GenIC No.:	2015012-XXX					
EPI AID No. (if applicable):						
Requesting entity (e.g., jurisdiction):	Indiana Department of Health					
Title of Investigation:		actor and mode of transmission for HIV infection among persons vainkiller—Indiana, 2015				
Purpose of Investigation: (Use as much space as necessary)						
	The specific objectiv	ves of this investigation included:				
	• •	n-risk behaviors of PWID to understand drug use practices, sexual ad other potential pathways of HIV and HCV transmission in this				
	2. Understand t programs	the facilitators and barriers to accessing treatment and prevention				
	The findings from this investigation will directly contribute to control of the ongoin HIV outbreak in Scott County by collecting the necessary data i) to inform recommendations to reduce new HIV infections and ii) to increase demand for and uptake of prevention services. Findings will be summarized and disseminated in a tomanner to key public health response partners, including ISDH, Scott County Department of Health, and local health care providers.					
Duration of Data Collection:	5 days					
Date Began:	08/31/2015					
Date Ended:	09/04/2015					
Lead Investigator						
Name:	Dita Broz, PhD, MPH					
CIO/Division/Branch:	CDC/NCHHSTP/DI					
C10/Division/Dianen.	CDC/NCHHOTH /DI	IIAI /BCSB				
Complete the following for <u>ea</u> Data Collection Instrument 1	<u>ch</u> instrument used d	during the investigation.				
Name of Data Collection Instr	ument: HIV Risk Fa	Factors Interview Guide				
Type of Respondent						
☐ General public	Healthcare staff	☐ Laboratory staff ☐ Patients ☐ Restaurant staff				
Other (describe):						
_						
Data Collection Methods (chec	k all that apply)					
Epidemiologic Study (	indicate which type(s)	) below)				
☐ Descriptive Stud	dy (describe):	A qualitative investigation design was utilized to collect in-depth				
		information on key risk factors contributing to this rural HIV				
	outbreak, to inform current public health interventions, including					
	the syringe service program and treatment of HIV and substance					
	0, 1 /1 21 )	use disorder.				
<u> </u>	Study (describe):					
Cohort Study (d						
Case-Control St						
Other (describe)	Other (describe):					

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Environmental Assessment (describe):	
Laboratory Testing (describe):	
Other (describe):	
Data Collection Mode (check all that apply)	
Survey Mode (indicate which mode(s) bel	ow):
Face-to-face Interview (describe):	Face-to-face interviews using a semi-structured, open-ended interview guide (see Appendix 1) were conducted to collect information about risk behaviors, utilization of preventive and health care services and any emerging topics not yet identified through the ongoing outbreak investigation efforts.
☐ Telephone Interview (describe):	
Self-administered Paper-and-Penci Questionnaire (describe):	
Self-administered Internet Questionnaire (describe):	
Other (describe):	
Medical Record Abstraction (describe):	
Biological Specimen Sample	
☐ Environmental Sample	
Other (describe):	
Response Rate (if applicable)	
Total No. Responded (A):	25
	31
Response Rate (A/B):	81%

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Burden Table (insert rows for additional respondent types if needed)

		No.	No. Responses	Burden per	Total Burden
Data Collection Instrument	Type of	Respondents	per Respondent	Response in	in Hours
Name	Respondent	(A)	(B)	Minutes (C)	(A x B x C)/60*
HIV Risk Factors Interview	General	25	1	90	37.5
Guide	Public				

Return completed form and a blank copy of each final data collection instrument within 5 business days of data collection completion to the EEI Information Collection Request Liaison, Danice Eaton (<a href="mailto:dhe0@cdc.gov">dhe0@cdc.gov</a>).

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GenIC No.:	2016003-XXX				
EPI AID No. (if applicable):	2016-005				
Requesting entity (e.g., jurisdiction):	Illinois Department o	f Public Health			
Title of Investigation:		Undetermined source, mode of transmission, and risk factors for an Outbreak of Group A Streptococcus among residents of a long term care facility —Illinois, 2015			
Purpose of Investigation: (Use as much space as necessary)	The Illinois Departm cases in a long term of February, 2015 and retime. There were 12 is measures implemented treatment, invasive graph Department of Health 1. To evaluate the outbreak, include staff.  2. To assess curenhanced con 3. To identify of include, perform assessing Ground in the staff.	ent of Public Health identer facility in Sangamon resulted in 69 group A street invasive cases in residents and by the facility, screening roup A streptococcal infect in requested assistance with the causes and extent of the luding risk factors for carrier infection control practical to halt further spread ther measures and actions forming additional screening additional screening at the protect facility of the protect facility and the protec	tified a cluster of County, Illinois. The prococcal positive is with 4 deaths. Dear and important of the following objections continue to the engoing Group Ariage and infection and infection of Group A Strep is to control the outing for Group A Straps are incidence in the	Group A Streptococcus hese infections began in e individuals since that espite infection control plementation of mass occur. The Illinois jectives: A Streptococcus in among residents and recommendations for tococcus in the facility. break which may reptococcal carriage, e community, and	
Duration of Data Collection:	14 days				
Date Began:	11/5/2015				
C					
Date Ended:	11/18/2015				
Lead Investigator					
Name:	Katherine Fleming-D	utra			
CIO/Division/Branch:	NCIRD/DBD/RDB				
Complete the following for <u>ea</u> Data Collection Instrument 1	<u>ch</u> instrument used d	uring the investigation.			
Name of Data Collection Instri	ument: Employee Su	urvey			
Type of Respondent					
General public	Healthcare staff	Laboratory staff	Patients	Restaurant staff	
Other (describe):	Treatmente starr		Tatients	Restaurant starr	
Other (describe).					
Data Collection Methods (check  Epidemiologic Study (i  Descriptive Study	indicate which type(s)	Staff working at the facil characteristics, work practices,	ctices, patient cont	tact and specific signs	
Cross-sectional Cohort Study (d Case-Control St Other (describe) Environmental Assessn	udy (describe):	and symptoms of group A months to understand the A streptococcal disease a	eir potential role in		

