 2018- Jan 6, 2019), there was 0 new human infection reported.

- Oct 1, 2018 to Jan 6, 2019, total 0 human infections were reported in mainland China.
- As of Jan 6, 2019, total 1564 human infections reported in China, including 615 deaths.

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H7N9

• During 2018 Week 52 (Dec 24-30, 2018), there was 0 new human infection reported.

• Oct 1, 2018 to Dec 30, 2018, total 0 human infections were reported in mainland China.

• As of Dec 30, 2018, total 1564 human infections reported in China, including 615 deaths.

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• During 2019 Week 51 (December 16–22, 2019), there was 0 new human infection reported.

• October 1, 2019 to December 22, 2019, total 0 human infections were reported in China.

• As of December 22, 2019, total 1565 human infections reported in China, including 615 deaths since the first outbreak reported in 2013.

Subject: Avian influenza summary report_2019/12/20

- During 2019 Week 50 (December 9–15, 2019), there was 0 new human infection reported.
- October 1, 2019 to December 15, 2019, total 0 human infections were reported in China.

• As of December 15, 2019, total 1565 human infections reported in China, including 615 deaths since the first outbreak reported in 2013.

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H7N9

• During 2019 Week 49 (December 2–8, 2019), there was 0 new human infection reported.

• October 1, 2019 to December 8, 2019, total 0 human infections were reported in China.

• As of December 8, 2019, total 1565 human infections reported in China, including 615 deaths since the first outbreak reported in 2013.

H9N2: 2 new human infections reported recently

- Case 1: Sanming City, Fujian Province, [4-year-old girl], onset 26 Oct 2019, mild, history of poultry exposure prior to onset
- Case 2: Fuyang City, Anhui Province, [5-year-old girl], onset 12 Nov 2019, recovered, history of poultry slaughterhouse exposure prior to onset

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H7N9

• During 2019 Week 48 (November 25– December 1, 2019), there was 0 new human infection reported.

• October 1, 2019 to December 1, 2019, total 0 human infections were reported in China.

• As of December 1, 2019, total 1565 human infections reported in China, including 615 deaths since the first outbreak reported in 2013.

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H7N9

• During 2019 Week 47 (November 18–24, 2019), there was 0 new human infection reported.

• October 1, 2019 to November 24, 2019, total 0 human infections were reported in China.

• As of November 24, 2019, total 1565 human infections reported in China, including 615 deaths since the first outbreak reported in 2013.

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- During 2019 Week 46 (November 11–17, 2019), there was 0 new human infection reported.
- October 1, 2019 to November 17, 2019, total 0 human infections were reported in China.

• As of November 17, 2019, total 1565 human infections reported in China, including 615 deaths since the first outbreak reported in 2013.

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H7N9

• During 2019 Week 45 (November 3–10, 2019), there was 0 new human infection reported.

• October 1, 2019 to November 10, 2019, total 0 human infections were reported in China.

• As of November 10, 2019, total 1565 human infections reported in China, including 615 deaths since the first outbreak reported in 2013.

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H7N9

• During 2019 Week 44 (October 28– November 3, 2019), there was 0 new human infection reported.

• October 1, 2019 to November 3, 2019, total 0 human infections were reported in China.

• As of November 3, 2019, total 1565 human infections reported in China, including 615 deaths since the first outbreak reported in 2013.

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Subject: Avian influenza summary report_2019/11/04

H7N9

• During 2019 Week 43 (October 21–27, 2019), there was 0 new human infection reported.

• October 1, 2019 to October 27, 2019, total 0 human infections were reported in China.

• As of October 27, 2019, total 1565 human infections reported in China, including 615 deaths since the first outbreak reported in 2013.

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Subject: Avian influenza summary report_2019/10/28

H7N9

• During 2019 Week 42 (October 14–20, 2019), there was 0 new human infection reported.

• October 1, 2019 to October 20, 2019, total 0 human infections were reported in China.

• As of October 20, 2019, total 1565 human infections reported in China, including 615 deaths since the first outbreak reported in 2013.

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Subject: Avian influenza summary report_2019/10/18

H7N9

• During 2019 Week 41 (October 7–13, 2019), there was 0 new human infection reported.

• October 1, 2019 to October 13, 2019, total 0 human infections were reported in China.

• As of October 13, 2019, total 1565 human infections reported in China, including 615 deaths since the first outbreak reported in 2013.

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Subject: Avian influenza summary report_2019/10/11

H7N9

• During 2019 Week 39–40 (September 23–October 6, 2019), there was 0 new human infection reported.

• October 1, 2019 to October 6, 2019, total 0 human infections were reported in China.

• As of October 6, 2019, total 1565 human infections reported in China, including 615 deaths since the first outbreak reported in 2013.

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Subject: Avian influenza summary report_2019/10/08

H7N9

• During 2019 Week 38 (September 16-22, 2019), there was 0 new human infection reported.

• October 1, 2018 to September 22, 2019, total 1 human infections were reported in China.

• As of September 22, 2019, total 1565 human infections reported in China, including 615 deaths since the first outbreak reported in 2013.

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Subject: Avian influenza summary report_2019/09/24

H7N9

• During 2019 Week 37 (September 9-15, 2019), there was 0 new human infection reported.

• October 1, 2018 to September 15, 2019, total 1 human infections were reported in China.

• As of September 15, 2019, total 1565 human infections reported in China, including 615 deaths since the first outbreak reported in 2013.

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Subject: Avian influenza summary report_2019/09/11

H7N9

• During 2019 Week 33 to Week 36 (August 12 to September 8, 2019), there was 0 new human infection reported.

