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Subject:ECDC LTT RRA Covid-19 resurgenceAttachments:LTTs - Risk Assessment 2 July\_final.docx

Dear Members of the HSC Communicators' Network,

Further to my email from this morning with the link to ECDC's latest Rapid Risk Assessment on Covid-19 resurgence, please find attached the corresponding ECDC internal LTTs on this updated RRA. Please, as always, keep those internal.

Best regards, On behalf of the HSC Secretariat

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Subject: NEW TIME: NEXT COMNET AUDIO Thursday, 9 July, 11-12 CET

Importance: High

Dear Members of the HSC Communicators' Network,

As we had to cancel our audio yesterday, I am resending you the invitation <u>to a rescheduled</u> <u>audio, to take place on Thursday, 9 July, at 11:00-12:00 CET</u>. To recall, the audio is intended to discuss risk communication regarding the possible COVID-19 resurgence. This is going to be the last audio before the summer break (next one is likely to be in September).

For your information, ECDC has just released a new Rapid Risk Assessment on Covid-19 resurgence, available here: <a href="https://www.ecdc.europa.eu/en/publications-data/rapid-risk-assessment-resurgence-reported-cases-covid-19">https://www.ecdc.europa.eu/en/publications-data/rapid-risk-assessment-resurgence-reported-cases-covid-19</a>.

The suggested agenda for the audio is as follows:

- 1. Opening and introduction (DG SANTE)
- 2. Situation update (ECDC, WHO Europe)
- 3. Discussion on case resurgence/second wave tour de table with Member States
- 4. AOB

In the meanwhile, I invite you to send us in writing any updates on your communication messages regarding the five questions below. Many thanks to those countries that have already responded! I will send a consolidated overview of all replies ahead of our next audio.

- 1. What are you communicating to the public on the possibility of virus resurgence (including reminding about physical distance measures, tracing apps, testing?)? What are the key messages? Please send link, if available
- 2. What are you communicating on vaccination, including flu vaccination in the context of the Covid-19 pandemic?

- 3. Are you communicating about possible case resurgence and its timing, if so, when?
- 4. What risk communication do you have in particular for vulnerable groups both the medically vulnerable (e.g. the older people, the immunocompromised and people with chronic conditions) and the socially vulnerable (e.g. migrants, LGBTQ, the Roma, etc.)?
- 5. Do you have any communication on superspreading events or clusters/hotspots of cases (e.g. meat plants in Germany, mink farms, etc.) and their impacts on the dynamics of the epidemic?

To register for the audio, please use the following link:

Please, register a bit in advance (preferably an hour in advance) to allow for a smooth start of the audio without technical glitches.

Best regards, On behalf of the HSC Secretariat

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