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Laboratory Testing (describe):	
Other (describe):	
Data Collection Mode (check all that apply)	
Survey Mode (indicate which mode(s) be	elow):
☐ Face-to-face Interview (describe)	
Telephone Interview (describe):	
Self-administered Paper-and-Pend Questionnaire (describe):	A questionnaire was provided to the staff at the facility for completion.
Self-administered Internet Questionnaire (describe):	
Other (describe):	
☐ Medical Record Abstraction (describe):	
☐ Biological Specimen Sample	
☐ Environmental Sample	
Other (describe):	
Response Rate (if applicable)	
Total No. Responded (A):	166
Total No. Sampled/Eligible to Respond (B):	206
Response Rate (A/B):	80.58%
Data Collection Instrument 2	
Name of Data Collection Instrument: Resident	record extraction form
Type of Respondent	record extraction form
General public Healthcare sta	aff Laboratory staff Patients Restaurant staff
Other (describe): Federal staff	
Data Collection Methods (check all that apply)	
Epidemiologic Study (indicate which typ	be(s) below)
Descriptive Study (describe):	
Cross-sectional Study (describe):	
Cohort Study (describe):	
Case-Control Study (describe):	Matched case control study to evaluate various risk factors for group A streptococcal disease among the residents of the facility
Other (describe):	group A streptococcar disease among the residents of the facility
Environmental Assessment (describe):	
Laboratory Testing (describe):	
Other (describe):	
Other (describe).	
Data Collection Mode (check all that apply)	
Survey Mode (indicate which mode(s) be	alow).
	ciow).
☐ Face-to-face Interview (describe)	
☐ Face-to-face Interview (describe) ☐ Telephone Interview (describe):	

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Self-administered Internet Questionnaire (describe):	
Other (describe):	
u	Medical records abstracted for history of group A streptococcal disease, underlying medical conditions, procedures, devices or other activities hat could be considered as risk factors.
☐ Biological Specimen Sample	
Environmental Sample	
_ ` ′	Facility records examined for admission and room history of the cases and controls
Response Rate (if applicable)	
Total No. Responded (A):	NA
Total No. Sampled/Eligible to Respond (B):	NA
Response Rate (A/B):	NA

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Burden Table (insert rows for additional respondent types if needed)

		No.	No. Responses	Burden per	Total Burden
Data Collection Instrument	Type of	Respondents	per Respondent	Response in	in Hours
Name	Respondent	(A)	(B)	Minutes (C)	(A x B x C)/60*
GAS Employee Survey	Employees of	166	1	15	42
	the long term				
	care facility				
GAS Resident Record	Federal staff	4	8	0	0
Extraction Form					

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2016004-XXXX

EPI AID No. (if applicable):

2016-006

Requesting entity (e.g.,

Missouri Department of Health and Senior Services

jurisdiction):

Dr. George Turabelidze, State Epidemiologist

Title of Investigation:

Undetermined Source of an outbreak of Legionnaires' Disease among Hotel A Visitors Hannibal, MO 2015.

Purpose of Investigation: (Use as much space as necessary)

On June 29 2015, CDC detected within their travel surveillance system two initial laboratory-confirmed cases of legionellosis (onsets of illness March 7, 2015 and June 7, 2015). Questioning revealed that both individuals reported staying in Hotel A within their incubation period. An additional case of legionellosis then was reported; this individual also reported staying at Hotel A and had an onset of illness of October 12, 2015. The third patient died from his illness. At the time of the request, the source of this outbreak remained unknown. Upon the identification of two initial cases, an environmental assessment was completed without any sampling. With the third case, the whirlpool spa was disinfected and five environmental samples were collected. All environmental samples are negative to date. Autopsy of lung tissue from deceased case demonstrated Legionella pneumophila serogroup 1 growth on culture. Sequence-based type testing is pending. Given heightened concern regarding the undetermined source of transmission and need for environmental capacity building within local and state health departments, the Missouri Department of Health requested CDC's assistance with an investigation to identify prevention and control measures.

