

RESOLUTION 24-004

January 9, 2024

RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE HEALTH COMMISSIONER TO ADOPT AND APPROVE AGENCY USE OF THE OHIO DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH (ODH) UPDATED INFECTIOUS DISEASE CONTROL MANUAL (IDCM) AS A PROTOCOL FOR ALL REPORTABLE INFECTIOUS DISEASES

**WHEREAS**, Franklin County Public Health (FCPH) is responsible for investigating reportable communicable and infectious diseases within its health jurisdiction;

**WHEREAS**, the IDCM is a project of the Ohio Department of Health State Bureau of Infectious Diseases. It is designed to be a reference for local health departments, hospitals, laboratories, and physicians in providing information about infectious diseases from a public health perspective, including prevention, control and reporting of suspected and diagnosed cases;

**WHEREAS**, this manual is updated at least annually to reflect changes in public health practices and disease prevention and control activities;

**WHEREAS**, the adoption of the updated IDCM by FCPH will be used as protocol for all reportable infectious diseases listed with a table of contents for investigating all infectious diseases; and

**WHEREAS**, the adoption of this policy, aligns with PHAB Accreditation Standard 2.1: Anticipate, prevent, and mitigate health threats through surveillance and investigation of health problems and environmental hazards.

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Now, therefore, upon motion of Board Member \_\_\_\_\_, seconded by Board Member \_\_\_\_\_;

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE FRANKLIN COUNTY BOARD OF HEALTH, BOARD MEMBERS;

1. That the Board of Health authorizes the Health Commissioner to adopt and approve agency use of the Ohio Department of Health (ODH) updated infectious disease control manual (IDCM) as a protocol for all reportable infectious diseases.
2. That this resolution shall be in full force and effect from and immediately upon its adoption.

Voting Aye Thereon:

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Board Members  
Franklin County Board of Health

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