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USEFUL WEB RESOURCES

- Association for Professionals in Infection Control and Epidemiology, infection control guidelines—<http://www.apic.org>
- Centers for Disease Control and Prevention Emergency Preparedness and Response—<http://www.bt.cdc.gov>
- Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, Emerging Infectious Diseases—<http://www.cdc.gov/ncidod/EID>