Public Health Response

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Objectives

- Describe public health concerns
- Discuss public health actions
- Name ways in which public health communications are shared
Events of public health concern

- Unusual events
- Similar cases
- Implications for the health of others
Investigation

- Local public health partners
- Relationships with target population
- Information-sharing with the public
Intervention

- Removal of product with partners
- Surveillance for additional cases
- Lessons learned for others
Thank You
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