• October 1, 2018 to September 8, 2019, total 1 human infections were reported in China.

• As of September 8, 2019, total 1565 human infections reported in China, including 615 deaths since the first outbreak reported in 2013.

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Subject: Avian influenza summary report_2019/08/21

Beijing reported a human case infected with avian influenza A(H5N6) on August 19. The patient is a 59 year-old female, having been temporarily living in Beijing for 3 months. The patient had illness onset on August 6, was hospitalized on August 11, and was confirmed influenza A(H5N6) infection on August 17. She was exposed to slaughtered poultry from outside of Beijing. She remains hospitalized in critical condition.

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Subject: Avian influenza summary report_2019/08/16

H7N9

• During 2019 Week 32 (Aug 5-11, 2019), there was 0 new human infection reported.

• Oct 1, 2018 to Aug 11, 2019, total 1 human infections were reported in China.

• As of Aug 11, 2019, total 1565 human infections reported in China, including 615 deaths since the first outbreak reported in 2013.

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Subject: Avian influenza summary report_2019/08/09

H7N9

• During 2019 Week 30-31 (July 22-Aug 4, 2019), there was 0 new human infection reported.

• Oct 1, 2018 to Aug 4, 2019, total 1 human infections were reported in China.

• As of Aug 4, 2019, total 1565 human infections reported in China, including 615 deaths since the first outbreak reported in 2013.

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Subject: Avian influenza summary report_2019/07/26

H7N9

• During 2019 Week 29 (July 15-21, 2019), there was 0 new human infection reported.

• Oct 1, 2018 to July 21, 2019, total 1 human infections were reported in China.

• As of July 21, 2019, total 1565 human infections reported in China, including 615 deaths since the first outbreak reported in 2013.

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Subject: Avian influenza summary report_2019/07/12

H7N9

• During 2019 Week 27 (July 1-7, 2019), there was 0 new human infection reported.

• Oct 1, 2018 to July 7, 2019, total 1 human infections were reported in China.

• As of July 7, 2019, total 1565 human infections reported in China, including 615 deaths since the first outbreak reported in 2013.

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Subject: Avian influenza summary report_2019/07/08

H7N9

• During 2019 Week 26 (June 24-30, 2019), there was 0 new human infection reported.

• Oct 1, 2018 to June 30, 2019, total 1 human infections were reported in China.

• As of June 30, 2019, total 1565 human infections reported in China, including 615 deaths since the first outbreak reported in 2013.

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Subject: Avian influenza summary report_2019/06/27

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• During 2019 Week 25 (June 17-23, 2019), there was 0 new human infection reported.

• Oct 1, 2018 to June 23, 2019, total 1 human infections were reported in China.

• As of June 23, 2019, total 1565 human infections reported in China, including 615 deaths since the first outbreak reported in 2013.

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• During 2019 Week 24 (June 10-16, 2019), there was 0 new human infection reported.

• Oct 1, 2018 to June 16, 2019, total 1 human infections were reported in China.

• As of June 16, 2019, total 1565 human infections reported in China, including 615 deaths since the first outbreak reported in 2013.

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Subject: Avian influenza summary report_2019/06/14

H7N9

• During 2019 Week 23 (June 3-9, 2019), there was 0 new human infection reported.

• Oct 1, 2018 to June 9, 2019, total 1 human infections were reported in China.

• As of June 9, 2019, total 1565 human infections reported in China, including 615 deaths since the first outbreak reported in 2013.

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Subject: Avian influenza summary report_2019/06/10

H7N9

• During 2019 Week 22 (May 27- June 2, 2019), there was 0 new human infection reported.

• Oct 1, 2018 to June 2, 2019, total 1 human infections were reported in China.

• As of June 2, 2019, total 1565 human infections reported in China, including 615 deaths since the first outbreak reported in 2013.

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Subject: Avian influenza summary report_2019/06/03

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• During 2019 Week 21 (May 20-26, 2019), there was 0 new human infection reported.

• Oct 1, 2018 to May 26, 2019, total 1 human infections were reported in China.

• As of May 26, 2019, total 1565 human infections reported in China, including 615 deaths since the first outbreak reported in 2013.

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• During 2019 Week 20 (May 13-19, 2019), there was 0 new human infection reported.

• Oct 1, 2018 to May 19, 2019, total 1 human infections were reported in China.

• As of May 19, 2019, total 1565 human infections reported in China, including 615 deaths since the first outbreak reported in 2013.

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• During 2019 Week 19 (May 6-12, 2019), there was 0 new human infection reported.

• Oct 1, 2018 to May 12, 2019, total 1 human infections were reported in China.

• As of May 12, 2019, total 1565 human infections reported in China, including 615 deaths since the first outbreak reported in 2013.

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• During 2019 Week 18 (April 29- May 5, 2019), there was 0 new human infection reported.

• Oct 1, 2018 to May 5, 2019, total 1 human infections were reported in China.

• As of May 5, 2019, total 1565 human infections reported in China, including 615 deaths since the first outbreak reported in 2013.

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Subject: Avian influenza summary report_2019/05/06

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• During 2019 Week 17 (April 22-28, 2019), there was 0 new human infection reported.

• Oct 1, 2018 to April 28, 2019, total 1 human infections were reported in China.

• As of April 28, 2019, total 1565 human infections reported in China, including 615 deaths since the first outbreak reported in 2013.

