Merced County Department of Public Health
REPORTABLE DISEASES AND CONDITIONS
Title 17, California Code of Regulations (CCR), § 2550

It shall be the duty of every health care provider, knowing of or in attendance on a case or suspected case of any diseases or conditions listed below, to report to the local health officer for the jurisdiction where the patient resides. Where no health care provider is in attendance, any individual having knowledge of a person who is expected to be suffering from one of the diseases or conditions listed below may make such a report. Health care provider encompasses physicians, surgeons, veterinarians, podiatrists, nurse practitioners, physician assistants, registered nurses, nurse midwives, school nurses, infection control practitioners, medical examiners, coroners, dentists and chiropractors.

Urgency Reporting Requirements:

☎ = Report immediately by telephone
= Report by mailing, telephoning, or electronically transmitting a report within **one working day** of identification of the case or suspected case.
◑ = Report by telephone within **one hour** followed by a written report submitted by facsimile or electronic mail within **one working day.**
= If no symbol, report within **7 calendar days** from the time of identification by mail, telephone, or electronic mail report.

REPORTABLE DISEASES

- Acquired Immune Deficiency Syndrome (AIDS)
- Amebiasis
- Anisakiasis
- ☎ Anthrax
- Babesiosis
- ☎ Botulism (Infant, Foodborne, Wound)
- ☎ Brucellosis
- Campylobacteriosis
- Chancroid
- Chlamydial Infections
- ☎ Cholera
- ☎ Ciguatera Fish Poisoning
- Coccidioidomycosis
- Colorado Tick Fever
- Conjunctivitis, Acute Infectious of the Newborn, Specify Etiology
- Cryptosporidiosis
- Cysticercosis
- ☎ Dengue
- ☎ Diarrhea of the Newborn, Outbreaks
- ☎ Diphtheria
- ☎ Domoic Acid Poisoning (Amnesic Shellfish Poisoning)
- Echinococcosis (Hydatid Disease)
- Erlichiosis
- Encephalitis, Specify Etiology: Viral, Bacterial, Fungal, Parasitic
- ☎ *Escherichia coli* O157:H7 Infection
- Foodborne Disease:
  - ☎ (2 or more cases from separate households with same suspected source)
- Giardiasis
- Gonococcal Infections
- *Haemophilus influenzae*, Invasive Disease
- ☎ Hantavirus Infections
- ☎ Hemolytic Uremic Syndrome
- Hepatitis, Viral
  - Hepatitis A
  - Hepatitis B (Specify Acute Case or Chronic)
  - Hepatitis C (Specify Acute Case or Chronic)
  - Hepatitis D (Delta)
- Hepatitis, Other Acute
- Human Immunodeficiency Virus (HIV)
- Kawasake Syndrome (Mucocutaneous Lymph Node Syndrome)
- Legionellosis
- Leprosy (Hansen Disease)
- Leptospirosis
- Listeriosis
- Lyme Disease
- Lymphocytic Choriomeningitis
- Malaria
- Measles (Rubeola)
- Meningitis, Specify Etiology: Viral, Bacterial, Fungal, Parasitic
- ☎ Meningococcal Infections
- Mumps
- Non-Gonococcal Urethritis (report laboratory-confirmed chlamydial infections as Chlamydia)
- ☎ Paralytic Shellfish Poisoning
- Pelvic Inflammatory Disease (PID)
- Pertussis (Whooping Cough)
- ☎ Plague, Human or Animal
- Poliomyelitis, Paralytic
- Psittacosis
- Q Fever
- ☎ Rabies, Human or Animal
- Relapsing Fever
- Reye Syndrome
- Rheumatic Fever, Acute
- Rocky Mountain Spotted Fever
- Rubella (German Measels)
- Rubella Syndrome, Congenital
- Salmonellosis (other than Typhoid Fever)
- ☎ Scrombroid Fish Poisoning
- Shigellosis
- ☎ Smallpox
- Streptococcal Infections:
  - Outbreaks of any Type and Individual Cases in Food Handlers and Dairy Workers Only
- Invasive *Streptococcus pnuemoniae*
- Swimmer's Itch (Schistosomal Dermatitis)
- Syphilis
- Tetanus
- Toxic Shock Syndrome
- Toxoplasmosis
- Trichinosis
- Tuberculosis
- ☎ Tularemia
- Typhoid Fever, Cases and Carriers
- Typhus Fever
- ☎ Varicella (Fatal Cases Only)
- *Vibrio* Infections
- ☎ Viral Hemorrahagic Fevers (e.g.,Crimean-Congo, Ebola, Lassa and Marburg viruses)
- Water-associated Disease
- ☎ Yellow Fever
- Yersiniosis
- ☎ OCCURRENCE OF ANY UNUSUAL DISEASE
- ☎ OUTBREAKS OF ANY DISEASE

Notification Required of Laboratories (CCR § 2505)

- ◑ Anthrax
- ◑ Botulism
- ◑ Brucellosis
- Chlamydial infections
- Cryptosporidiosis
- Diphtheria
- Encephalitis, arboviral
- ◑ *Escheria coli* O157:H7 or Shiga toxin-producing E. coli O157:NM
- Gonorrhea
- Hepatitis A, acute infection, by IgM antibody test or positive viral antigen test
- Hepatitis B, acute infection, by IgM anti-HBc antibody test
- Hepatitis B surface antigen positivity (specify gender)
- Human Immunodeficiency Virus (HIV)
- Listeriosis
- Malaria
- Measles (Rubeola), acute infection, by IgM Antibody test or positive viral antigen test
- ◑ Plague, animal or human
- Rabies, animal or human
- Salmonella
- ◑ Smallpox
- *Streptococcus pneumoniae*, Invasive
- Syphilis
- Tuberculosis
- ◑ Tularemia
- Typhoid and other Salmonella species
- *Vibrio* species infections
- ◑ Viral Hemorrhagic Fevers (e.g., Crimean-Congo, Ebola, Lassa, Marburg viruses)

Reportable Non-communicable Diseases or Conditions

- Alzheimer's Disease and Related Conditions
- Cancer (diagnosed without hospitalization) – except (1) basal and squamous skin cancer unless occurring on genitalia, and (2) carcinoma in-situ and CIN III of the cervix)
- Disorders Characterized by Lapses of Consciousness
- Pesticide-Related Illnesses (H&S Code § 105200) – Report to Environmental Health (209) 381-1100

To Report a case or outbreak of any disease contact the Communicable Disease Division at:
209-381-1020 or after hours at 209-725-7011 (ask to speak to the "On Duty C.D. Staff Person") fax: 209-381-1034