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Dear Parents and Guardians,

As you may have heard, state and local health officials are urging caution after several cases of a rare, mosquito-borne virus called Eastern Equine Encephalitis (EEE) have been reported in eight Michigan counties, including Van Buren, Cass, Berrien and Kalamazoo.

At this time, there have been no reported cases of EEE in horses or humans in Allegan County, so the Allegan County Health Department has not recommended cancellation of evening events or activities. However, we encourage our students, families, coaches, and staff to follow the recommendations contained in the Allegan County Health Department communication released today. Click this link for the news release: <https://bit.ly/2IZfbON>

We will continue to watch the developments surrounding EEE closely, and will take the appropriate steps necessary to protect the health of all of our students, and staff and will pass along any further information as it becomes available.