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Subject: Avian influenza summary report_2019/04/26

H7N9

- During 2019 Week 16 (April 15-21, 2019), there was 0 new human infection reported.
- Oct 1, 2018 to April 21, 2019, total 1 human infections were reported in China.

• As of April 21, 2019, total 1565 human infections reported in China, including 615 deaths since the first outbreak reported in 2013.

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Subject: Avian influenza summary report_2019/04/22

H7N9

• During 2019 Week 15 (April 8-14, 2019), there was 0 new human infection reported.

• Oct 1, 2018 to April 14, 2019, total 1 human infections were reported in China.

• As of April 14, 2019, total 1565 human infections reported in China, including 615 deaths since the first outbreak reported in 2013.

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Subject: Avian influenza summary report_2019/04/08-a new human infection case with H7N9

H7N9

• In April 5, one new human infection with A(H7N9) was reported. The male patient, age 82 years, from Jiuquan, Gansu Province has been hospitalized and is in serious condition.

• Oct 1, 2018 to April 7, 2019, total 1 human infections were reported in China.

• As of April 7, 2019, total 1565 human infections reported in China, including 615 deaths since the first outbreak reported in 2013.

H9N2

- 1 new cases has been reported in March, 2019, from Jiangsu Province.
 - The case is a 9-year-old boy, with an onset on March 15, had severe illness, including pneumonia, recovered after antiviral treatment
- Since 2013, total 36 cases of human infection with H9N2 have been reported, with 1 death

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H7N9

• During 2019 Week 12 (Mar 18-24, 2019), there was 0 new human infection reported.

• Oct 1, 2018 to Mar 24, 2019, total 0 human infections were reported in China.

• As of Mar 24, 2019, total 1564 human infections reported in China, including 615 deaths since the first outbreak reported in 2013.

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H7N9

• During 2019 Week 11 (Mar 11-17, 2019), there was 0 new human infection reported.

• Oct 1, 2018 to Mar 17, 2019, total 0 human infections were reported in China.

• As of Mar 17, 2019, total 1564 human infections reported in China, including 615 deaths since the first outbreak reported in 2013.

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H7N9

• During 2019 Week 10 (Mar 4-10, 2019), there was 0 new human infection reported.

• Oct 1, 2018 to Mar 10, 2019, total 0 human infections were reported in China.

• As of Mar 10, 2019, total 1564 human infections reported in China, including 615 deaths since the first outbreak reported in 2013.

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H7N9

• During 2019 Week 9 (Feb 25-Mar 3, 2019), there was 0 new human infection reported.

• Oct 1, 2018 to Mar 3, 2019, total 0 human infections were reported in China.

• As of Mar 3, 2019, total 1564 human infections reported in China, including 615 deaths since the first outbreak reported in 2013.

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Subject: Avian influenza summary report_2019/03/04

H9N2

- 1 new cases has been reported in February, 2019, from Yunnan Province.
 - The case is a 8-year-old girl, with an onset on Jan 27, mild illness, recovered
- Since 2013, total 35 cases of human infection with H9N2 have been reported, with 1 death

H7N9

- During 2019 Week 7&8 (Feb 11-24, 2019), there was 0 new human infection reported.
- Oct 1, 2018 to Feb 24, 2019, total 0 human infections were reported in China.

• As of Feb 24, 2019, total 1564 human infections reported in China, including 615 deaths since the first outbreak reported in 2013.

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Subject: Avian influenza summary report_2019/02/19

H9N2

- 1 new cases has been reported in Jan 31, 2019, from Hunan Province.
 - The case is a 2-year-old boy, mild illness, recovered
- Since 2013, total 34 cases of human infection with H9N2 have been reported, with 1 death

H7N9

- During 2019 Week 6 (Feb 4-10, 2019), there was 0 new human infection reported.
- Oct 1, 2018 to Feb 10, 2019, total 0 human infections were reported in China.

• As of Feb 10, 2019, total 1564 human infections reported in China, including 615 deaths since the first outbreak reported in 2013.

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Subject: Avian influenza summary report_2019/01/28

H7N9

• During 2019 Week 3 (Jan 14-20, 2019), there was 0 new human infection reported.

• Oct 1, 2018 to Jan 20, 2019, total 0 human infections were reported in China.

• As of Jan 20, 2019, total 1564 human infections reported in China, including 615 deaths since the first outbreak reported in 2013.

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Subject: Avian influenza summary report_2019/01/18

H9N2

- 2 new cases have been reported in December 2018, both from Guangdong Province
 - Case 1: 10 months old girl, mild illness
 - Case 2: 32 years old female, developed pneumonia

• Since 2013, total 33 cases of human infection with H9N2 have been reported, with 1 death

H7N9

• During 2019 Week 2 (Jan 7-13, 2019), there was 0 new human infection reported.

• Oct 1, 2018 to Jan 13, 2019, total 0 human infections were reported in China.

• As of Jan 13, 2019, total 1564 human infections reported in China, including 615 deaths since the first outbreak reported in 2013.

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Subject: Avian influenza summary report_2019/01/11

H7N9

- During 2019 Week 1 (Dec 31, 2018- Jan 6, 2019), there was 0 new human infection reported.
- Oct 1, 2018 to Jan 6, 2019, total 0 human infections were reported in mainland China.
- As of Jan 6, 2019, total 1564 human infections reported in China, including 615 deaths.

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H7N9

• During 2018 Week 52 (Dec 24-30, 2018), there was 0 new human infection reported.

• Oct 1, 2018 to Dec 30, 2018, total 0 human infections were reported in mainland China.

• As of Dec 30, 2018, total 1564 human infections reported in China, including 615 deaths.

