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.

- Acute Flaccid Paralysis
- Anthrax
- Avian or novel strain Influenza A (initial detection)
- Botulism
- Brucellosis
- Cholera
- Clostridium perfringens (foodborne infection)
- Diphtheria
- Meningococcal Disease
- Poliomyelitis
- Rabies (animal and human)
- Ricin Poisoning
- Rubella (congenital syndrome)
- Severe Acute Respiratory Syndrome-associated Coronavirus (SARS-CoV)
- Tetanus
- Typhoid Fever
- Yellow Fever
- Staphylococcus aureus, Vancomycin Intermediate or Resistant (VISA/VRSA)

**Class B Diseases/Conditions - Reporting Required Within 1 Business Day**
Diseases of public health concern needing timely response because of the 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.

- Anaplasmosis
- Anaplasma Phagocytophilum
- Babesiosis
- Campylobacteriosis
- Ehrlichiosis (human granulocytic & monocytic, *Ehrlichia chaffeensis*)
- Chagas Disease
- Cryptosporidiosis
- Dengue Fever
- Echinococcus, Vancomycin Resistant (VRE, invasive disease)
- Enterooccus, Vancomycin Resistant [VREF, invasive disease]
- Escherichia coli (invasive disease)
- Giardia
- Gonorrhea¹ (genital, oral, ophthalmic, pelvic infection)
- Granuloma inguinale
- Hansen Disease (leprosy)
- Hepatitis C (past or present infection)
- Hepatitis B (acute illness & carriage in pregnancy)
- Hepatitis B (acute illness & carriage in pregnancy)
- Hepatitis C (acute illness)
- Hepatitis C (past or present infection)
- Human Immunodeficiency Virus (HIV), infection in pregnancy
- Human Immunodeficiency Virus (HIV), perinatal exposure
- Legionellosis (acute disease)
- Malaria
- Mumps
- Salmonellosis
- Shigellosis
- Syphilis
- Tetanus
- Tuberculosis
- Typhoid Fever
- Staphylococcal Toxic Shock Syndrome
- Streptococcal Disease, Group A (invasive disease)
- Streptococcal Disease, Group B (invasive disease)
- Streptococcus pneumoniae, invasive disease
- Transmissible Spongiform Encephalopathies
- Trichinosis
- Varicella (chickenpox)
- Vibrio infections (other than cholera)
- Yersiniosis

**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.

- Acute Flaccid Paralysis
- Anthrax
- Avian or novel strain Influenza A (initial detection)
- Botulism
- Brucellosis
- Cholera
- Clostridium perfringens (foodborne infection)
- Diphtheria
- Meningococcal Disease
- Poliomyelitis
- Rabies (animal and human)
- Ricin Poisoning
- Rubella (congenital syndrome)
- Severe Acute Respiratory Syndrome-associated Coronavirus (SARS-CoV)
- Tetanus
- Typhoid Fever
- Yellow Fever
- Staphylococcus aureus, Vancomycin Intermediate or Resistant (VISA/VRSA)

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

- Acute Flaccid Paralysis
- Anthrax
- Avian or novel strain Influenza A (initial detection)
- Botulism
- Brucellosis
- Cholera
- Clostridium perfringens (foodborne infection)
- Diphtheria
- Meningococcal Disease
- Poliomyelitis
- Rabies (animal and human)
- Ricin Poisoning
- Rubella (congenital syndrome)
- Severe Acute Respiratory Syndrome-associated Coronavirus (SARS-CoV)
- Tetanus
- Typhoid Fever
- Yellow Fever
- Staphylococcus aureus, Vancomycin Intermediate or Resistant (VISA/VRSA)

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.

- Report on STD-43 form. Report cases of syphilis with active lesions by telephone, within one business day, to (504) 568-8374.
- Report on CDC/72.5 (5.2341) card
- Report to the Louisiana Genetic Diseases Program and Louisiana Childhood Lead Poisoning Prevention Programs: www.genetics.dhh.louisiana.gov or call (504) 568-8254.
- Report to the Section of Environmental Epidemiology and Toxicology: www.seet.dhh.louisiana.gov or call 1-888-293-7020

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