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Ms. Trish Factor, Health Commissioner
Galion City Health Department
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Dear Ms. Factor:

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The Medical Director did not call back within the two hour time frame ☐

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Thank you for your continued commitment to the goals of Public Health Emergency Preparedness. If you have any questions, please contact your Preparedness Grants Unit Program Consultant or Rebecca Sandholdt at (614) 644-7037 for assistance.

Sincerely,

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