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TO: Fire Management Board Members

FROM: Leon Ben Jr., Chair, Fire Management Board (FMB)

SUBJECT: Hazard Assessment and Prevention Toolkit for Coronavirus Disease (COVID-19)

The purpose of this memo is to provide a template for Line Officers, Agency Administrators, Incident Management Teams (IMTs), and Fire Managers with a tool to assess current infection control, testing, and workplace procedures relating to the Coronavirus Disease 2019 (COVID-19).

This guidance is intended to assist the wildland fire community when a case of COVID 19 is identified that impacts a fire environment. The toolkit is not a one-size fits all and should be modified accordingly.

Public health direction is continually evolving. The FMB and MPHAT will continue to update guidance for the fire community in line with Centers for Disease Control (CDC) direction and as more information becomes available.

This document and other FMB and MPHAT resources will remain updated and can be accessed through: https://www.nwcg.gov/partners/fmb/hazard-assessment-prevention-toolkit

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