

New Mexico Department of Health (NMDOH)

Reportable Diseases and Conditions Guide, August 2026

Report suspected and confirmed cases to the New Mexico Department of Health (NMDOH) 24/7 at 1-833-796-8773 or fax to 505-827-0013 for immediately reportable diseases (see rows in blue). Variables that are required to be reported can be found at the end of the document.

Reportable Diseases and Conditions in Humans Requiring Rapid Reporting	Reporting Timeline	Specimen ¹ Required to be Sent to SLD?
Acute illnesses or conditions of any type involving large numbers of persons in the same geographic area	Immediately	No
Anthrax	Immediately	Yes
Arboviral disease	Within 24 hours	No
Avian or novel influenza	Immediately	Yes
Bordetella species (including pertussis)	Immediately	Yes
Botulism (any type)	Immediately	Yes
Brucellosis	Within 24 hours	No
<i>Campylobacter</i> infections	Within 24 hours	Yes
<i>Candida auris</i> (<i>C. auris</i>)	Within 24 hours	Yes
Carbapenemase-producing -organism (CPO)	Within 24 hours	Yes
Carbapenem-resistant <i>Acinetobacter baumannii</i> (CRAB)	Within 24 hours	Yes
Carbapenem-resistant enterobacterales (CRE)	Within 24 hours	Yes
Carbapenem-resistant <i>Pseudomonas aeruginosa</i> (CRPA)	Within 24 hours	Yes
Chikungunya virus disease	Within 24 hours	No
Cholera	Immediately	Yes
<i>Clostridium difficile</i> ²	Within 24 hours	No
Coccidioidomycosis	Within 24 hours	No
Colorado tick fever	Within 24 hours	No
Cryptosporidiosis	Within 24 hours	No
Cysticercosis	Within 24 hours	No
Cyclosporiasis	Within 24 hours	No
Dengue	Within 24 hours	No
Diphtheria	Immediately	Yes
<i>E. coli</i> 0157:H7 infections	Within 24 hours	Yes

¹ Isolates, laboratory, and clinical samples

² Required for sentinel surveillance which is conducted through a network of selected geographical reporting sites known as sentinel sites

<i>E. coli</i> , Shiga-toxin producing (STEC) infections	Within 24 hours	Yes
Encephalitis, other	Within 24 hours	No
Foodborne illness in two or more unrelated persons, suspected	Immediately	Yes
Giardiasis	Within 24 hours	No
Group A streptococcal invasive infections	Within 24 hours	Yes
Group B streptococcal invasive infections	Within 24 hours	Yes
<i>Haemophilus influenzae</i> invasive infections	Immediately	Yes
Hansen's disease/leprosy	Within 24 hours	Yes
Hantavirus pulmonary syndrome	Within 24 hours	No
Hemolytic uremic syndrome	Within 24 hours	No
Hepatitis A, acute	Within 24 hours	No
Hepatitis B, acute or chronic	Within 24 hours	No
Hepatitis C, acute or chronic: report antibody positive results and all PCR and genotype results, including negative; for children under 4 only, report antibody negative results	Within 24 hours	No
Hepatitis E, acute	Within 24 hours	No
Illnesses or conditions suspected to be caused by the intentional or accidental release of biologic or chemical agents	Immediately	Yes
Influenza-associated pediatric death	Within 24 hours	No
Influenza, laboratory-confirmed hospitalization only ²	Within 24 hours	No
Legionnaires' disease	Within 24 hours	No
Leptospirosis	Within 24 hours	No
Listeriosis	Within 24 hours	Yes
Lyme disease	Within 24 hours	No
Malaria	Within 24 hours	No
Measles	Immediately	No
Meningococcal infections, invasive	Immediately	Yes
Middle East Respiratory Syndrome	Immediately	No
Mumps	Within 24 hours	No
Necrotizing fasciitis	Within 24 hours	Yes
Plague	Immediately	Yes
Poliomyelitis, paralytic and non-paralytic	Immediately	No
Psittacosis	Within 24 hours	No
Q fever	Within 24 hours	No
Rabies	Immediately	No
Relapsing fever	Within 24 hours	No
Respiratory Syncytial Virus (RSV), laboratory-confirmed hospitalization only ²	Within 24 hours	No
Rubella (including congenital)	Immediately	No
Salmonellosis	Within 24 hours	Yes
SARS-COV-2 (COVID-19), laboratory-confirmed hospitalization only ²	Within 24 hours	Yes
Severe Acute Respiratory Syndrome (SARS)	Immediately	Yes

