

Diseases of Public Health Significance (DOPHS)

Diseases marked with a ★ and in bold should be reported IMMEDIATELY by telephone to the Medical Officer of Health. All other diseases are to be reported the next working day. To report a DOPHS, contact Northeastern Public Health at 1-877-442-1212.

Timely reporting of diseases of public health significance is mandated and essential for their control. As per Ontario Regulation 135/18 and amendments under the *Health Protection and Promotion Act*, R.S.O. 1990 c.H.7, if you suspect or have confirmation of the following specified diseases or their etiologic agent, please report them to the local Medical Officer of Health or designate.

Acquired Immunodeficiency Syndrome (AIDS)

Acute flaccid paralysis (AFP)

Amebiasis

Anaplasmosis

★**Anthrax**

Babesiosis

Blastomycosis

★**Botulism**

★**Brucellosis**

★**Campylobacter enteritis**

★**Candida auris infection**

Carbapenamase-producing Enterobacteriaceae (CPE) infection or colonization

Chancroid

Chickenpox (Varicella)

Chlamydia trachomatis infections

Cholera

★**Clostridium difficile-infection (CDI) outbreaks in public hospitals**

Coronavirus disease 2019 (COVID-19)

★**Creutzfeldt-Jakob Disease, all types**

★**Cryptosporidiosis**

★**Cyclosporiasis**

★**Diphtheria**

★**Diseases caused by a novel coronavirus, including Severe Acute Respiratory Syndrome (SARS) and Middle East Respiratory Syndrome (MERS)**

Echinococcus multilocularis infection

Encephalitis, including:

1. Primary, viral
2. Post-infectious
3. Vaccine-related
4. Subacute sclerosing panencephalitis
5. Unspecified

★**Food poisoning, all causes**

★**Gastroenteritis outbreaks in institutions and public hospitals**

★**Giardiasis, except asymptomatic cases**

Gonorrhea

★**Group A Streptococcal disease, invasive**

Group B Streptococcal disease, neonatal

★**Haemophilus influenzae disease, invasive, all types**

★**Hantavirus pulmonary syndrome**

★**Hemorrhagic fevers:**

1. Ebola virus disease
2. Marburg virus disease
3. Lassa Fever
4. Other viral causes

★**Hepatitis, viral:**

1. Hepatitis A
2. Hepatitis B
3. Hepatitis C

Influenza

Legionellosis

Leprosy

★**Listeriosis**

Lyme disease

★**Measles**

★**Meningitis, acute**

1. bacterial
2. viral
3. other

★**Meningococcal disease, invasive**

★**Mumps**

Ophthalmia neonatorum

Paralytic shellfish poisoning (PSP)

Paratyphoid Fever

★**Pertussis (Whooping Cough)**

★**Plague**

Pneumococcal disease, invasive

★**Poliomyelitis, acute**

Powassan Virus

Psittacosis/Ornithosis

★**Q Fever**

★**Rabies**

★**Respiratory infection outbreaks in institutions and public hospitals**

★**Rubella**

★**Rubella, congenital syndrome**

★**Salmonellosis**

★**Shigellosis**

★**Smallpox and other orthopoxviruses, including Monkeypox**

Syphilis

★**Tetanus**

Trichinosis

Tuberculosis

Tularemia

Typhoid Fever

★**Verotoxin-producing E. coli infection indicator conditions including, Haemolytic Uraemic Syndrome (HUS)**

West Nile Virus Illness

★**Yersiniosis**