

Draft Summary of Changes to the Reportable Disease List – Los Angeles County DPH
(Dated 8/24/16)

Note to Health Professionals: The [REPORTABLE DISEASES AND CONDITIONS \(2/20/16\)](#) list web posted on our [Health Professionals Reporting Page](#) will soon reflect recent list updates by the state (CDPH). Meanwhile, please use this draft list of pending changes in conjunction with the outdated list.

The following conditions have been **removed** and are no longer required to be reported to the Los Angeles County Department of Public Health (LAC DPH):

- Pelvic Inflammatory Disease (PID)
- Severe Acute Respiratory Syndrome (SARS)
- *Staphylococcus aureus* infection
- Toxic Shock Syndrome

The following conditions have been **added** and are now required to be reported to LAC DPH:

- Chikungunya Virus Infection – *report within one working day*
- Flavivirus infection of undetermined species – *report immediately by telephone*
- Novel Virus Infection with Pandemic Potential – *report immediately by telephone*
- Zika Virus Infection - *report immediately by telephone*

The following conditions have been **reworded** for clarity:

- Acquired Immune Deficiency Syndrome (AIDS) is reworded to Human Immunodeficiency Virus (HIV) Infection, stage 3 (AIDS) – *report by electronic transmission, fax, telephone or mail within 7 working days from identification*
- Human Immunodeficiency Virus (HIV), Acute Infection now appears as a separate condition in the list – *report by telephone within 1 working day*
- Anaplasmosis/Ehrlichiosis now appear as two separate conditions in the list – *report by electronic transmission, fax, telephone or mail within 7 calendar days from identification*
- *Haemophilus influenzae*, invasive disease is reworded to *Haemophilus influenzae*, invasive disease, all serotypes

The following conditions have a **change** in a reporting requirement:

- *Haemophilus influenzae*, invasive disease, is now required to be reported only in persons less than five years of age (previously was in persons less than 15 years of age)
- Hantavirus Infection is now required to be reported within one working day of identification (previously was immediately reportable).
- Respiratory Syncytial Virus, fatal cases and less than 5 years old (this removes our local requirement of including ICU cases and now matches the state requirement which is only fatal cases less than 5 years old)

The following conditions have a **different** reporting requirement in Los Angeles County than the state:

- Influenza deaths, laboratory confirmed cases only, all ages (state requirement is ages 0-64)
- Myelitis, acute flaccid (reportable in Los Angeles County)
- Respiratory Syncytial Virus, ICU or fatal cases, and less than 5 years old (state requirement is only fatal cases less than 5 years old)
- Scabies, atypical or crusted (reportable in Los Angeles County)
- Streptococcal Infection, Invasive Group A, including Streptococcal Toxic Shock Syndrome and Necrotizing Fasciitis; do **not** report individual cases of pharyngitis or scarlet fever (reportable in Los Angeles County)