Severe smallpox vaccine reaction	Immediately	No
Shigellosis	Within 24 hours	Yes
Smallpox	Immediately	Yes
Spotted fever rickettsiosis/Rocky Mountain spotted fever	Within 24 hours	No
St. Louis encephalitis infections	Within 24 hours	No
<i>Streptococcus pneumoniae</i> , invasive infections	Within 24 hours	Yes
Tetanus	Within 24 hours	Yes
Trichinellosis	Within 24 hours	Yes
Toxic shock syndrome	Within 24 hours	No
Tuberculosis, active disease (suspected or lab-confirmed)	Within 24 hours	Yes
Tularemia	Immediately	Yes
Typhoid fever	Immediately	Yes
Varicella	Within 24 hours	No
<i>Vibrio</i> infections	Within 24 hours	Yes
Viral hemorrhagic fever	Immediately	No
Waterborne illness or conditions in two or more unrelated persons, suspected	Immediately	Yes
West Nile virus infections	Within 24 hours	No
Western Equine Encephalitis infections	Within 24 hours	No
<i>Yersinia</i> infections (other than plague)	Within 24 hours	Yes
Yellow fever	Immediately	No

Reportable Diseases and Conditions in Animals Requiring Rapid Reporting	Reporting Timeline	Specimen¹ Required to be Sent to SLD?
Anthrax	Immediately	No
Arboviral diseases	Within 24 hours	No
Brucellosis	Within 24 hours	No
Plague	Immediately	No
Rabies	Immediately	No
Psittacosis	Within 24 hours	No
Tularemia	Immediately	No
West Nile virus infection	Within 24 hours	No

Additional Notifiable Conditions

For the following additional reportable conditions, if they are primarily and timely reported through electronic feeds, NMDOH does not need a report by fax or phone. However, it is always a good idea to verify reporting by your facility for any of these conditions. If available, additional (other than by phone at 1-833-796-8773) mechanisms for reporting these conditions are provided below.

Additional Notifiable Conditions	Supplemental Reporting Mechanism(s)
Arsenic in urine greater than 50 micrograms/liter	None if reported through electronic feeds
<u>Birth defects</u> diagnosed during pregnancy, diagnosed on fetal deaths, or found in chromosome testing on amniotic fluid, chorionic villus sampling and products of conception for Trisomy 13, Trisomy 18 and Trisomy 21	Fax (505-476-8995)
Cancer	Report to NM Tumor Registry. Call 505-272-5541 for questions on how to report.
Carbon monoxide poisoning	None if reported through electronic feeds
Coal worker's pneumoconiosis	Fax (505-827-0013) using the Occupational Health Surveillance Program Case Reporting Form at https://www.nmhealth.org/publication/view/form/312/
<u>Genetic and congenital hearing screening</u> -Neonatal screening for congenital hearing loss (all results), suspected or confirmed congenital hearing loss in one or both ears, all conditions identified through statewide newborn bloodspot screening, and all results of newborn critical congenital heart defects screening	Fax (505-476-8896) or call 505-476-8868
HIV (human immunodeficiency virus) of all stages	Fax (505-827-0013) using HIV/AIDS Confidential Case Reporting Form at nmhealth.org/publication/view/form/1748/
Human Papilloma Virus	Report to New Mexico HPV Pap Registry. Call 505-272-5785 for questions on how to report.
Infant methemoglobinemia	None if reported through electronic feeds
Lead (all blood levels)	None if reported through electronic feeds
Mercury in urine greater than 3 micrograms/liter or mercury in blood greater than 5 micrograms/liter	None if reported through electronic feeds
Occupational asbestosis	Fax (505-827-0013) using the Occupational Health Surveillance Program Case Reporting Form at https://www.nmhealth.org/publication/view/form/312/

