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I believe you should add the following to the list of Potentially life-threatening infectious diseases routinely transmitted through aerosolized droplet means:

INFLUENZA

This disease kills an average of 36,000 Americans annually and cause considerable morbidity.

It is my opinion that all emergency responders should be protected by any means possible from this disease-

To include- 1. Annual seasonal vaccination provided by the employer FREE

2. Appropriate personal protective equipment

Thank you for considering my comments for this regulation.

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