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District Health Office Contact Information

Northwest Health District
Epidemiology Section
1309 Redmond Road
Rome, GA 30165-1391
Phone (706) 295-6656
FAX (706) 802-5342

North Georgia Health District
Infectious Disease Department
100 West Walnut Ave., Suite 92
Dalton, GA 30720-8417
Phone (706) 272-2342
FAX (706) 272-2929

North Health District
1280 Athens Street
Gainesville, GA 30507-7000
Phone (770) 535-5743
FAX (770) 535-5958

Cobb and Douglas Public Health
Center for Health Assessment
1650 County Services Pkwy., SW
Marietta, GA 30008-4010
Phone (770) 514-2432
FAX (770) 514-2313

Fulton Health District
Fulton County Department of
Health and Wellness
Office of Epidemiology
99 Jesse Hill Jr. Dr., SE
Atlanta, GA 30303-3030
Phone (404) 730-1391
FAX (404) 730-1326

Clayton County Board of
Health District
Administrative Office
1117 Battlecreek Road
Jonesboro, GA 30236-2407
Phone (678) 610-7199
FAX (770) 603-4873

East Metro Health District
Office of Infectious Diseases
2570 Riverside Parkway
P.O. Box 897
Lawrenceville, GA 30046-0897
Phone (770) 339-4260
After hours (404) 323-1910
FAX (770) 339-5971

DeKalb Health District
Office of Infectious Diseases
445 Winn Way
P.O. Box 987
Decatur, GA 30031-1701
Phone (404) 508-7851
FAX (404) 508-7813

LaGrange Health District
122 Gordon Commercial Dr.
Suite A
LaGrange, GA 30240-5740
Phone (706) 845-4035
FAX (706) 845-4038

South Central Health District
2121-B Bellevue Road
Dublin, GA 31021-2998
Phone (478) 275-6545
FAX (478) 275-6575

North Central Health District
Infectious Disease Unit Supervisor
811 Hemlock Street
Macon, GA 31201-2198
Phone (478) 751-6214
FAX (478) 752-1710

East Central Health District
1916 North Leg Rd. Bldg. B
Augusta, GA 30909-4437
Phone (706) 667-4260
FAX (706) 667-4792

West Central Health District
Epidemiology Unit
2100 Comer Ave.
P.O. Box 2299
Columbus, GA 31902-2299
Phone (706) 321-6300
FAX (706) 321-6155

South Health District
Epidemiology
325 West Savannah Ave.
Valdosta, GA 31601-5901
Phone (229) 333-5290
FAX (229) 259-5003
Toll Free 866-801-5360

Southwest Health District
1109 N. Jackson Street
Albany, GA 31701-2022
Phone (229) 430-4599
FAX (229) 430-7853

Coastal Health District
Epidemiology
24 Oglethorpe Professional Blvd.
P.O. Box 14257
Savannah, GA 31406
PHONE (912) 644-5232
FAX (912) 644-5230

Southeast Health District
Office of Infectious Diseases
1115 Church Street, Suite C
Waycross, GA 31501-3525
Phone (912) 285-6022
FAX (912) 338-5309

Northeast Health District
Epidemiology Section
220 Research Drive
Athens, GA 30605-2738
Phone (706) 583-2868
FAX (706) 369-5640

State Contact Information

Department of Public Health
2 Peachtree Street, N.W.
14th Floor
Atlanta, GA 30303-3142
Phone (404) 657-2588
FAX (404) 657-2608

NOTIFIABLE DISEASE/CONDITION REPORT FORM

All Georgia physicians, laboratories, and other health care providers are required by law to report patients with conditions of public health concern listed on the reverse of the enclosed form. Both lab-confirmed and clinical diagnoses are reportable within the time interval specified.

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Instructions:

