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To Individuals who play Pickleball in Thunder Bay,

The Thunder Bay District Health Unit (TBDHU) is asking anyone who has played Pickleball at any of the following locations in Thunder Bay anytime between **November 3 and November 13 to immediately go into self-isolation at home.** We would also like you to call us at (807) 625-5900. Staff will be available Sunday November 15 from 9 a.m. on.

The Polish Legion	209 Cumberland St N
Moose Hall	434 Fort William Rd
North McIntyre Rec Centre	2051 Government Rd
West Thunder Community Centre	915 Edward St S

Three individuals who played Pickleball recently have been identified with COVID-19. There are additional individuals who have symptoms of COVID-19 and who are getting tested.

Two locations where Pickleball is played are currently implicated - the Polish Legion and Moose Hall. However, we have reason to believe that the spread may extend beyond these to the other locations noted above.

At this time, we would consider **anyone who attended** any Pickleball session/practice/event at any of these four locations as **High Risk Contacts** for COVID-19. It is important that we be able to talk to you.

Your cooperation in this matter is vital.

TBDHU is actively following-up with individuals and assessing the situation.

TBDHU has received some names and contact information of those who played. Individuals who have already been contacted by TBDHU, do not need to call us unless you have been instructed to do so by the public health nurse you talked to.

Further communication will be provided in the coming days as we continue our investigation of this evolving situation.

For further information on COVID-19, please visit the [TBDHU website](#).

Sincerely,

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