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# Notifiable Conditions

| A – L   | When to Report           | L – Y  | When to Report           |
|---|--------------------------|--|--------------------------|
| Acquired immune deficiency syndrome (AIDS) <sup>1,2</sup>               | Within 1 week            | Lyme disease <sup>3</sup>  | Within 1 week            |
| Amebiasis   | Within 1 week            | Malaria <sup>3</sup>   | Within 1 week            |
| <b>Anthrax<sup>3</sup></b>  | <b>Call Immediately</b>  | <b>Measles (rubeola)<sup>3</sup></b>   | <b>Call Immediately</b>  |
| Asbestosis <sup>4</sup>   | Within 1 week            | Meningitis (specify type) <sup>3</sup>   | Within 1 week            |
| <b>Botulism, foodborne<sup>3</sup></b>                                  | <b>Call Immediately</b>  | <b>Meningococcal infections, invasive<sup>3,7</sup></b>                            | <b>Call Immediately</b>  |
| Botulism, infant <sup>3</sup>   | Within 1 week            | Mumps <sup>3</sup>   | Within 1 week            |
| <b>Brucellosis<sup>3</sup></b>  | <b>Within 1 work day</b> | <b>Pertussis<sup>3</sup></b>   | <b>Call Immediately</b>  |
| Campylobacteriosis  | Within 1 week            | Pesticide poisoning, acute occupational <sup>4</sup>                               | Within 1 week            |
| Cancer <sup>5</sup>   | <sup>5</sup>             | <b>Plague<sup>3</sup></b>  | <b>Call Immediately</b>  |
| Chancroid <sup>1</sup>  | Within 1 week            | <b>Poliomyelitis, acute paralytic</b>  | <b>Call Immediately</b>  |
| Chickenpox (varicella) <sup>3</sup>                                     | Within 1 week            | <b>Q fever<sup>3</sup></b>   | <b>Within 1 work day</b> |
| <i>Chlamydia trachomatis</i> infection <sup>1</sup>                     | Within 1 week            | <b>Rabies, human</b>   | <b>Call Immediately</b>  |
| Contaminated sharps injury <sup>3</sup>                                 | Within 1 month           | Relapsing fever <sup>3</sup>   | Within 1 week            |
| Creutzfeldt-Jakob disease (CJD) <sup>3</sup>                            | Within 1 week            | <b>Rubella (including congenital)<sup>3</sup></b>                                  | <b>Within 1 work day</b> |
| Cryptosporidiosis   | Within 1 week            | <b>Salmonellosis, including typhoid fever<sup>3</sup></b>                          | Within 1 week            |
| Cyclosporiasis  | Within 1 week            | <b>Severe Acute Respiratory Syndrome (SARS)</b>                                    | <b>Call Immediately</b>  |
| Dengue <sup>3</sup>   | Within 1 week            | Shigellosis <sup>3</sup>   | Within 1 week            |
| <b>Diphtheria</b>   | <b>Call Immediately</b>  | Silicosis <sup>4</sup>   | Within 1 week            |
| Drowning/near drowning <sup>6</sup>                                     | Within 10 work days      | <b>Smallpox<sup>3</sup></b>  | <b>Call Immediately</b>  |
| Ehrlichiosis <sup>3</sup>   | Within 1 week            | Spinal cord injury <sup>6</sup>  | Within 10 work days      |
| Encephalitis (specify etiology) <sup>3</sup>                            | Within 1 week            | Spotted fever group rickettsioses <sup>3</sup>                                     | Within 1 week            |
| <i>Escherichia coli</i> , enterohemorrhagic <sup>3</sup>                | Within 1 week            | <b>Staphylococcus aureus, vancomycin-resistant<sup>7</sup></b>                     | <b>Call Immediately</b>  |
| Gonorrhea <sup>1</sup>  | Within 1 week            | <b>Staphylococcus species, vancomycin-resistant coagulase negative<sup>7</sup></b> | <b>Call Immediately</b>  |
| <b>Haemophilus influenzae type b infections, invasive<sup>3</sup></b>   | <b>Call Immediately</b>  | Streptococcal disease (group A, B, S. pneumo), invasive <sup>3</sup>               | Within 1 week            |
| Hansen's disease (leprosy) <sup>3</sup>                                 | Within 1 week            | Syphilis <sup>1</sup>  | Within 1 week            |
| Hantavirus infection <sup>3</sup>                                       | Within 1 week            | Tetanus <sup>3</sup>   | Within 1 week            |
| Hemolytic Uremic Syndrome (HUS) <sup>3</sup>                            | Within 1 week            | Traumatic brain injury <sup>6</sup>  | Within 10 work days      |
| <b>Hepatitis A (acute)<sup>3</sup></b>                                  | <b>Within 1 work day</b> | Trichinosis  | Within 1 week            |
| Hepatitis B, D, E, and unspecified (acute) <sup>3</sup>                 | Within 1 week            | <b>Tuberculosis<sup>8</sup></b>  | <b>Within 1 work day</b> |
| Hepatitis B (chronic) identified prenatally or at delivery <sup>3</sup> | Within 1 week            | <b>Tularemia<sup>3</sup></b>   | <b>Within 1 work day</b> |
| Hepatitis C (newly diagnosed infection) <sup>3</sup>                    | Within 1 week            | Typhus   | Within 1 week            |
| Human immunodeficiency virus (HIV) infection <sup>1</sup>               | Within 1 week            | <b>Vibrio infection, including cholera<sup>3</sup></b>                             | <b>Within 1 work day</b> |
| <b>Lead, child blood, any level<sup>4</sup></b>                         | <b>Call Immediately</b>  | <b>Viral hemorrhagic fever</b>   | <b>Call Immediately</b>  |
| <b>Lead, adult blood, any level<sup>4</sup></b>                         | <b>Call Immediately</b>  | West Nile Fever  | Within 1 week            |
| Legionellosis <sup>3</sup>  | Within 1 week            | <b>Yellow fever</b>  | <b>Call Immediately</b>  |
| Listeriosis <sup>3</sup>  | Within 1 week            | Yersiniosis <sup>3</sup>   | Within 1 week            |

In addition to specified reportable conditions, **any outbreak, exotic disease, or unusual group expression of disease that may be of public health concern should be reported by the most expeditious means available.**

<sup>1</sup> Please refer to specific rules and regulations for reporting and who to report to at: <http://www.dshs.state.tx.us/hivstd/>

<sup>2</sup> Labs must send specimen remaining after confirmation of HIV to CDC-designated laboratory. Call 512-533-3041 for details

<sup>3</sup> Reporting and investigation forms are available at <http://www.dshs.state.tx.us/idcu/investigation/>

<sup>4</sup> Please refer to specific rules and regulations for reporting and who to report to at <http://www.dshs.state.tx.us/epitox/default.shtm>

<sup>5</sup> Please refer to specific rules and regulations for reporting and who to report to at <http://www.dshs.state.tx.us/tcr/lawrules.shtm>

<sup>6</sup> Please refer to specific rules and regulations for reporting and who to report to at <http://www.dshs.state.tx.us/injury/default.shtm>

<sup>7</sup> Lab isolate must be sent to DSHS lab. Call 512-458-7598 for specimen submission information.

<sup>8</sup> Please refer to specific rules and regulations for reporting and who to report to at <http://www.dshs.state.tx.us/idcu/disease/tb/>

### Call Immediately 24/7 Phone Numbers

*Information for your local or regional health department can be found at:*

<http://www.dshs.state.tx.us/regions/default.shtm>

Department of State Health Services  
Business Hours 1-800-252-8239 / After Hours Physician On Call 512-458-7111