

WESTCHESTER COUNTY DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH
MONTHLY MORBIDITY REPORT*

OCTOBER 2023
Data as of 11/15/2023

Diseases	Current Month			Monthly Cumulative			Annual Totals				
	2023	2022	2021	2023	2022	2021	2022	2021	2020	2019	2018
A. Vaccine-Preventable Diseases											
Measles	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	18	0
Mumps	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	3	2	10
Pertussis	0	7	1	2	9	3	13	3	20	103	49
B. CNS Diseases and Bacteremias											
Botulism	0	1	0	0	1	1	1	1	0	0	0
Encephalitis	1	1	0	6	7	11	10	11	8	7	11
<i>West Nile Encephalitis (lab positive)</i>	1	1	0	5	5	3	5	3	3	1	4
<i>Non-West Nile Encephalitis</i>	0	0	0	1	2	8	5	8	5	6	7
Haemophilus Influenzae	1	1	0	18	5	4	10	4	8	25	21
Listeriosis	2	0	1	7	3	1	4	1	4	6	7
Melioidosis	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0
Meningitis	3	6	1	29	28	11	36	15	24	61	35
<i>Aseptic Meningitis</i>	3	6	0	20	26	8	31	11	17	43	31
<i>Meningococcal Disease</i>	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	2	2	1
<i>Other Meningitis/Bacteremias</i>	0	0	1	7	2	3	5	4	5	16	3
Group A Strep	1	0	1	31	8	6	11	8	20	29	23
Group B Strep	0	5	7	76	65	65	77	77	84	80	75
Invasive Strep Pneumoniae	8	4	0	47	32	16	44	20	21	62	64
<i>Invasive Strep Pneumoniae</i>	8	4	0	43	29	14	41	18	18	54	57
<i>Drug-Resistant Strep Pneumoniae</i>	0	0	0	4	3	2	3	2	3	8	7
C. Enteric Infections											
Amebiasis	1	0	2	16	4	9	5	9	17	19	20
Calicivirus	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2
Campylobacteriosis	25	30	15	309	245	202	289	231	160	265	247
Cryptosporidiosis	6	3	5	48	58	29	64	30	32	47	19
Cyclosporidiosis	1	1	0	38	24	17	25	18	18	28	14
Giardiasis	10	14	9	96	64	56	75	74	50	100	76
Salmonellosis	15	7	18	171	148	105	159	124	104	159	117
Shigellosis	6	5	3	85	51	20	60	27	21	59	36
STEC (E. Coli 0157) ⁽¹⁾	9	2	6	93	50	40	64	45	33	51	26
Typhoid	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	4	3
Vibriosis	1	1	0	22	17	12	18	13	13	13	14
Yersiniosis	4	3	2	100	72	37	82	52	42	56	22
D. Viral Hepatitis											
Hepatitis A	0	0	0	5	5	2	5	2	4	13	7
Hepatitis B	39	22	15	259	179	187	220	235	194	265	253
<i>Acute</i>	0	0	0	0	2	2	2	2	0	4	3
<i>Chronic</i> ⁽²⁾	39	22	15	259	177	185	218	233	194	261	250
Hepatitis C	12	11	18	164	143	188	175	213	222	285	307
<i>Acute</i>	2	1	0	6	8	6	9	7	8	1	3
<i>Chronic</i> ⁽²⁾	10	10	18	158	135	182	166	206	214	284	304
E. Sexually Transmitted Diseases											
Chlamydia	354	326	294	3,282	3,204	2,948	3,803	3,522	3,020	4,268	3,973
Gonorrhea	74	72	80	719	769	806	913	997	1,023	910	775
Herpes Infant	0	0	0	0	3	0	3	0	0	0	2
Syphilis (All Stages) ⁽³⁾	26	35	20	301	292	296	360	334	246	220	231
<i>Early Syphilis</i>	14	21	17	141	164	193	200	220	165	139	131
<i>Primary and Secondary</i>	6	10	7	68	87	105	110	115	86	84	70
<i>Early Latent</i>	8	11	10	73	77	88	90	105	79	55	61
<i>All other</i>	12	14	3	160	128	103	160	114	81	81	100
Congenital Syphilis	0	0	1	3	1	1	1	1	1	0	2
Monkey Pox	0	3	0	6	90	0	92	0	0	0	0

