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Dear Dr. Guneet Rehal:

Re: *Investigation of an Adverse Event Following Immunization (AEFI) for SPAULDING, Dianne*

I am writing in follow up to a report of an AEFI following the administration of AstraZeneca COVID-19 vaccine.

Toronto Public Health has completed our investigation of the report and concluded that Dianne Spaulding had: A.1 Pain/redness/swelling at injection site, extending past nearest joint AND persisting for 4days or more, B.1. Fever, D.4 Anaesthesia/ Paraesthesia, E.2 Arthritis/ Arthralgia, and E.6 Other Severe or Unusual Events - Brain fog, Tremors, Bruising. Toronto Public Health's recommendation for further immunization is:

Recommendations:

1. TPH recommends this client receives a second dose of an mRNA COVID-19 vaccine as soon as possible, if not already done, especially in the context of the circulating Delta variant.
2. The client should continue to follow-up and pursue her other symptoms with her family physician and psychiatrist. With ongoing fatigue and bruising, another hematology referral or e-consult is perhaps warranted in context of her thrombocytosis since 2019.

If you have any questions regarding our investigation and immunization recommendations please contact us at: AEFI@toronto.ca

Yours truly,

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cc: *Dr. Michael Finkelstein,*
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