

MEMORANDUM

To: *Corporate Guide to Pandemic Response Planning: Preparing for the Avian Flu Threat* Customers

From: A.S. Pratt & Sons

Subject: Highlights

Thank you for participating in Pratt's automatic update program. Enclosed is the latest update to *Corporate Guide to Pandemic Response Planning: Preparing for the Avian Flu Threat*.

While discussions of avian flu have taken a back seat to the credit crisis, it is critical to know that the potential for a pandemic is not a threat to be lightly dismissed. Your pandemic plan must be in place, tested, and updated for your company to be in compliance. The enclosed materials will provide you with the latest information on planning for an avian flu pandemic.

This update of *Corporate Guide to Pandemic Response Planning: Preparing for the Avian Flu Threat* includes the following new information:

- New information about faster testing and vaccine development (Chapter 1)
- Coverage of new definitions in pending bill, ADA Amendments Act of 2008 (Chapter 6)
- Proposed FMLA regulations, expected to be final in Fall 2008 (Chapter 6)
- HHS Secretary Leavitt's Pandemic Planning Report V (Appendix K)
- OSHA's proposed guidance for stockpiling of respirators and facemasks for a pandemic influenza (Chapter 6)
- Ethical guidelines, fact sheets, and checklists for pandemic planning (Events and Developments)