TORONTO Public Health APPENDIX A – INITIAL RESPIRATORY OUTBREAK NOTIFICATION FORM

Outbreak Number:	Facility Name:				Ministry Master #:	Date Checklist Initiated:	
3895 – 20							
Street #:	Street Name:					Postal Code:	
Type of Facility:							
☐ Acute Care ☐ Complex Continuing Care ☐ Long-Term Care ☐ Retirement Home							
TPH Contact Name: Phone #				Facility Contact Name:	Phone #		
() Name of Medical Director / Most Responsible Physician:					()		
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Outbreak description							
		Res/Pts	Staff	Symptoms:			
Total # in institution		,		☐ Abnormal tem	р 🗆 М	alaise	
Total # in affected area				☐ Appetite loss	•	yalgia	
Total # of cases				☐ Chills		isal Congestion	
# Cases admitted to hospital				☐ Coryza		re throat/hoarse	
# Cases with pneumonia (CXR confirm)				☐ Cough		ther (specify):	
				☐ Headache	200	ner (speeny).	
# Deaths among cases Outbreak Area:				nset date of index case:			
				Offset date of fildex case.			
Preliminary case definition							
Laboratory results and collection of laboratory specimens							
Causative agent(s) identified:			If YES,	If YES, provide details of lab result(s):			
☐ YES ☐ NO ☐ PENDING							
Initial # of specimens submitted:			Test type(s) requested:				
(max 4 per outbreak)			□ NP □ Urine □ Serology □ Other:				
Schedule OMT date (ensure TPH liaison is invited):							
Date: Time:				Location:			
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☐ OMT meeting date to be scheduled at a later time							
OWN INCCURS date to be scheduled at a later time							
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IMPLEMENT INITIAL GENERAL OUTBREAK CONTROL MEASURES:							
□ Enhance hand hygiene — Wash hands with soap and water if visibly soiled or use an alcohol-based hand rub in							
accordance with the 4 moments of hand hygiene.							
□ Use personal protective equipment (PPE) – Use Droplet and Contact Precautions PPE as per PIDAC's Routine							
Practices and Additional Precautions document (Appendix I and J, according to setting). Cohort – Avoid resident/patient and staff interaction between affected and unaffected areas.							
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 Outbreak notification signs – Post at all entrances to the outbreak affected areas to advise that the area(s) is experiencing an outbreak. Record the date the sign was posted on the sign. 							
Limit visitation and ensure visitors leave the facility immediately after visiting – Provide visitors with the TPH fact							
sheet "Controlling Outbreaks in Healthcare Facilities: What Visitors Need to Know".							
□ Enhanced cleaning and disinfection of environment and non-critical patient care items − Focus on high traffic areas (e.g., door knobs, washrooms, handrails, elevator buttons, computer keyboards, tables, etc.). A broad spectrum							
virucidal disinfectant with a DIN is recommended to ensure all viruses are killed. Ensure correct concentration and							
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contact time is followed based on the manufacturer's instructions.