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	2023	2022	2021	2023	2022	2021	2022	2021	2020	2019	2018
F. Tuberculosis											
Tuberculosis (confirmed)	2	2	2	28	26	21	33	24	23	24	36
Tuberculosis (suspected)	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
G. Vector-Borne, Zoonoses											
Anaplasmosis	0	0	0	41	14	44	17	44	37	39	26
Babesiosis	1	0	1	66	37	55	37	55	57	67	85
Chikungunya	0	0	0	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
Dengue Fever	5	0	0	13	0	1	1	1	6	6	2
Ehrlichiosis	0	0	0	5	2	6	2	6	6	9	9
Anaplasmosis/Ehrlichiosis Undetermined	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	1
Lyme Disease ⁽⁴⁾	208	58	0	2,444	868	1	968	3	56	79	113
<i>Sentinel Surveillance Cases</i>	—	—	—	—	0	1	0	1	31	68	65
<i>Non-Sentinel Surveillance Cases</i>	—	—	—	—	868	0	968	2	25	11	48
<i>NYSDOH Calculated Incidence</i>	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	329	312	407
Malaria	3	0	0	15	4	12	5	13	1	14	15
Rocky Mountain Spotted Fever	0	0	1	4	0	4	0	6	0	3	3
Zika Virus (Travel-associated)	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	1	0	2
<i>Symptomatic Cases</i>	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	1	0	2
<i>Asymptomatic Cases</i>	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
H. Influenza (Laboratory-Confirmed) ⁽⁵⁾											
Influenza A	158	484	8	2,225	7,747	54	24,767	2,025	2,991	5,567	4,696
Influenza B	86	46	6	1,254	229	57	402	141	2,740	882	3,462
Influenza, Unspecified	25	50	7	450	858	50	2,042	214	5	6	25
Influenza, Swine-Origin (H1N1)	16	26	1	183	33	1	585	2	0	0	0
I. Others											
Legionellosis	3	2	4	23	16	37	20	39	27	41	44
Toxic Shock Syndrome	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0
Vancomycin-intermediate (VISA) or Vancomycin-resistant (VRSA) <i>S. aureus</i>	0	2	0	2	2	1	3	1	0	0	1

* Reporting of suspected or confirmed communicable diseases is mandated under the New York State Sanitary Code (10NYCRR2.10). The Westchester County Department of Health Monthly Morbidity Report lists the reportable diseases occurred among Westchester County residents during specific time periods. Data are extracted from the New York State's Communicable Disease Electronic Surveillance System (CDESS) unless otherwise noted. The incidence of a disease is reported by the date of diagnosis. If the diagnosis date is not available, the incidence is reported by the available dates according to the following hierarchy: symptom date, date reported to the Health Department, date when the Health Department received the record, or date when a supplemental file was created. Diseases with no cases reported for five years prior are not included. Some disease categories may include probable cases; thus, the number of cases over time may change to reflect recent changes in case status.

1. Shiga toxin producing E. Coli (STEC); may include non-0157 shiga toxin producing strains of E. Coli.
2. Data may be incomplete due to surveillance limitations.
3. Total syphilis cases do not include congenital syphilis.
4. Prior to January 2022, Lyme disease totals includes number of confirmed cases from sentinel surveillance, erythema migrans (EM) rash and provider reporting. Cases from the sentinel surveillance are based on the 20% of cases randomly extracted from those reported to WCDH through New York State's Electronic Clinical Laboratory Reporting System (ECLRS). Starting from 2022, Lyme disease surveillance will be based on laboratory reports for case classification. All cases that meet the updated laboratory criteria will be classified as probable cases.
5. Type of influenza specified by testing facilities.

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