Childcare Surveys

Survey #1 was sent out via survey monkey to all licensed childcare centers in Cerro Gordo County asking for feedback on the original tools/documents used in the most recent pertussis outbreak.

One week later Survey #2 was sent out via survey monkey to all licensed childcare centers in Cerro Gordo County that completed Survey #1, asking for feedback on the new tools/documents intended for use in a future pertussis outbreak.

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| Question | Pre-Survey (Original Tools) | Question | Post Survey (Revised or New Tools) |
| 1. I know what symptoms to look for to identify a child with pertussis.
 | Strongly Disagree 11%Disagree 0%Don’t know 0%Agree 89%Strongly Agree 0% | 1. I know what symptoms to look for to identify a child with pertussis.
 | Strongly Disagree 0%Disagree 0%Don’t know 0%Agree 50%Strongly Agree 50% |
| 1. I know how long a child should be excluded from childcare if they are being tested or treated for pertussis.
 | Strongly Disagree 11%Disagree 0%Don’t know 0%Agree 77%Strongly Agree 11% | 1. I know how long a child should be excluded from childcare if they are being tested or treated for pertussis.
 | Strongly Disagree 0%Disagree 0%Don’t know 0%Agree 50%Strongly Agree 50% |
| 1. My childcare center’s current health policy supports illness identification and exclusion guidelines that may deviate from day-to-day operations.
 | Strongly Disagree 0%Disagree 0%Don’t know 33%Agree 55%Strongly Agree 11% | 1. My childcare center plans to revise our current health policy to support illness identification and exclusion guidelines that may deviate from day-to-day operations.
 | Strongly Disagree 0%Disagree 0%Don’t know 33%Agree 50%Strongly Agree 0%NA, may facility 16% already supports deviation  |
| 1. The information found in the original Close Contact Pertussis Letter is clear and concise.
 | Strongly Disagree 0% Disagree 0% Don’t know 25%Agree 75%Strongly Agree 0% | 1. The information found in the revised Close Contact Pertussis Letter is clear and concise.
 | Strongly Disagree 0%Disagree 0%Don’t know 0%Agree 66%Strongly Agree 16% |
| 1. The information found in the original General Pertussis Letter is clear and concise.
 | Strongly Disagree 0% Disagree 0% Don’t know 22%Agree 77%Strongly Agree 0% | 1. The information found in the revised General Pertussis Letter is clear and concise.
 | Strongly Disagree 0%Disagree 0%Don’t know 0%Agree 60%Strongly Agree 40% |
| 1. If a child exhibited pertussis symptoms, my childcare center places a face mask on the child or has them waiting a separate room, away from other children until their parent can pick them up.
 | Never 33%Sometimes 11%Don’t know 22%Always 33% | 1. If a child exhibited pertussis symptoms, my childcare center plans to place a face mask on the child or have them wait in a separate room, away from other children, until their parent can pick them up.
 | Strongly Disagree 0%Disagree 0%Don’t know 33%Agree 83%Strongly Agree 16%NA, my facility 0% already uses face masks or has a designated room.  |
|  |  | 1. The Release to Return to School/Childcare form is clear and concise.
 | Strongly Disagree 0%Disagree 0%Don’t know 0%Agree 60%Strongly Agree 40% |