The objectives were:

- Assist in the environmental assessment of the risk of Legionnaires' disease at 1) Hotel A
- Develop and implement plans for additional environmental sampling and remediation to control the outbreak
- Educate and train local and state epidemiologists and environmental public health staff on how to conduct environmental assessments and environmental sampling techniques for Legionnaires' disease control and prevention
- Educate hotel staff and building management on epidemiology, disease transmission, and prevention.

The Epi-Aid involved training and educating of local and health department staff on Legionella epidemiology, environmental assessment and environmental sampling techniques. Furthermore, face-to-face discussions with building management and maintenance regarding hotel hot water system design, whirlpool spa, swimming pool, and cooling tower maintenance. An environmental assessment form was used by state and local health department staff to determine environmental risk factors within the hotel facility (Appendix 1). Once risk sites were identified, water sampling was conducted and environmental samples will be recorded on data sample sheet (Appendix 2).

Duration of Data Collection:

1 day

Date Began: Date Ended: 11/10/2015 11/10/2015

Lead Investigator

Laura Cooley

Name:

Medical Epidemiologist

CIO/Division/Branch:

CDC/NCIRD/DBD/RDB

### Complete the following for each instrument used during the investigation.

#### **Data Collection Instrument 1**

Name of Data Collection Instrument: Legionella Environmental Assessment Form

Type of Respondent

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General public Healthcare staff	Laboratory staff	Patients [	Restaurant staff
Other (describe): State and Local Health Dep	artments and building manag	gement & mainte	enance staff
Data Collection Methods (check all that apply)			
Epidemiologic Study (indicate which type(s) b	elow)		
Descriptive Study (describe):			
Cross-sectional Study (describe):			
Cohort Study (describe):			
Case-Control Study (describe):			
Other (describe):			
X Environmental Assessment (describe): 1)	Assisted in the environmen	ntal assessment	of the risk of
	nnaires' disease at Hotel A	ad mlama fan add	li4i a.m.a1
2) enviro	Developed and implement namental sampling and remed		
Laboratory Testing (describe):	innentar sampring and remed	mation to contro	T the outbreak
Other (describe):			
Data Collection Mode (check all that apply)			
Survey Mode (indicate which mode(s) below):			
X Face-to-face Interview (describe):	Ve spoke to building manage	ment and maint	enance staff regarding
	esign of potable hot water sy		cooling tower,
<del></del>	hirlpool spa, and pool (Appe	endix 1).	
Telephone Interview (describe):			
Self-administered Paper-and-Pencil Questionnaire (describe):			
Self-administered Internet			
Questionnaire (describe):			
Other (describe):			
Medical Record Abstraction (describe):			
Biological Specimen Sample			
Environmental Sample			
Other (describe):			
Response Rate (if applicable)			
Total No. Responded (A):			
Total No. Sampled/Eligible to Respond (B): 6			
Response Rate (A/B):	6		
Data Collection Instrument 2			
Name of Data Collection Instrument: Sample Data S	heet		
Type of Respondent	neet		
	□ I about any staff □	Datiants [	Destaurant staff
	Laboratory staff	Patients _	Restaurant staff
X Other (describe): Local and State health depart	rtments involved in investiga	шоп	
Data Collection Methods (check all that apply)			
_	alaw)		
Epidemiologic Study (indicate which type(s) b	ciow)		

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Descriptive Study (describe):	
Cross-sectional Study (describe):	
Cohort Study (describe):	
Case-Control Study (describe):	
Other (describe):	
Environmental Assessment (describe):	
X Laboratory Testing (describe):	Environmental samples sent to CDC lab for identification of
11 2 10 01 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1	Legionella by culture or PCR.
Other (describe):	
Data Collection Mode (check all that apply)	
☐ Survey Mode (indicate which mode(s) b	elow):
Face-to-face Interview (describe)	:
Telephone Interview (describe):	
Self-administered Paper-and-Pen	cil
Questionnaire (describe):	
Self-administered Internet	
Questionnaire (describe):	
Other (describe):	
☐ Medical Record Abstraction (describe):	
☐ Biological Specimen Sample	
X Environmental Sample	Environmental water and swab samples will be collected and recorded
	on data sheet (appendix 2).
Other (describe):	
Response Rate (if applicable)	
Total No. Responded (A):	7
Total No. Sampled/Eligible to Respond (B)	7
Response Rate (A/B):	100%

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Burden Table (insert rows for additional respondent types if needed)

Burden Table (insert rows for a		No.	No. Responses	Burden per	Total Burden
Data Collection Instrument	Type of	Respondents	per Respondent	Response in	in Hours
Name	Respondent	(A)	(B)	Minutes (C)	$(A \times B \times C)/60*$
Appendix 1 Legionella	State and	6	1	120	12
Environmental Assessment	Local Health				
Form	Departments				
	and building				
	management				
	&				
	maintenance				
	staff				
Appendix 2: Sample Data	State and	7	1	180	21
Sheet	Local Health				
	Department				

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