

Tennessee Department of Health Reportable Diseases and Events

The diseases and conditions listed below are declared to be communicable and/or dangerous to the public and are to be reported to the local health department by **all** hospitals, physicians, laboratories, and other persons knowing of or suspecting a case in accordance with the provision of the statutes and regulations governing the control of communicable diseases in Tennessee. Revised 4/2010

| Category 1A <i>Immediate</i> telephone reporting (24 hours per day, 7 days per week) | Category 1B <i>Immediate</i> telephone reporting (next business day) | Category 2 Requires written report within 1 week |
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| Anthrax* Botulism: Foodborne, wound* Disease Outbreaks: Foodborne, waterborne, healthcare, other Encephalitis: Venezuelan Equine* Hantavirus Measles Meningococcal Disease: <i>Neisseria meningitidis</i> Novel Influenza A Pertussis Rabies: Human Ricin Poisoning* Severe Acute Respiratory Syndrome (SARS) Smallpox* Staph Enterotoxin B Pulmonary Poisoning* Viral Hemorrhagic Fever* | Brucellosis* Diphtheria Encephalitis: California/LaCrosse St. Louis Eastern Equine Western Equine Enterobacteriaceae, Carbapenemase-producing Group A & B Strep–invasive Haemophilus Influenzae-invasive Hepatitis A, acute Influenza, pediatric deaths Melioidosis (<i>Burkholderia pseudomallei</i>) Meningitis, other bacterial Mumps Plague* Polio Prion Disease-variant Creutzfeldt Jakob Q Fever* Rubella & Congenital Rubella Syndrome <i>Salmonella</i> Typhi: Typhoid Fever Staph aureus: Vancomycin non-sensitive Syphilis: Congenital Tuberculosis, confirmed or suspect active disease Tularemia* | Babesiosis Botulism: infant Campylobacteriosis: EIA or PCR + stool Chagas Disease Chancroid Chlamydia Cholera Cryptosporidiosis Cyclosporiasis Dengue Fever Ehrlichiosis Gonorrhea Guillain-Barré Syndrome Hemolytic Uremic Syndrome (HUS) Hepatitis, viral HbsAg + Infant HbsAg + Pregnant Female Type B, acute Type C, acute Legionellosis Leprosy Listeriosis Lyme Disease Malaria Prion Disease-Creutzfeldt Jakob Psittacosis Rabies: Animal Rocky Mountain Spotted Fever Salmonellosis, other than typhi Shiga-like toxin producing E. coli Shigellosis Staph aureus: Methicillin resistant-invasive Streptococcus Pneumoniae-invasive Syphilis: non-congenital Tetanus Toxic Shock Syndrome Trichinosis Vancomycin Resistant Enterococci (VRE)-invasive <i>Varicella</i> Deaths Vibriosis West Nile Virus Yellow Fever Yersiniosis |
| *Denotes possible bioterrorism indicator | | |

| Category 3 Requires special confidential reporting to designated health department personnel | Category 4 Laboratories & physicians required to report all test results no later than 15 days following the end of the month | Category 5 Healthcare Associated Infections (HAI) reported to NHSN monthly no later than 30 days following the end of the month |
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| Acquired Immunodeficiency Syndrome (AIDS) Human Immunodeficiency Virus (HIV) | All blood lead levels | Central Line Bloodstream Associated Infections Clostridium Difficile Methicillin resistant staph aureus positive blood cultures Surgical Site Infections |

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