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 Subject: News of Possible SARS Outbreak in Wuhan

All,

Just a heads up that local media is reporting a possible SARS or unknown pneumonia outbreak at a meat market, which is nearby the Hankou Railway Station and the U.S. Consulate. We have seen no official government announcements as to the situation, although they have closed the market and are disinfecting it. Chinese National Health Commission specialists arrived in Wuhan this morning. We've heard rumors that some New Year events have been cancelled. American social media groups are aflutter. Cons Chief(b)(6) is in contact with Embassy Beijing CDC, Med, and Consular and is drafting a MASCOT message. PAO has also contacted Beijing for press guidance.

Please note one Consulate LE staff was confined to the hospital last Friday for a cough but we have no indication that her case is related to the current health situation.

Best regards,

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Jamie,

Here is the message chain with ACS and MCCA Beijing. I am waiting to hear back from MED and CDC.

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(b)(6) Does Wuhan have a medical officer? You may wish to work with Beijing Med and CDC here to see if

Thanks, Jewell

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Good morning ACS Beijing

We are trying to confirm reports that there is a SARS outbreak in Wuhan. This has been reported by various health organization but not yet confirmed by the CDC. The American community has seen the news and is concerned.

Please stand by, we may need your assistance to send an advisory message.

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There have been 27 patients diagnosed with an unknown pneumonia in Wuhan, all requiring medical institutions to track and monitor. The expert group of the national health and Health commission has arrived to Wuhan and is carrying out relevant inspection and verification work and are conducting testing for SARS and other respiratory pathogens. It appears that most cases have been founded in the same place-Huanan Seafood market. Although there are rumors spreading that this is SARS, there has been no confirmation by an official source. With flu season, viral pneumonia is very likely to be the cause in addition to other respiratory pathogens. Please remember to follow the preventative precautions listed below as recommended by CDC:

- Take everyday preventive actions to stop the spread of germs.
- Try to avoid close contact with sick people.
- While sick, limit contact with others as much as possible to keep from infecting them.
- If you are sick with flu-like illness, CDC recommends that you stay home for at least 24 hours after your fever is gone except to get medical care or for other necessities. (Your fever should be gone for 24 hours without the use of a fever-reducing medicine.)
- Cover your nose and mouth with a tissue when you cough or sneeze. After using a tissue, throw it in the trash and wash your hands.
- Wash your hands often with soap and water. If soap and water are not available, use an alcoholbased hand rub.
- Avoid touching your eyes, nose and mouth. Germs spread this way.
- Clean and disinfect surfaces and objects that may be contaminated with germs like flu.

If there are any concerns please contact Beijing Medical Unit 8531-4777 during business hours and 186-1031-1101 after hours.

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Let me know if you need anything else,

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Subject: RE: Possible SARS Outbreak in Wuhan
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Our local doctor helped me translate the official report, and I have touched base with (b)(6) from
our CDC office here in Beijing so we are on the same page. This is what we know, if we put out an
announcement I think it should be something like this below. (b)(5)
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• Wash your hands with soap and water thoroughly — for 15 seconds — and often, especially before and after preparing foods and before eating. Use an alcohol-based hand sanitizer in addition to soap and water are not available.

• Cover your nose and mouth with a tissue when you cough or sneeze and avoid touching your face, especially your eyes, nose and mouth.

- Clean frequently-used surfaces (such as doorknobs) with a virus-killing disinfectant.
- Thoroughly cook all poultry and poultry products, including eggs.
- Avoid contact with sick animals and do not go to live animal markets or farms.

If there are any concerns please contact Beijing Medical Unit 8531-4777 during business hours and 186-1031-1101 after hours.

(b)(6) does this look good to you, anything to add or change?

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I must have just missed your call. I am in the office if you would like to call back. In the meantime, here is the information that was sent regarding bubonic plague per your request.

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Subject: RE: Updated Inner Mongolia Trip Schedule

Thanks <u>(h)(</u> The only thing I would add is additional information regarding prophylaxis for person-toperson exposure. CDC would recommend antibiotic prophylaxis for persons with close, unprotected contact (within 2 meters) of patients with pneumonia (typically doxycycline for 7 days). Note that patients who DO transmit pneumonic plague are typically very ill with bloody sputum and near death. It doesn't sound like this type of exposure is expected for this trip.

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Subject: RE: Updated Inner Mongolia Trip Schedule

The risk of plague to travelers is largely restricted to rural endemic areas.

We know there is plague in inner Mongolia, but it seems your trip will not take you to rural places, you will stay at the Shangri La Hotel, etc.

Minimize exposure to rodents, rodent fleas, ground squirrels, prairie dogs, gophers, wild rabbits, animal skins/hides; avoid areas that could be nesting places for rodents,- rock piles, trash, excess firewood areas-; avoid picking up or touching animals (sick, dead or alive) and patients that might have been exposed to it and use universal precautions such as washing hands, etc. Make sure to report any fever, skin or respiratory symptoms early. No vaccine is available.

Preventive measures are aimed at reducing contact as above.

It does not seem like you are in need of prophylactic antibiotics which are given only in the event of exposure to bites of wild rodent fleas during an outbreak or in persons with known exposure to plague such as close contact with another person or animal/ body fluids or tissues with suspected plague.

Duration of post-exposure prophylaxis to prevent plague is 7 days. You can drop by the health unit and take some doxycycline with you for this purpose – just in case-. The dose would be 100 mg twice a day in case that you become exposed during your trip.

