

**Sanitary Code - State of Louisiana  
Part II - The Control of Disease**

**LAC 51:II.105: The following diseases/conditions are hereby declared reportable with reporting requirements by Class:**

**Class A Diseases/Conditions - Reporting Required Within 24 Hours**

*Diseases of major public health concern because of the severity of disease and potential for epidemic spread-report by telephone immediately upon recognition that a case, a suspected case, or a positive laboratory result is known; [in addition, all cases of rare or exotic communicable diseases, unexplained death, unusual cluster of disease and all outbreaks shall be reported.*

Anthrax	Measles (rubeola)	Severe Acute Respiratory Syndrome-associated Coronavirus (SARS-CoV)
Avian Influenza	Neisseria meningitidis (invasive disease)	Smallpox
Botulism	Plague	<i>Staphylococcus Aureus</i> , Vancomycin Intermediate or Resistant (VISA/VRSA)
Brucellosis	Poliomyelitis, paralytic	Tularemia
Cholera	Q Fever ( <i>Coxiella burnetii</i> )	Viral Hemorrhagic Fever
Diphtheria	Rabies (animal and human)	Yellow Fever
<i>Haemophilus influenzae</i> (invasive disease)	Rubella (congenital syndrome)	
Influenza-associated Mortality	Rubella (German measles)	

**Class B Diseases/Conditions - Reporting Required Within 1 Business Day**

*Diseases of public health concern needing timely response because of potential of epidemic spread-report by the end of the next business day after the existence of a case, a suspected case, or a positive laboratory result is known.*

Arthropod-Borne Neuroinvasive Disease and other infections (including West Nile, St. Louis, California, Eastern Equine, Western Equine and others)	Hepatitis A (acute disease)	Malaria
Aseptic meningitis	Hepatitis B (acute illness & carriage in pregnancy)	Mumps
Chancroid <sup>1</sup>	Hepatitis B (perinatal infection)	Pertussis
<i>Escherichia coli</i> , Shig-toxin producing (STEC), including <i>E. coli</i> 0157:H7	Hepatitis E	Salmonellosis
Hantavirus Pulmonary Syndrome	Herpes (neonatal)	Shigellosis
Hemolytic-Uremic Syndrome	Human Immunodeficiency Virus [(HIV), infection in pregnancy]	Syphilis <sup>1</sup>
	Human Immunodeficiency Virus [(HIV), perinatal exposure]	Tetanus
	Legionellosis (acute disease)	Tuberculosis <sup>2</sup>
		Typhoid Fever

**Class C Diseases/Conditions - Reporting Required Within 5 Business Days**

*Diseases of significant public health concern-report by the end of the workweek after the existence of a case, suspected case, or a positive laboratory result is known.*

Acquired Immune Deficiency Syndrome (AIDS) <sup>3</sup>	Gonorrhea <sup>1</sup>	Staphylococcal Toxic Shock Syndrome
Blastomycosis	Hansen Disease (leprosy)	Streptococcal disease, Group A (invasive disease)
Campylobacteriosis	Hepatitis B (carriage, other than in pregnancy)	Streptococcal disease, Group B (invasive disease)
Chlamydial infection <sup>1</sup>	Hepatitis C (acute illness)	Streptococcal Toxic Shock Syndrome
Coccidioidomycosis	Hepatitis C (past or present infection)	<i>Streptococcus pneumoniae</i> , penicillin resistant [DRSP], invasive infection]
Cryptococcosis	Human Immunodeficiency Virus [(HIV syndrome infection) <sup>2</sup>	<i>Streptococcus pneumoniae</i> (invasive infection in children < 5 years of age)
Cryptosporidiosis	Listeria	Transmissible Spongiform Encephalopathies
Cyclosporiasis	Lyme Disease	Trichinosis
Dengue	Lymphogranuloma Venereum <sup>1</sup>	Varicella (chickenpox)
Ehrlichiosis	Psittacosis	Vibrio Infections (other than cholera)
Enterococcus, Vancomycin Resistant [(VRE), invasive disease]	Rocky Mountain Spotted Fever (RMSF)	
Giardia	<i>Staphylococcus aureus</i> , Methicillin/Oxacillin Resistant[ (MRSA), invasive infection]	

**Class D Diseases/Conditions - Reporting Required Within 5 Business Days**

Cancer	Hemophilia <sup>4</sup>	Severe Traumatic Head Injury
Carbon Monoxide Exposure and/or Poisoning	Lead Exposure and/or Poisoning (children) <sup>4</sup> (adults) <sup>5</sup>	Severe Undernutrition (severe anemia, failure to thrive)
Complications of Abortion	Pesticide-Related Illness or Injury (All ages) <sup>5</sup>	Sickle Cell Disease (newborns) <sup>4</sup>
Congenital Hypothyroidism <sup>4</sup>	Phenylketonuria <sup>4</sup>	Spinal Cord Injury
Galactosemia <sup>4</sup>	Reye's Syndrome	Sudden Infant Death Syndrome (SIDS)

Case reports not requiring special reporting instructions (see below) can be reported by mail or facsimile on Confidential Disease Report forms (2430), facsimile (504) 568-8290, telephone (504) 568-8313, or 1-800-256-2748 for forms and instructions.

<sup>1</sup>Report on STD-43 form. Report cases of syphilis with active lesions by telephone, within one business day, to (504) 568-8374.

<sup>2</sup>Report to the Louisiana HIV/AIDS Program: Visit [www.hiv.dhh.louisiana.gov](http://www.hiv.dhh.louisiana.gov) or call (504) 568-7474 for regional contact information.

<sup>3</sup>Report on CDC72.5 (f.5.2431) card

<sup>4</sup>Report to the Louisiana Genetic Diseases Program and Louisiana Childhood Lead Poisoning Prevention Programs: [www.genetics.dhh.louisiana.gov](http://www.genetics.dhh.louisiana.gov) or call (504) 568-8254.

<sup>5</sup>Report to the Section of Environmental Epidemiology and Toxicology: [www.seet.dhh.louisiana.gov](http://www.seet.dhh.louisiana.gov) or call 1-888-293-7020