

DISEASES OF PUBLIC HEALTH SIGNIFICANCE (REPORTABLE DISEASES)

Timely reporting of communicable diseases is essential for their control

If you suspect or have confirmation of any of the following diseases of public health significance or their etiologic agents (Ontario Reg. 135/18 and recent amendments to the Health Protection and Promotion Act) please report to the local Medical Officer of Health. **Diseases marked with an asterisk * should be reported immediately to the Medical Officer of Health by telephone (24 hours a day, 7 days a week).**

Diseases of public health significance can be reported:

By fax: 905-898-5213

By phone, Monday to Friday 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.: 1-877-464-9675 ext. 73588

After hours, after 4:30 p.m. Monday to Friday and 24 hours per day on weekends/holidays: 905-953-6478

Acquired Immunodeficiency Syndrome (AIDS)	Encephalitis, including: <ul style="list-style-type: none">i. Primary, viralii. Post-infectiousiii. Vaccine-relatediv. Subacute sclerosing panencephalitisv. Unspecified	* Mpox
Acute Flaccid Paralysis (AFP)		* Mumps
Amebiasis		Ophthalmia neonatorum
Anaplasmosis		* Paralytic Shellfish Poisoning
* Anthrax		* Paratyphoid Fever
Babesiosis	* Food Poisoning, all causes	* Pertussis (Whooping Cough)
Blastomycosis	* Gastroenteritis, outbreaks in institutions and public hospitals	* Plague
* Botulism	Giardiasis	Pneumococcal disease, invasive
* Brucellosis	Gonorrhea	* Poliomyelitis, acute
<i>Campylobacter</i> enteritis	* Group A Streptococcal disease, invasive	Powassan Virus
* <i>Candida auris</i>	Group B Streptococcal disease, neonatal	Psittacosis/Ornithosis
Carbapenemase-producing Enterobacteriaceae (CPE) infection or colonization	* <i>Haemophilus influenzae</i> disease, all types, invasive	* Q Fever
Chancroid	* Hantavirus pulmonary syndrome	* Rabies
Chickenpox (Varicella)	* Hemorrhagic fevers, including: <ul style="list-style-type: none">i. * Ebola virus diseaseii. * Lassa Feveriii. * Marburg virus diseaseiv. * Other viral causes	* Respiratory infection outbreaks in institutions and public hospitals (including COVID-19 and influenza)
<i>Chlamydia trachomatis</i> infection	* Hepatitis, viral: <ul style="list-style-type: none">i. * Hepatitis Aii. Hepatitis Biii. Hepatitis C	* Rubella
* Cholera	Influenza, including *Novel strains	* Rubella, congenital syndrome
* <i>Clostridium difficile</i> associated disease (CDAD) outbreaks and outbreak-associated cases in public hospitals	* Legionellosis	Salmonellosis
Coronavirus disease 2019 (COVID-19)	Leprosy	* Shigellosis
* Coronavirus, novel including <ul style="list-style-type: none">i. * Severe Acute Respiratory illness (SARS)ii. * Middle East Respiratory Syndrome (MERS)	* Listeriosis	* Smallpox
* Creutzfeldt-Jakob Disease (CJD), all types	Lyme disease	Syphilis
Cryptosporidiosis	* Measles	Tetanus
Cyclosporiasis	* Meningitis, acute: <ul style="list-style-type: none">i. * Bacterialii. Viraliii. Other	Trichinosis
* Diphtheria	* Meningococcal disease, invasive	Tuberculosis+
<i>Echinococcus multilocularis</i> infection		Tularemia
		* Typhoid Fever
		* Verotoxin-producing <i>E. coli</i> infection indicator conditions, including Haemolytic Uraemic Syndrome (HUS)
		* West Nile Virus illness
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+Latent Tuberculosis Infection (LTBI) is also reportable to the Medical Officer of Health

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