

# COMMUNICABLE DISEASE REPORTING

## CONTACT INFORMATION:

### Communicable Disease Surveillance Unit

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*Timely reporting of communicable diseases is essential for their control. If you suspect or have confirmation of the following specified Reportable Communicable Diseases or their etiologic agents, (as per Ontario Regs 559/91 and amendments under the Health Protection and Promotion Act) please report them to the local Medical Officer of Health:*

Acquired Immunodeficiency Syndrome (AIDS)

Amebiasis

**\*Anthrax**

**\*Botulism**

**\*Brucellosis**

Campylobacter enteritis

Chancroid

Chickenpox (Varicella)

Chlamydia trachomatis infections

**\*Cholera**

**\*Clostridium difficile associated disease (CDAD) outbreaks in public hospitals**

**\*Cryptosporidiosis**

**\*Cyclosporiasis**

Cytomegalovirus infection, congenital

**\*Diphtheria**

**\*Encephalitis, including:**

1. **\*Primary, viral**

2. Post-infectious

3. Vaccine-related

4. Subacute sclerosing panencephalitis

5. Unspecified

**\*Food poisoning, all causes**

**\*Gastroenteritis, institutional outbreaks**

**\*Giardiasis, except asymptomatic cases**

Gonorrhoea

**\*Haemophilus influenzae b disease, invasive**

**\*Hantavirus Pulmonary Syndrome**

**\*Hemorrhagic fevers, including:**

1. **\*Ebola virus disease**

2. **\*Marburg virus disease**

3. **\*Other viral causes**

**\*Hepatitis, viral**

1. **\*Hepatitis A**

2. Hepatitis B

3. Hepatitis C

4. Hepatitis D (Delta hepatitis)

Herpes, neonatal

Influenza

**\*Lassa Fever**

**\*Legionellosis**

Leprosy

**\*Listeriosis**

Lyme Disease

Malaria

**\*Measles**

**\*Meningitis, acute**

1. **\*Bacterial**

2. Viral

3. Other

**\*Meningococcal disease, invasive**

Mumps

Ophthalmia neonatorum

**\*Paratyphoid Fever**

Pertussis (Whooping Cough)

**\*Plague**

**\*Poliomyelitis, acute**

Psittacosis/Ornithosis

**\*Q Fever**

**\*Rabies**

**\*Respiratory infection outbreaks in institutions**

**\*Rubella**

Rubella, congenital syndrome

Salmonellosis

**\*Severe Acute Respiratory Syndrome (SARS)**

**\*Shigellosis**

**\*Smallpox**

**\*Streptococcal infections, Grp A invasive**

Streptococcal infections, Grp B neonatal

Streptococcus pneumoniae, invasive

Syphilis

Tetanus

Transmissible Spongiform Encephalopathy, including:

i. Creutzfeldt-Jakob Disease, all types

ii. Gerstmann-Sträussler-Scheinker Syndrome

iii. Fatal Familial Insomnia

iv. Kuru

Trichinosis

Tuberculosis

**\*Tularemia**

**\*Typhoid Fever**

**\*Verotoxin-producing E. coli infection indicator conditions including Hemolytic Uremic Syndrome**

**\*West Nile Virus illness, including:**

i. West Nile fever

ii. West Nile neurological manifestations

**\*Yellow Fever**

Yersiniosis

Note: Diseases marked \* (and Influenza in institutions) should be reported immediately to the Medical Officer of Health by telephone. Other diseases can be reported by the next working day by fax, phone or mail.