HU: Please prepare 70 pills for this group of 10 people

Perhaps our CDC colleagues have further recommendations,

Best regards

(b)(6) MD RMO

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Thanks for sending the latest. We had been in touch with MED earlier, but that was when it was just the two Beijing cases.

Copying (b)(6) in CONS who saw a People's Daily article this morning (that has since been taken down) reporting 20+ plague cases. Have any of you heard more on this?

As the crow flies, Hohhot and Baotou are actually farther from the area where these cases originated than Beijing is, but we of course want to be on the safe side if there are any concerns with us traveling to Inner Mongolia tomorrow.

Best,

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Subject: FW: Updated Inner Mongolia Trip Schedule

Hello colleagues. We have a large group of embassy personnel (CONS/POL/ECON) going on a trip to Inner Mongolia tomorrow (Nov 19-21; Hohhot and Bautou). Given the news late last week about the plague cases (articles below), I wanted to ensure to check with you all that there are no serious concerns we should be aware of. My sense is we should feel comfortable going ahead with the trip and just follow common sense precautionary measures (wash hands/anti-bacterial frequently, don't touch any animals, etc.), but I'm not an expert so best to seek your views. Thanks.

Cheers,

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Internal Unit Chief Economic Section U.S. Embassy Beijing

China's Inner Mongolia reports fresh bubonic plague case ...

https://www.reuters.com > article > us-china-health-plague > chinas-inner-...

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China's Inner Mongolia reported a fresh, confirmed case of bubonic plague on Sunday, despite an earlier ... November 17, 2019 / 12:39 AM / in 9 hours ...

3rd plague case diagnosed in Inner Mongolia - Chinadaily ...

www.chinadaily.com.cn > cndy > 2019-11 > content 37523659

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A patient in the **Inner Mongolia** autonomous region has been diagnosed with bubonic **plague** after eating wild rabbit meat, triggering the ... By Wang Xiaoyu in Beijing and Yuan Hui in Hohhot | China Daily | Updated: **2019**-11-18 07:34.

One bubonic plague case confirmed in Inner Mongolia ...

https://www.chinadaily.com.cn > 201911

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chinadaily.com.cn | Updated: **2019**-11-17 14:37. One bubonic **plague** case has been confirmed in North China's **Inner Mongolia** autonomous region, unrelated ...

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Jamie,

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This is great information to have. Thanks!

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I still haven't been able to reach CDC or ESTH but will add them into an email chain with all of you so they can chime in as needed.

Best, (b)(6)

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Subject: RE: Rumored SARS Outbreak in Wuhan

All,

A small update: A Hong Kong media source (东网of Sun Group) picked up the story with a 6 second clip included here: <u>https://hk.on.cc/hk/bkn/cnt/cnnews/20191231/bkn-20191231100127476-</u> 1231 00952 001.html. Here's an excerpt:

An emergency notice allegedly issued by the Wuhan Municipal Government of Hubei was circulated on Weibo on Monday (30th), stating that many people in the South China seafood market in the city had unexplained pneumonia, and all departments should respond to this and organize cases... Relevant departments in Hubei Province immediately released news that the Wuhan Municipal Government found 27 cases of viral pneumonia this month, all of whom were diagnosed with viral pneumonia or lung infection. Seven of them were critically ill. We got a copy of that notice that stated the National Committee on Sanitization and Health Committee (卫健委) was sent from Beijing to monitor the situation.

Thank you(b)(6 and	(b)(6)	for the help.
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Thanks, (b)(6) Please continue to keep us in the loop.
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Hello $^{(b)(6)}$ and $(b)(6)$
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 A meat market near the consulate was closed down without a stated reason but this is where the outbreak was rumored to be and the area is being thoroughly disinfected. A large public New Year's celebration was canceled without a stated reason.
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I will keep you posted with any further information.

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Yes, I clear if that is what they want to send.

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Hi(b)(6)

Please see the message below, would you clear on us sending this to the American community?

Thanks, (b)(6)

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I still haven't been able to reach CDC or ESTH but will add them into an email chain with all of you so they can chime in as needed.

Best, (b)(6)

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Hope you had a nice new year's,

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Thank you – we'll keep a close eye on this and will be prepared to send out any MASCOT messages.

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1. (SBU) **Summary**: Following media reports of 27 patients infected with a respiratory illness in Wuhan (reftel):

- • * Hong Kong's Hospital Authority notified the Hong Kong government (HKG) that it treated three patients, recently returned from Wuhan, for an unspecified respiratory illness. All three patients are recovering, and two have been discharged from hospitals.
- • * Hong Kong Health Secretary Sophia Chan said in a January 2 news briefing that the three Hong Kong patients are not linked to the illnesses reported in Wuhan.
- • * The HKG announced it will provide daily updates to the public on possible cases and has begun implementing precautionary measures.

Comment: Hong Kong's traumatic experience with SARS in 2003, a disease that infected more than 1,700 people and resulted in nearly 300 deaths, has made the city especially vigilant and cautious about potential public health challenges. The HKG's quick response and proactive communications strategy show the city's concern about the potential for another epidemic, particularly after more than a half year of social unrest and a sharp economic downturn. **End Summary and Comment**.

No Links Between Hong Kong and Wuhan Cases

2. (SBU) On January 2, local media reported that three Hongkongers recently returned from trips to Wuhan were hospitalized with symptoms of a respiratory illness. Sophia Chan, who leads Hong Kong's Food and Health Bureau, assured the public in a January 2 news conference that the three cases were not linked to the illnesses in Wuhan, noting the Hong Kong patients had not visited the seafood market identified as a potential source of the Wuhan outbreak. The Department of Health, which Chan oversees, said testing by the Public Health Laboratory Services Branch for the first Hong Kong patient reported in the news, a female hospitalized in Tuen Mun, ruled out SARS, influenza, and avian influenza.

