

Leptospirosis - Recommended reading / Leptospirose - Lecture recommandée

Major reference¹ / Référence principale²

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¹ Editor's note: The PHS&CDC section of the SPC will soon provide each PPHSN EpiNet National team with a copy of this publication.

² Note éditoriale: La section SSP&LMT de la CPS fournira très prochainement un exemplaire de cette publication à chacune des équipes de coordination nationale EpiNet.



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