

Policy 504.2-E3 Diseases Reportable to Iowa Department of Health & Human Services

Disease Reporting Hotline (1-800-362-2736)

Report information requested on disease reporting form which may be obtained by calling 1-888-398-9696.

EMERGENCY REPORTABLE DISEASES OR CONDITIONS: REPORT BY PHONE IMMEDIATELY!

Botulism	# Measles	Rabies (human)
Cholera	> Meningococcal Invasive Disease	Vancomycin-Resistant Staph Aereus
Diphtheria	Plague	Yellow Fever
>Haemophilus Influenza Type B Invasive Disease	# Polio	

Also, outbreaks of any kind, unusual syndromes, and uncommon diseases should be reported immediately by phone. These could be infectious, environmental, or occupational in origin and include food-borne outbreaks and illness secondary to chemical exposure (e.g., pesticides, anhydrous ammonia).

AGENTS OF TERRORISM

Diseases or syndromes of any kind caused by a biological, chemical, or radiological agent or toxin when the provider reasonably believes or suspects that the agent or toxin may be the result of a deliberate act such as terrorism. Examples of these agents or toxins include but are not limited to anthrax, mustard gas, sarin gas, ricin, tularemia, and smallpox.

DISEASES REPORTABLE BY MAIL OR PHONE

COMMON-REPORTABLE DISEASES	RARE-REPORTABLE DISEASES
Campylobacteriosis	Anthrax
Cryptosporidiosis	# Brucellosis
COVID-19 [SARS-CoV-2]	Cyclospora
> Encephalitis, Arboviral	# Hansen's disease (Leprosy)
# Escherichia coli O157:H7 (And Related Diseases HUS & TTP)	Hantavirus syndromes
Giardiasis	>Listeria Monocytogenes Invasive Disease
# Hepatitis A,B,C,D and E	# Malaria
> Legionellosis	Mumps
# Lyme Disease	Psittacosis
# Pertussis	# Rocky Mountain Spotted Fever
Rabies (Animal)	# Rubella (Including Congenital)
# Salmonellosis (Including Typhoid Fever)	# Tetanus
# Shigellosis	> Toxic Shock Syndrome
# Tuberculosis	# Trichinosis

DISEASES REPORTABLE ONLY BY SENDING ISOLATES TO STATE HYGENIC LAB (319) 335-4500

Enterococcus Invasive Disease	Methicillin-resistant Staphylococcus Aereus Invasive Disease
Group A Streptococcus Invasive Disease	Streptococcus Pneumonia Invasive Disease

Diseases that require follow-up by local health agency

> Diseases that require follow up by hospital infection control practitioner

Isolates in bold type should be sent to State Hygienic Laboratory

Report on a quarterly basis to UHL: Total number of Invasive Staphylococcus Aereus isolates

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