Occupational asthma	Fax (505-827-0013) using the Occupational Health Surveillance Program Case Reporting Form at https://www.nmhealth.org/publication/view/form/312/
Occupational burn hospitalization	Fax (505-827-0013) using the Occupational Health Surveillance Program Case Reporting Form at https://www.nmhealth.org/publication/view/form/312/
Occupational heat-related illness	Fax (505-827-0013) using the Occupational Health Surveillance Program Case Reporting Form at https://www.nmhealth.org/publication/view/form/312/
Occupational hypersensitivity pneumonitis	Fax (505-827-0013) using the Occupational Health Surveillance Program Case Reporting Form at https://www.nmhealth.org/publication/view/form/312/
Occupational injury death	Fax (505-827-0013) using the Occupational Health Surveillance Program Case Reporting Form at https://www.nmhealth.org/publication/view/form/312/
Occupational mesothelioma	Fax (505-827-0013) using the Occupational Health Surveillance Program Case Reporting Form at https://www.nmhealth.org/publication/view/form/312/
Occupational noise-induced hearing loss	Fax (505-827-0013) using the Occupational Health Surveillance Program Case Reporting Form at https://www.nmhealth.org/publication/view/form/312/
Occupational - other illnesses or injuries related to occupational exposure	Fax (505-827-0013) using the Occupational Health Surveillance Program Case Reporting Form at https://www.nmhealth.org/publication/view/form/312/
Occupational pesticide poisoning	Fax (505-827-0013) using the Occupational Health Surveillance Program Case Reporting Form at https://www.nmhealth.org/publication/view/form/312/
Occupational silicosis	Fax (505-827-0013) using the Occupational Health Surveillance Program Case Reporting Form at https://www.nmhealth.org/publication/view/form/312/
Occupational traumatic amputation	Fax (505-827-0013) using the Occupational Health Surveillance Program Case Reporting Form at https://www.nmhealth.org/publication/view/form/312/
Other suspected environmentally-induced health conditions	None if reported through electronic feeds
Pesticide poisoning (not work-related)	None if reported through electronic feeds
Sexually transmitted disease – chancroid, chlamydia, gonorrhea, syphilis	Fax (505-476-3638) using the online reporting form available here: https://www.nmhealth.org/about/phd/idb/std/

Injuries: The following injuries are reportable through electronic feeds

Notifiable Condition	Supplemental Reporting Mechanism
Drug Overdose	None if reported through electronic feeds
Firearm Injuries	None if reported through electronic feeds
Fractures due to fall among older (65 and older) adults	None if reported through electronic feeds
Suicide attempt	None if reported through electronic feeds
Traumatic brain injuries	None if reported through electronic feeds

Notes:

1. Notifiable Conditions updated on July 28, 2026. Entire rule for 7.4.3 NMAC can be found here: <https://www.srca.nm.gov/nmac-home/nmac-titles/title-7-health/> Click “Chapter 4” and then on pdf or html format next to “07.004.0003.”
2. Reporters must include the following elements when reporting suspected and confirmed cases to NMDOH:
 - a. Specimen source, collection date, name of the test and test result;
 - b. Patient’s name, date of birth, gender, race/ethnicity, address, patient telephone numbers, and occupation;
 - c. Physician or licensed healthcare professional name and telephone number; and
 - d. Healthcare facility or laboratory name and telephone number, if applicable;
 - e. Reason for test;
 - f. Additional information required in the course of a public health investigation includes hospitalization status, patient treatment type, exposure status, travel history, and pregnancy status.
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