Hong Kong Patients Recovering

3. (SBU) Dr. Lawrence Chan of the Department of Health's Center for Health Protection confirmed to EconOff that the three Hong Kong patients were recovering from symptoms including fevers and coughing. Two of the three, he added, have been discharged from the hospital. He explained that the illnesses in Hong Kong were most likely caused by a viral infection, and it appeared that anti-viral medication could be an effective remedy. Dr. Chan expected additional laboratory results to be available next week and offered to share more information at that time.

Quarantine Measures in Place

4. (SBU) The HKG convened an inter-departmental meeting on January 2 to bolster public confidence in the HKG response, and to prepare for any possible epidemic. Following the meeting, the HKG announced that its hospitals will quarantine any patient presenting a respiratory illness who reports having traveled to Wuhan within 14 days of the onset of the illness. The HKG told relevant departments, including the Food and Health Bureau, the

Education Bureau, the Transport and Housing Bureau, and the Security Bureau to increase monitoring and report suspected illnesses, and to strengthen hygiene measures.

Increased Surveillance and Detection Measures at Hong Kong's Borders

5. (SBU) Hong Kong's Center for Health Protection monitors all of Hong Kong's boundary control points. Since the announcement of the Wuhan illnesses, the HKG has installed additional thermal imaging systems at Hong Kong International Airport to check the internal body temperatures of arriving passengers, and increased monitoring at land checkpoints. Media reported Macau's health authorities are monitoring the internal body temperatures of passengers on flights from Wuhan.

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I must have just missed your call. I am in the office if you would like to call back. In the meantime, here is the information that was sent regarding bubonic plague per your request.

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Thanks^{(b)(6)} The only thing I would add is additional information regarding prophylaxis for person-toperson exposure. CDC would recommend antibiotic prophylaxis for persons with close, unprotected contact (within 2 meters) of patients with pneumonia (typically doxycycline for 7 days). Note that patients who DO transmit pneumonic plague are typically very ill with bloody sputum and near death. It doesn't sound like this type of exposure is expected for this trip.

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The risk of plague to travelers is largely restricted to rural endemic areas.

We know there is plague in inner Mongolia, but it seems your trip will not take you to rural places, you will stay at the Shangri La Hotel, etc.

Minimize exposure to rodents, rodent fleas, ground squirrels, prairie dogs, gophers, wild rabbits, animal skins/hides; avoid areas that could be nesting places for rodents,- rock piles, trash, excess firewood areas-; avoid picking up or touching animals (sick, dead or alive) and patients that might have been exposed to it and use universal precautions such as washing hands, etc. Make sure to report any fever, skin or respiratory symptoms early. No vaccine is available.

Preventive measures are aimed at reducing contact as above.

It does not seem like you are in need of prophylactic antibiotics which are given only in the event of exposure to bites of wild rodent fleas during an outbreak or in persons with known exposure to plague such as close contact with another person or animal/ body fluids or tissues with suspected plague.

Duration of post-exposure prophylaxis to prevent plague is 7 days. You can drop by the health unit and take some doxycycline with you for this purpose – just in case-. The dose would be 100 mg twice a day in case that you become exposed during your trip.

HU: Please prepare 70 pills for this group of 10 people

Perhaps our CDC colleagues have further recommendations,

Best regards

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Thanks for sending the latest. We had been in touch with MED earlier, but that was when it was just the two Beijing cases.

Copying(b)(6) in CONS who saw a People's Daily article this morning (that has since been taken down) reporting 20+ plague cases. Have any of you heard more on this?

As the crow flies, Hohhot and Baotou are actually farther from the area where these cases originated than Beijing is, but we of course want to be on the safe side if there are any concerns with us traveling to Inner Mongolia tomorrow.

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Hello colleagues. We have a large group of embassy personnel (CONS/POL/ECON) going on a trip to Inner Mongolia tomorrow (Nov 19-21; Hohhot and Bautou). Given the news late last week about the

plague cases (articles below), I wanted to ensure to check with you all that there are no serious concerns we should be aware of. My sense is we should feel comfortable going ahead with the trip and just follow common sense precautionary measures (wash hands/anti-bacterial frequently, don't touch any animals, etc.), but I'm not an expert so best to seek your views. Thanks.

Cheers,

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(b)(6) Internal Unit Chief Economic Section U.S. Embassy Beijing

China's Inner Mongolia reports fresh bubonic plague case ...

https://www.reuters.com > article > us-china-health-plague > chinas-inner-...

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China's Inner Mongolia reported a fresh, confirmed case of bubonic plague on Sunday, despite an earlier ... November 17, 2019 / 12:39 AM / in 9 hours ...

3rd plague case diagnosed in Inner Mongolia - Chinadaily ...

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A patient in the **Inner Mongolia** autonomous region has been diagnosed with bubonic **plague** after eating wild rabbit meat, triggering the ... By Wang Xiaoyu in Beijing and Yuan Hui in Hohhot | China Daily | Updated: **2019-**11-18 07:34.

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Subject: RE: Possible SAI	RS Outbreak in Wuhan

I must have just missed your call. I am in the office if you would like to call back. In the meantime, here is the information that was sent regarding bubonic plague per your request.

