This alert provides a brief summary of updated recommendations. Refer to the complete guideline for all recommendations and level of evidence.

**Updated recommendations include:**

**Eligible Population**
Children 3-18 years old with pharyngitis and/or tonsillitis

**Etiologies**
Less common etiologies: Groups C and G Strep, Epstein-Barr Virus, *N. gonorrhoeae*, *C. diphtheriae*, *Archanobacterium haemolyticum*, mycoplasma, chlamydia

**Treatment of GABHS**
Testing or empiric treatment of asymptomatic contacts is not recommended.