

Introduction to Communicable Disease Surveillance and Investigation in North Carolina

Unit Instructions: 1.2 Global Public Health

Activity 1: View the DVD Lecture “Global Public Health”

Activity 2: Access the following websites and read:

SARS

- “Outbreak of Severe Acute Respiratory Syndrome---Worldwide, 2003”/ MMWR March 21, 2003/52(11); 226-228
<http://www.cdc.gov/mmwr/preview/mmwrhtml/mm5211a5.htm>
- SARS in North Carolina in 2003
<http://epi.publichealth.nc.gov/cd/sars/SARSinNorthCarolina2003.pdf>
- Review Panel Concludes that Laboratory was Source of SARS-CoV Infection in Singapore Patient/CDC
<http://www.cdc.gov/sars/media/Singapore-2003-09-29.html>

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- The following 3 articles from UCLA/Department of Epidemiology/School of Public Health about John Snow:
<http://www.ph.ucla.edu/epi/snow.html>
 - “The Father of Modern Epidemiology”
 - “ The Handle”
 - “Cholera in Haiti and the modern John Snow”
- “Lessons Learned During Public Health Response to Cholera Epidemic in Haiti and the Dominican Republic”/ Emerging Infectious Diseases/Vol. 17, Number 11- November 2011
http://wwwnc.cdc.gov/eid/article/17/11/11-0827_article.htm

Activity 2: After viewing the DVD, go to SurveyMonkey and complete the quiz:

“Global Public Health: Test Your Knowledge”

<http://www.surveymonkey.com/s/Spring2012globalpublichealth>

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Thank you.