

SUBJECT: Surveillance of *Candida auris* Colonization
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Pages: 1 plus attached memo from the office of the CMOH
To: Hospitals, Health Care Providers
From: Dr. Matthew Tenenbaum, Associate Medical Officer of Health

The attached memo from the office of the Chief Medical Officer of Ontario advises that:

- **Hospitals consider implementing a *C. auris* screening program, where feasible, to support early identification and contribute to a more comprehensive understanding of *C.auris* in Ontario.**
- **Health Care Providers implement appropriate IPAC practices when providing care for patients colonized with *C. auris*.**
- **Report newly identified *C. auris* colonization cases to WDGPH:
1-800-265-7293 ext. 4752 or
After hours, weekends, or statutory holidays, call 1-877-884-8653.**

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