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This message is being sent on behalf of Dean Trevor Young to the Faculty of Medicine's Chairs' and Business Officers' listservs for distribution.

We remind department chairs and business officers to ensure that this message is disseminated widely to all members of their departments, including faculty, staff and students.

Dear Members of the Faculty of Medicine,

I want to provide you with a summary of activities over this past week related to the Medical Sciences Building:

- 1. Professor Scott Mabury, Vice President, University Operations, sent a <u>message</u> summarizing the facts associated with the three localized instances of asbestos in research labs and explaining the steps being taken to guard against reoccurrences.
- 2. Professor Mabury and I sent a <u>message</u> through MedEmail that speaks more broadly about how the University and Faculty have responded to these incidents.
- 3. The <u>FAQ</u> posted on the EHS website has been updated to provide additional information about air testing procedures and requirements.
- 4. The organization of test results on <u>Portal</u> has been improved to make it more user-friendly. For more information on how to access these results, please visit our online MSB information hub: <u>uoft.me/msb</u>.

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