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Be Prepared and Ready for a “Second Wave” of the Coronavirus

Lessons Learned and Tips for Conducting Survey Assessment of Potential Coronavirus disease 2019 Drive-through Sample Collection and Testing Sites.

A Second Wave of Coronavirus Is Likely Inevitable: During a coronavirus disease 2019 (COVID-19) briefing, the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) Director Robert Redfield stated there may likely be a second wave of the coronavirus that would be even “more difficult” than the original. The nature of viruses transform and adapt, leading experts to believe COVID-19 may become a seasonal virus like influenza (“flu”), which raises a question that needs to be answered: Will our communities be prepared and ready to establish Drive-through Sample Collection and Testing Sites Testing sites for a “Second Wave” of the coronavirus? This Poster Session highlights lessons learned from Survey Assessments of COVID-19 Drive-through Testing Sites and provides helpful tips with recommendations for establishing future test site operations. Conducting a thorough Survey Assessment should focus on key components to ensure proper access, security, and operations for sample collection are successful for a Drive-through Test Site operation, which include:

- Clinical operations supplies, including personal protection equipment and testing kits;
- Information technology equipment and infrastructure needs;

- Site setup (e.g., supplies such as tents, office equipment, and printed signs); and
- Much more.

Participants who attend the Poster Session will learn how to conduct a detail Survey Assessment for a potential Coronavirus Drive-through Sample Collection and Testing Sites to ensure their community is prepared and ready for a “Second Wave” of the coronavirus.

Presentation Theme: Lessons Learned & Tips for Conducting Survey Assessment of potential Coronavirus (COVID-19) Drive-through sample collection and Testing sites

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