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Subject: RE: Updated Inner Mongolia Trip Schedule

Thanks^{(b)(6)} The only thing I would add is additional information regarding prophylaxis for person-toperson exposure. CDC would recommend antibiotic prophylaxis for persons with close, unprotected contact (within 2 meters) of patients with pneumonia (typically doxycycline for 7 days). Note that patients who DO transmit pneumonic plague are typically very ill with bloody sputum and near death. It doesn't sound like this type of exposure is expected for this trip.

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The risk of plague to travelers is largely restricted to rural endemic areas.

We know there is plague in inner Mongolia, but it seems your trip will not take you to rural places, you will stay at the Shangri La Hotel, etc.

Minimize exposure to rodents, rodent fleas, ground squirrels, prairie dogs, gophers, wild rabbits, animal skins/hides; avoid areas that could be nesting places for rodents,- rock piles, trash, excess firewood areas-; avoid picking up or touching animals (sick, dead or alive) and

patients that might have been exposed to it and use universal precautions such as washing hands, etc. Make sure to report any fever, skin or respiratory symptoms early. No vaccine is available.

Preventive measures are aimed at reducing contact as above.

It does not seem like you are in need of prophylactic antibiotics which are given only in the event of exposure to bites of wild rodent fleas during an outbreak or in persons with known exposure to plague such as close contact with another person or animal/ body fluids or tissues with suspected plague.

Duration of post-exposure prophylaxis to prevent plague is 7 days. You can drop by the health unit and take some doxycycline with you for this purpose – just in case-. The dose would be 100 mg twice a day in case that you become exposed during your trip.

HU: Please prepare 70 pills for this group of 10 people

Perhaps our CDC colleagues have further recommendations,

Best regards

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Thanks for sending the latest. We had been in touch with MED earlier, but that was when it was just the two Beijing cases.

Copying (b)(6) in CONS who saw a People's Daily article this morning (that has since been taken down) reporting 20+ plague cases. Have any of you heard more on this?

As the crow flies, Hohhot and Baotou are actually farther from the area where these cases originated than Beijing is, but we of course want to be on the safe side if there are any concerns with us traveling to Inner Mongolia tomorrow.

Best,	
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Hello colleagues. We have a large group of embassy personnel (CONS/POL/ECON) going on a trip to Inner Mongolia tomorrow (Nov 19-21; Hohhot and Bautou). Given the news late last week about the plague cases (articles below), I wanted to ensure to check with you all that there are no serious concerns we should be aware of. My sense is we should feel comfortable going ahead with the trip and just follow common sense precautionary measures (wash hands/anti-bacterial frequently, don't touch any animals, etc.), but I'm not an expert so best to seek your views. Thanks.

Cheers,	
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Internal Unit Chief Economic Section U.S. Embassy Beijing

China's Inner Mongolia reports fresh bubonic plague case ...

https://www.reuters.com > article > us-china-health-plague > chinas-inner-...

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China's Inner Mongolia reported a fresh, confirmed case of bubonic plague on Sunday, despite an earlier ... November 17, 2019 / 12:39 AM / in 9 hours ...

3rd plague case diagnosed in Inner Mongolia - Chinadaily ...

www.chinadaily.com.cn > cndy > 2019-11 > content 37523659

A patient in the **Inner Mongolia** autonomous region has been diagnosed with bubonic **plague** after eating wild rabbit meat, triggering the ... By Wang Xiaoyu in Beijing and Yuan Hui in Hohhot | China Daily | Updated: **2019**-11-18 07:34.

One bubonic plague case confirmed in Inner Mongolia ...

https://www.chinadaily.com.cn > 201911

1. chinadaily.com.cn | Updated: 2019-11-17 14:37. One bubonic plague case has been confirmed in North China's Inner Mongolia autonomous region, unrelated ...

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Subject:	RE: Rumored Highly Transmissible Pneumonia Outbreak in Wuhan
Date:	Tue, 31 Dec 2019 06:25:07 +0000

Understood.

Regards,

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I will keep you posted with any further information.

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Public Affairs Officer 新闻文化领事 U.S. Consulate General – Wuhan 美国驻武汉总领事馆

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Date:	Tue, 31 Dec 2019 07:33:06 +0000

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Reach out if you need anything, call if you need a urgent response as I will leave the office soon.

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 To(b)(6)
 (Beijing)

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Yes, I clear if that is what they want to send.

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Subject: FW: Rumored Highly Transmissible Pneumonia Outbreak in Wuhan Importance: High

Hi (b)(6)

Please see the message below, would you clear on us sending this to the American community?

Thanks, (b)(6)

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Consular Chief

U.S. Consulate General Wuhan, China

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I am waiting for Jewell to call me back, would you like me to send this to her for clearance or would you like Frank to clear first?

Thanks, (b)(6

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Consular Chief

U.S. Consulate General Wuhan, China

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Jamie,

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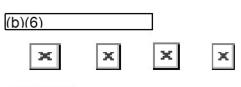
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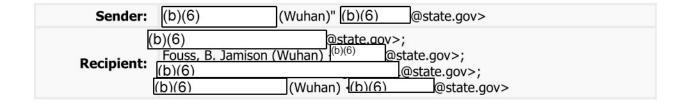
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Our local doctor helped me translate the official report, and I have touched base with (b)(6)from our CDC office here in Beijing so we are on the same page (b)(5)

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There have been 27 patients diagnosed with an unknown pneumonia in Wuhan, all requiring medical institutions to track and monitor. The expert group of the national health and Health commission has arrived to Wuhan and is carrying out relevant inspection and verification work and are conducting testing for SARS and other respiratory pathogens. It appears that most cases have been founded in the same place-Huanan Seafood market. Although there are rumors spreading that this is SARS, there has been no confirmation by an official source. With flu season, viral pneumonia is very likely to be the cause in addition to other respiratory pathogens. Please remember to follow universal precautions for staying healthy and preventing the spread of illness:

Wash your hands with soap and water thoroughly - for 15 seconds - and often, especially before and after preparing foods and before eating. Use an alcohol-based hand sanitizer only if soap and water are not available.

