

# Diseases and Conditions Reported to Colorado Public Health Agencies by State Law

## Important notice for patients receiving health care services in Colorado:

The following list of diseases and conditions must be reported to state or county public health agencies by health care providers, hospitals and laboratories, according to Colorado Board of Health regulations (<http://www.cdph.state.co.us/op/regs/diseasecontrol/index.html>). By law, this reporting does not require patient consent or notification. The confidentiality of personal health information reported to the Colorado Department of Public Health and Environment (CDPHE) is protected by law. If you have questions regarding these reporting requirements, please call CDPHE at (303) 692-2700. If you have questions about whether you might have a condition that must be reported, discuss this with your health care provider.



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### Infectious Diseases

Anthrax	Pneumococcal disease
Botulism	Polio
Brucella	Psittacosis
Campylobacter	Q fever
Chancroid	Rabies
Chlamydia	Relapsing Fever
Cholera, and other vibrio infections	Rocky Mountain Spotted Fever
Clostridium difficile *	Rubella
Crutchfield-Jacob Disease (CJD) or variant CJD	Salmonella (including typhoid fever)
Cryptosporidium	SARS
Cyclospora	Shigella
Diphtheria	Smallpox
E. coli 0157:H7 (and other toxin-producing E. coli)	Streptococcus (invasive Group A, B)*
Encephalitis	Syphilis
Giardia	Tetanus
Gonorrhea	Toxic Shock Syndrome
Group outbreaks including food poisoning	Trichinosis
Hantavirus	Tuberculosis
Hemolytic uremic syndrome <18 years old	Tularemia
Hemophilus ducreyi	Vancomycin-resistant Staph aureus
Hemophilus influenza	Varicella (chickenpox)
Hepatitis A, B and C (and other viral)	West Nile Virus
HIV/AIDS (includes CD4+ count<500, CD4%<29)	
Influenza (hospitalized or death <18 years old)	<b>Other conditions</b>
Kawasaki Syndrome	Animal bites
Legionnaires' disease	Autism spectrum disorders (≤ 10 years old)
Leprosy	Biological, chemical or radioactive bioterrorism conditions
Listeria	Birth defects, developmental disabilities (DD) and DD risk factors (pregnancy to 3 <sup>rd</sup> birthday)
Lyme disease	Blood lead levels (>25ug/dl and all <18 years old)
Lymphogranuloma venereum	Blood mercury (>0.5 ug/dl, urine >20ug/l)
Malaria	Fetal alcohol syndrome (≤10 years old)
Measles	Head injuries (hospitalized or fatal)
Meningitis (viral)	Muscular Dystrophy
Meningococcal disease	Spinal cord injuries
Methicillin-resistant Staph aureus (invasive)*	
Mumps	
Pertussis (whooping cough)	
Plague	

\* Adams, Arapahoe, Denver, Douglas and Jefferson counties only

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