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**Winnebago County  
Health Department**

# Communicable Disease Third Quarter Report

Winnebago County		State of WI		Winnebago County		State of WI	
2018 Cases		2018 Cases		2019 Cases		2019 Cases	
Qtr 3	YTD	Qtr 3	YTD	Qtr 3	YTD	Qtr 3	YTD

STI's								
Chlamydia	177	627	7387	21127	156	522	6797	20893
Gonorrhea	32	99	2139	5821	29	96	2178	6057
Syphilis	3	8	153	435	1	11	104	387

Vaccine Preventable Diseases								
Hep A	0	0	3	13	0	0	2	2
Hep B-Chronic	2	5	114	320	2	7	40	187
Mumps	0	0	7	20	0	0	6	20
Pertussis	0	9	170	477	8	11	88	284
Varicella	0	6	57	195	1	10	91	245

Respiratory								
Blastomycosis	0	1	27	88	0	1	0	1
Influenza	0	158	10	6449	0	71	0	793
TB Disease	0	0	16	39	0	0	11	36
TB Infection (LTBI)	4	14	355	723	3	22	167	694

GI Diseases								
Campylobacteriosis	20	49	613	1337	7	21	9	685
Shiga Toxigenic E Coli	3	19	232	469	2	25	32	236
Giardia	7	10	309	535	3	8	235	410
Hepatitis C	23	73	674	2125	7	43	372	1557
Salmonellosis	6	26	408	861	0	14	37	410
Shigellosis	0	2	39	111	0	2	34	66
Yersiniosis	1	2	10	51	0	2	5	46

## Pertussis: [WI Pertussis page](#) & [CDC Pertussis page](#)

- **If you have a suspect case or are considering testing someone, report it IMMEDIATELY by TELEPHONE to the local health department (LHD).** LHD should be notified of suspected cases *before* test results are even received.
- **Isolate symptomatic patients for 5 days of antibiotic therapy.** Test symptomatic patients with NP swab for PCR as soon as possible and preferably within 21 days of cough onset.
- During January 1 through August 31, 2019, 240 cases (98 confirmed and 105 probable) of pertussis with onset during 2019 were reported among Wisconsin residents. In comparison, 407 cases were reported during the same time period in 2018.
- Resources: <https://www.dhs.wisconsin.gov/publications/p0/p00688.pdf>

## Vaping: [CDC Vaping Outbreak of Lung Injury](#)

- **Providers:** As this investigation continues, CDC encourages clinicians to **report possible cases of e-cigarette or vaping-associated lung injury** to their local or state health department for further investigation.
- As of October 1, 2019, 1,080\* lung injury cases associated with using e-cigarette, or vaping, products have been reported to CDC from 48 states and 1 U.S. territory. Eighteen deaths have been confirmed in 15 states.

## NEW WCHD Website Layout: <https://www.co.winnebago.wi.us/health/divisions-program-areas/communicable-disease/resources-healthcare-professionals>

- Come check out the updated CD section on the WCHD website featuring a new Provider button. Let us know any suggestions you may have for improving the site.
- Updated TB Toolkit coming soon.

## Reportable Diseases

A selection of common reportable disease are showcased to the left; more extensive lists can be found in the [full-length report](#).

## Helpful links:

- [Reportable Diseases in Wisconsin: DHS link](#)
- [Winnebago County Health Department](#)
- [CDC: www.cdc.gov](http://www.cdc.gov)

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