Cover your nose and mouth with a tissue when you cough or sneeze and avoid touching your face, especially your eyes, nose and mouth.

- Clean frequently-used surfaces (such as doorknobs) with a virus-killing disinfectant.
- Thoroughly cook all poultry and poultry products, including eggs.
- Avoid contact with sick animals and do not go to live animal markets or farms.

If there are any concerns please contact Beijing Medical Unit 8531-4777 during business hours and 186-1031-1101 after hours.

(b)(6) does this look good to you, anything to add or change?

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I must have just missed your call. I am in the office if you would like to call back. In the meantime, here is the information that was sent regarding bubonic plague per your request.

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Subject: RE: Updated Inner Mongolia Trip Schedule

Thanks .(b)(6) The only thing I would add is additional information regarding prophylaxis for person-toperson exposure. CDC would recommend antibiotic prophylaxis for persons with close, unprotected contact (within 2 meters) of patients with pneumonia (typically doxycycline for 7 days). Note that patients who DO transmit pneumonic plague are typically very ill with bloody sputum and near death. It doesn't sound like this type of exposure is expected for this trip.

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The risk of plague to travelers is largely restricted to rural endemic areas.

We know there is plague in inner Mongolia, but it seems your trip will not take you to rural places, you will stay at the Shangri La Hotel, etc.

Minimize exposure to rodents, rodent fleas, ground squirrels, prairie dogs, gophers, wild rabbits, animal skins/hides; avoid areas that could be nesting places for rodents,- rock piles, trash, excess firewood areas-; avoid picking up or touching animals (sick, dead or alive) and patients that might have been exposed to it and use universal precautions such as washing hands, etc. Make sure to report any fever, skin or respiratory symptoms early. No vaccine is available.

Preventive measures are aimed at reducing contact as above.

It does not seem like you are in need of prophylactic antibiotics which are given only in the event of exposure to bites of wild rodent fleas during an outbreak or in persons with known exposure to plague such as close contact with another person or animal/ body fluids or tissues with suspected plague.

Duration of post-exposure prophylaxis to prevent plague is 7 days. You can drop by the health unit and take some doxycycline with you for this purpose – just in case-. The dose would be 100 mg twice a day in case that you become exposed during your trip.

HU: Please prepare 70 pills for this group of 10 people

Perhaps our CDC colleagues have further recommendations,

Best regards

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Thanks for sending the latest. We had been in touch with MED earlier, but that was when it was just the two Beijing cases.

Copying (b)(6) in CONS who saw a People's Daily article this morning (that has since been taken down) reporting 20+ plague cases. Have any of you heard more on this?

As the crow flies, Hohhot and Baotou are actually farther from the area where these cases originated than Beijing is, but we of course want to be on the safe side if there are any concerns with us traveling to Inner Mongolia tomorrow.

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Hello colleagues. We have a large group of embassy personnel (CONS/POL/ECON) going on a trip to Inner Mongolia tomorrow (Nov 19-21; Hohhot and Bautou). Given the news late last week about the plague cases (articles below), I wanted to ensure to check with you all that there are no serious concerns we should be aware of. My sense is we should feel comfortable going ahead with the trip and just follow common sense precautionary measures (wash hands/anti-bacterial frequently, don't touch any animals, etc.), but I'm not an expert so best to seek your views. Thanks.

Cheers, (b)(6)

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China's Inner Mongolia reports fresh bubonic plague case ...

https://www.reuters.com > article > us-china-health-plague > chinas-inner-...

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China's Inner Mongolia reported a fresh, confirmed case of bubonic plague on Sunday, despite an earlier ... November 17, 2019 / 12:39 AM / in 9 hours ...

3rd plague case diagnosed in Inner Mongolia - Chinadaily ...

www.chinadaily.com.cn > cndy > 2019-11 > content 37523659

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A patient in the **Inner Mongolia** autonomous region has been diagnosed with bubonic **plague** after eating wild rabbit meat, triggering the ... By Wang Xiaoyu in Beijing and Yuan Hui in Hohhot | China Daily | Updated: **2019**-11-18 07:34.

One bubonic plague case confirmed in Inner Mongolia ...

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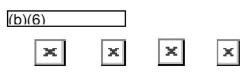
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Jamie,

I will first say that a message has just came in from Wuhan Municipal Health Commission and it seems to say that it is controllable and curable.

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- (SBU) The Consul General (CG) convened the Wuhan Emergency Action Committee (EAC) on 31 December 2019 to discuss a rumored outbreak of a respiratory illness in Wuhan. In attendance were CG, MGT, RSO, CONS, and PAO.
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- 3. (SBU) Post conferred with Beijing MED and CDC prior to convening the EAC meeting. During the meeting, the EAC agreed that absent any official confirmation of a health emergency, no changes to post procedures were warranted. The EAC determined that an Alert message to American citizens was not warranted, but agreed to re-evaluate messaging options in the event of any significant developments confirmed by official sources.
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- 5. (SBU) The EAC will monitor the situation and reconvene as necessary.

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