**Global and National Public Health Agencies:**

**First lines of defense against spread of infectious disease**.

In the past, you have studies a variety of infectious agents and their epidemiology. In this part of the course, I would like to focus on our defenses. What types of defenses do we have from global agencies to national, state and local organizations, and finally, our own bodies – our immune system?

  Today, I would like to divide you into groups of two to research different agencies involved in our awareness, preparedness and defense against infectious diseases. Before doing that we need to identify, in the form of a checklist, the information about each agency that would be helpful to know. Once you separate, you will research and fill in the checklist info. One person will present your findings to the class. We’ll keep a general tabulation on the board. Here are the agencies you will research:

CDC

WHO

 PAHA

World Bank

UNICEF

UNDP

HSRA

AVMA

APHA – America Public Health Association

NIH

USAMRID

DHS - Department of Homeland Security: Search: ONL = Office of National laboratories

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**NOTE: These are NOT NGO’s – They are a whole different level of aid… ex: OXFAM, or PROJECT HOPE**

Plan For Independent Practice:

Closure (Reflect Anticipatory Set):

Assessment Based On Objectives:

Adaptations (For Students With Learning Disabilities):

Extensions (For Gifted Students):

Possible Connections To Other Subjects: