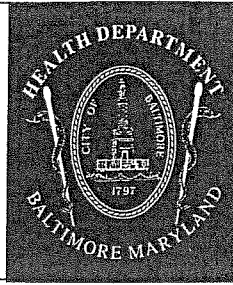


CITY OF BALTIMORE

SHEILA DIXON, Mayor



HEALTH DEPARTMENT

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Interim Commissioner

1001 E. Fayette Street

Baltimore, MD 21202

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Dear Stadium Place Residents,

As you know, the water systems at Stadium Place have been undergoing testing and treatment to address the presence of Legionella, the bacterium that causes Legionnaire's disease. We are continuing to work with the property management on successful long-term eradication of Legionella. Yet, given recent information, we again are instituting special measures regarding the use of water.

Effective immediately, it is important that you follow these precautions:

- Reduce your contact with water sprays/mists.
- Take baths instead of showers.
 - While filling the tub, leave the bathroom.
 - Fill the tub slowly and carefully to minimize the production of water sprays/mists.
 - If you are unable to take a tub bath, consider a sponge bath.
- Use your dishwasher instead of the sink to wash dishes.
 - If you do not have a dishwasher, fill the sink slowly and carefully to minimize the production of water sprays/mists.
- If you have special concerns about your risk for this infection, use boiled or bottled water for drinking or brushing teeth until the situation is further clarified.
 - When you boil water, set it aside and let it cool down before use.
- The water temperature in the buildings and your apartment remains VERY HOT – be careful to avoid scalding.
- If you plan to be away from your apartment for seven days or longer, please notify the property manager.

If you experience symptoms of pneumonia, such as fever, cough, or shortness of breath, please contact your health care provider and inform him or her that you live in a location where some residents have been diagnosed with Legionnaires' disease.

If you have any questions or concerns, contact the Baltimore City Health Department at 410-396-4436 during normal business hours, or "311" for after hours and on weekends.

Thank you for your patience and cooperation.

Sincerely,

Olivia Farrow
Interim Commissioner