1. Report cases for all diseases, except those noted below, electronically through the State Electronic Notifiable Disease Surveillance System at: <http://sendss.state.ga.us>
OR
Complete reverse of this Notifiable Disease/Condition Report Form and mail, in an envelope marked CONFIDENTIAL, to: District Health Office (see cover for contact information)
OR
Fax to: District Health Office (see cover for contact information).
2. Fill out the form as completely and as timely as possible, including laboratory submissions.
3. Include treatment information for sexually transmitted diseases.
4. Report symptoms and tests needed to establish the diagnosis for viral hepatitis and Lyme disease and other tick-borne diseases.
5. If you mail the form, photocopy the form as your record of reported disease/condition.
6. Report a suspect case of hearing impairment (under age 5) by completing the Children 1st Screening and Referral Form. Report a confirmed case of hearing impairment (under age 5) by completing the Surveillance of Hearing Impairment in Infants and Young Children Form (both forms available at: <http://health.state.ga.us/programs/unhs/reporting.asp>)
7. For Birth Defects, DO NOT USE THIS FORM,
Refer to the Georgia Birth Defects Reporting and Information System (GBDRIS) Reporting Guidelines (available at: <http://health.state.ga.us/epi/mch/birthdefects/gbdris/publications.asp>).
8. For Cancer and Benign Brain Tumor, DO NOT USE THIS FORM,
Refer to the GCCR Policy and Procedure Manual (available at: <http://health.state.ga.us/programs/gccr/reporting.asp>)
AND
Call the Georgia Comprehensive Cancer Registry at 404-463-8919 for how and what to report.
9. For HIV infections and AIDS, DO NOT USE THIS FORM,
Complete the Georgia HIV/AIDS Confidential Case Report Form (available at: <http://health.state.ga.us/epi/hiv/aids>) or by calling 1-800-827-9769) and mail in an envelope marked CONFIDENTIAL to:

Georgia Department of Public Health, Epidemiology Section
P.O. Box 2107
Atlanta, GA 30301

GEORGIA NOTIFIABLE DISEASE/CONDITION REPORT FORM

REPORT CASES BY MAIL, FAX OR PHONE TO DISTRICT HEALTH OFFICE
OR TO SENDSS (<http://sendss.state.ga.us>)

Disease/Condition _____

Medical Record Number _____

PATIENT DEMOGRAPHICS

Patient's Name

Last Name _____ First Name _____ MI _____

Patient's Address

Street _____

City _____ State _____ Zip+4 _____ County _____

() _____ () _____ () _____

Patient's Home Phone _____ Patient's Work Phone _____ Patient's Other Phone _____

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|---|---|--|---|
| Date of Birth ____ / ____ / ____ | | Age _____ | Age Type <input type="checkbox"/> Yrs <input type="checkbox"/> Mos <input type="checkbox"/> Weeks <input type="checkbox"/> Days <input type="checkbox"/> Unk |
| Ethnicity | | Sex | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Hispanic | <input type="checkbox"/> Non-Hispanic | <input type="checkbox"/> Male | <input type="checkbox"/> Female |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Unknown | | <input type="checkbox"/> Unknown | |
| Race | | | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Asian | <input type="checkbox"/> Black/African-American | <input type="checkbox"/> Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Native American or Alaska Native | <input type="checkbox"/> Multiracial | <input type="checkbox"/> Other | <input type="checkbox"/> Unknown |
| | | <input type="checkbox"/> White | |

CLINICAL INFORMATION

Illness Onset Date
____ / ____ / ____

| | | | |
|--------------|--|------------|--|
| Hospitalized | Y N UNK | Outpatient | Y N UNK |
| Emergency Rm | <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> | | <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> |

Died? Y N UNK

Date of Death: ____ / ____ / ____

If hospitalized, complete: Hospital Name _____ Admit Date _____ Discharge Date _____

LABORATORY INFORMATION *Report Hepatitis information in Viral Hepatitis box below

| Specimen Collection Date | Test Name (ex. Culture, IFA, IGM, EIA) | Specimen Type (ex. Stool, Blood, CSF) | Result (ex. +/-, titer, Presumptive) | Species / Serotype | Lab Name |
|--------------------------|---|--|---|--------------------|----------|
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ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

| | Yes | No | UNK |
|---|--------------------------|--------------------------|--------------------------|
| Pregnant | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Nursing Home or other Chronic Care Facility | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Child In Daycare | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Daycare Worker | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Prisoner/Detainee | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Food Handler | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Health Care Worker | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Outbreak Related | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Travel in Last 4 Weeks | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |

*VIRAL HEPATITIS

Date of test(s) _____

Test Results

Pos | Neg | UNK

| | | | | |
|-------------|----------------------------------|--------------------------|--------------------------|--------------------------|
| Hepatitis A | Total anti-HAV | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| | IgM anti-HAV | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Hepatitis B | HBsAg | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| | Total anti-HBc | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Hepatitis C | IgM anti-HBc | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| | anti-HCV (EIA) | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| | anti-HCV signal to cut-off ratio | _____ | | |
| | RIBA | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| All | HCV RNA (PCR, bDNA) | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| | ALT(SGPT) | _____ | AST (SGOT) | _____ |

