

REPORTABLE DISEASES IN KANSAS for health care providers, hospitals, and laboratories
(K.S.A. 65-118, 65-128, 65-6001 - 65-6007, K.A.R. 28-1-2, 28-1-4, and 28-1-18. Changes effective as of 4/28/2006)

 - Indicates that a telephone report is required by law within four hours of suspect or confirmed cases to KDHE toll-free at 877-427-7317

 - Indicates that an isolates must be sent to: Division of Health and Environmental Laboratories
6810 SE Dwight Street, Topeka, KS 66620
For Isolate Questions call: (785) 296-1633

Acquired Immune Deficiency Syndrome (AIDS)

Amebiasis

Anthrax 

Arboviral disease (including West Nile virus, Western Equine encephalitis (WEE) and St. Louis encephalitis (SLE)) - indicate virus whenever possible

Botulism 

Brucellosis

Campylobacter infections

Chancroid

Chlamydia trachomatis genital infection

Cholera 

Cryptosporidiosis

Cyclospora infection

Diphtheria

Ehrlichiosis

Escherichia coli O157:H7 (and other shiga-toxin producing *E. coli*, also known as STEC) 

Giardiasis

Gonorrhea

Haemophilus influenza, invasive disease

Hantavirus Pulmonary Syndrome

Hemolytic uremic syndrome, postdiarrheal

Hepatitis, viral (acute and chronic)

Hepatitis B during pregnancy

Human Immunodeficiency Virus (HIV) (includes Viral Load Tests)

Influenza deaths in children <18 years of age

Legionellosis

Leprosy (Hansen disease)

Listeriosis

Lyme disease

Malaria

Measles (rubeola) 

Meningitis, bacterial 

Meningococemia  

Mumps 

Pertussis (whooping cough) 

Plague (*Yersinia pestis*) 

Poliomyelitis 

Psittacosis

Q Fever (*Coxiella burnetii*) 

Rabies, human and animal 

Rocky Mountain Spotted Fever

Rubella, including congenital rubella syndrome 

Salmonellosis, including typhoid fever 

Severe Acute Respiratory Syndrome (SARS)  

Shigellosis 

Smallpox 

Streptococcal invasive, drug-resistant disease from Group A *Streptococcus* or *Streptococcus pneumoniae* 

Syphilis, including congenital syphilis

Tetanus

Toxic shock syndrome, streptococcal and staphylococcal

Transmissible Spongiform Encephalopathy (TSE) or prion disease (includes CJD)

Trichinosis

Tuberculosis, active disease  

Tuberculosis, latent infection

Tularemia

Varicella (chickenpox)

Viral hemorrhagic fever 

Yellow fever

In addition, laboratories must report:

- Viral load results of reportable diseases
- ALL blood lead levels, as of 12/2002 (KCLPPP/ABLES)
- CD4+ T-lymphocyte count < 500/ μ l or CD4+ T-lymphocytes <29% of total lymphocytes

Outbreaks, unusual occurrence of any disease, exotic or newly recognized diseases, and suspect acts of terrorism should be reported within 4 hours by telephone to the Epidemiology Hotline: 877-427-7317

Mail or fax reports to your local health department and/or to:

KDHE Bureau of Epidemiology and Public Health Informatics, 1000 SW Jackson, Suite 075, Topeka, KS 66612-1274
Fax: 877-427-7318 (toll-free)