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Beste allen,

Hierbij de final review van het ECDC paper, zie mail hieronder van (10)(2e). Jullie hebben allemaal al jullie consent voor publicatie gegeven, soms via een directe collega.

Zouden jullie nog een laatste keer willen kijken of jullie het eens zijn met de inhoud zoals het nu is? Als u niet reageert **voor vrijdag 24 juli** wordt ervan uit gegaan dat u akkoord bent, dus indien dit het geval is, is het niet nodig te reageren.

Mocht u toch nog opmerkingen hebben, wilt u deze dan direct mailen naar: (10)(2e)@ecdc.europa.eu

Vriendelijke groeten,

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From: (10)(2e) <(10)(2e)@ecdc.europa.eu>

Sent: dinsdag 21 juli 2020 17:08

Subject: Euro Surveillance test performance paper - Final verification, due by Fri 24 July

Dear colleagues,

We would like to thank everyone for providing your comments on the paper during the third review round that ended 17 July. We have now finalised incorporating them and sent the paper for internal clearance at ECDC.

Two main changes have been done based on your comments:

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While the paper is in internal clearance, we also intend to add public data up to 17 July, based on papers identified through additional sources. This would not alter the conclusions, only some of the numbers, but would make our paper very up to date in advance of a likely second wave of infections. The additional sources would be the EUnetHTA, Cochrane and Bastos et al. BMJ systematic reviews, as well as updates to the FIND and JRC databases. Altogether there are some 91 new papers to assess, but not all will have usable data for commercial tests. The title of the paper would be adjusted to state 'up to 17 July'.

You should still do the following:

- Verify the paper a final time to be sure you are ok with the contents and the final two changes above in particular, as well as with adding the proposed additional public data up to 17 July. As before, a clean for-review version as well as a for-reference version with all tracked changes are attached.
- If you did not provide your consent yet, please do so now to avoid delaying the submission. A large majority has already done so.

Please get back to me **by Friday 24 July** if there are any remaining issues. **After that, we will consider no answer as implicit**

agreement, so if you are ok there is no need to reply. I will keep you up to date then still on the additional data and the submission to Euro Surveillance.

Kind regards,

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