REPORTER INFORMATION

Report Date ____ / ____ / ____

Reporter Name _____

Reporter Phone () _____

Reporter Institution _____

Physician Name _____

Physician Phone () _____

Comments/Symptoms/Treatment:

Local Use Only

State Use Only

Additional form completed

Name: _____

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REPORT IMMEDIATELY

To Report Immediately

Call: District Health Office or
1-866-PUB-HLTH (1-866-782-4584)

- any cluster of illnesses
- animal bites
- ▶ anthrax
- all acute arboviral infections:
 - Eastern Equine Encephalitis (EEE)
 - LaCrosse Encephalitis (LAC)
 - St. Louis Encephalitis (SLE)
 - West Nile Virus (WNV)
- ▶ botulism
- ▶ brucellosis
- cholera
- diphtheria
- E. coli* O157
- Haemophilus influenzae* (invasive)*
- hantavirus pulmonary syndrome
- hemolytic uremic syndrome (HUS)
- hepatitis A (acute)
- measles (rubeola)
- meningitis (specify agent)
- meningococcal disease
- novel influenza A virus infections
- pertussis
- ▶ plague
- poliomyelitis
- ▶ Q fever
- rabies (human & animal)
- severe acute respiratory syndrome (SARS)
- shiga toxin positive tests
- S. aureus* with vancomycin MIC $\geq 4\mu\text{g/ml}$
- ▶ smallpox
- syphilis (congenital & adult)
- tuberculosis
- latent TB infection in children <5 years old
- ▶ tularemia
- ▶ viral hemorrhagic fevers

▶ Potential agent of bioterrorism.

* Invasive = isolated from blood, bone, CSF, joint, pericardial, peritoneal, or pleural fluid.

REPORT WITHIN 7 DAYS

To Report Within 7 Days

Report cases electronically through the State Electronic Notifiable Disease Surveillance System at <http://sendss.state.ga.us> (SEE REPORTING FOOTNOTES BELOW.)

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| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> AIDS# aseptic meningitis blood lead level (all) campylobacteriosis chancroid <i>Chlamydia trachomatis</i> (genital infection) Creutzfeldt-Jakob Disease (CJD), suspected cases, under age 55 cryptosporidiosis cyclosporiasis ehrlichiosis giardiasis gonorrhea HIV# hearing impairment[†] (permanent, under age 5) hepatitis B <ul style="list-style-type: none"> -acute hepatitis B -newly identified HBsAg+ carriers** -HBsAg+ pregnant women hepatitis C virus infection (past or present) influenza-associated death (all ages) legionellosis | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> leptospirosis listeriosis*** leprosy or Hansen's disease (<i>Mycobacterium leprae</i>) Lyme disease lymphogranuloma venereum malaria maternal death## methicillin-resistant <i>S. aureus</i> (community-associated)* mumps psittacosis Rocky Mountain spotted fever rubella (including congenital) salmonellosis shigellosis streptococcal disease, Group A or B (invasive)* <i>Streptococcus pneumoniae</i> (invasive)* <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - report with antibiotic-resistance information tetanus toxic shock syndrome toxoplasmosis typhoid Varicella (Chickenpox) <i>Vibrio</i> infections yersiniosis |
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** HBsAg+ = hepatitis B surface antigen positive.

*** *L. monocytogenes* isolated from blood, bone, CSF, joint, pericardial, peritoneal, or pleural fluid, or other normally sterile site; or from placenta or products of conception in conjunction with fetal death or illness. Infant mortality is reportable to Vital Records.

† Resulting in severe illness or death

REPORTING HIV/AIDS:

Report forms and reporting information for HIV/AIDS available by telephone (1-800-827-9769) OR at <http://health.state.ga.us/epi/hiv/aids/reportinginformation.asp>. For mailing HIV/AIDS reports, please use double envelopes marked "confidential", addressed to Georgia Department of Public Health Epidemiology Section, P.O.Box 2107, Atlanta, GA 30301

† Report forms and reporting information for **hearing impairment** available at <http://health.state.ga.us/programs/unhs/reporting.asp>

REPORT WITHIN 1 MONTH

- birth defects (under age 6)
- maternal deaths (during pregnancy or within 1 year of delivery)

Report forms and reporting information for **birth defects and maternal deaths** available at <http://health.state.ga.us/epi/mch/publications.asp>

REPORT WITHIN 6 MONTHS

- benign brain and central nervous system tumors
- cancer

Report forms and reporting information for **tumors and cancer** found at <http://health.state.ga.us/programs/gccr/reporting.asp>