

# epiSUMMARY

## Manitoba Monthly Surveillance Report

March 2015

Reportable Diseases Disease or Organism Name	Monthly Cases		Monthly Rate (95%CI) (Per 1,000,000)		Current Month Cases by RHA						Year-to-Date Cases		
	Current	3-Year-Average	Current	3-Year-Average	WRHA	IERHA	NRHA	PMH	SH	Unk	2015	2014	Change
<i>Enterics</i>													
AMEBIASIS	1	2	0.8 (0.0-4.3)	1.6 (0.2-5.6)	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	6	-5
E. COLI-VEROTOXIGENIC	1	3	0.8 (0.0-4.3)	2.3 (0.5-6.8)	0	0	0	0	1	0	3	10	-7
SHIGELLOSIS	1	3	0.8 (0.0-4.3)	2.3 (0.5-6.8)	1	0	0	0	0	0	5	10	-5
CRYPTOSPORIDIOSIS	4	4	3.1 (0.8-7.8)	3.1 (0.8-7.9)	1	0	1	0	2	0	7	8	-1
GIARDIASIS	6	7	4.6 (1.7-10.0)	5.4 (2.2-11.2)	3	0	0	2	1	0	15	20	-5
CAMPYLOBACTER	9	12	6.9 (3.2-13.1)	9.3 (4.8-16.3)	4	1	1	1	2	0	28	31	-3
SALMONELLOSIS	23	16	17.6 (11.2-26.4)	12.4 (7.1-20.2)	15	2	0	3	3	0	55	56	-1
<i>VPD</i>													
H. INFLUENZAE (NON-SEROTYPE B)	2	2	1.5 (0.2-5.5)	1.6 (0.2-5.6)	1	1	0	0	0	0	8	3	5
PNEUMOCOCCAL INVASIVE DISEASE	8	14	6.1 (2.6-12.1)	10.9 (5.9-18.2)	2	1	3	0	2	0	22	38	-16
<i>Respiratory Diseases and TB</i>													
TB - NON-RESP.	1	2	0.8 (0.0-4.3)	1.6 (0.2-5.6)	1	0	0	0	0	0	7	4	3
TB - RESP.	6	11	4.6 (1.7-10.0)	8.5 (4.3-15.3)	3	0	3	0	0	0	24	32	-8
INFLUENZA A	10	45	7.7 (3.7-14.1)	34.9 (25.5-46.7)	4	1	0	1	4	0	665	617	48
INFLUENZA B	55	52	42.1 (31.7-54.8)	40.3 (30.1-52.9)	18	4	14	11	8	0	94	13	81

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<b><i>EMD and Zoonotics</i></b>													
BLASTOMYCOSIS	3	1	2.3 (0.5-6.7)	0.8 (0.0-4.3)	2	1	0	0	0	0	7	3	4
MALARIA	1	1	0.8 (0.0-4.3)	0.8 (0.0-4.3)	1	0	0	0	0	0	3	1	2
<b><i>STBBI</i></b>													
HIV	15	6	11.5 (6.4-18.9)	4.7 (1.7-10.1)	11	1	1	0	2	0	30	26	4
SYPHILIS (Sero-reactive)*	66	.....	50.5 (39.1-64.3)	.....	51	3	7	4	1	0	185	135	50
HEPATITIS C	33	33	25.3 (17.4-35.5)	25.6 (17.6-36.0)	20	5	2	5	1	0	90	95	-5
GONORRHEA	101	95	77.3 (63.0-93.9)	73.7 (59.6-90.1)	42	7	42	4	6	0	271	272	-1
CHLAMYDIA	578	536	442.5 (407.1-480.0)	415.8 (381.4-452.6)	271	53	139	78	37	0	1698	1673	25
<b><i>OTHER DISEASES</i></b>													
STREP. INVASIVE DISEASE (GROUP A)	13	13	10.0 (5.3-17.0)	10.1 (5.4-17.2)	8	1	4	0	0	0	50	34	16
CLOSTRIDIUM DIFFICILE	77	77	58.9 (46.5-73.7)	59.7 (47.1-74.7)	49	5	1	9	13	0	221	239	-18

**Data extracted:**            *May 15, 2015*

## **Notes and Abbreviations**

### Notes:

1. 3-year-average cases / rate are defined as the average cases / rate reported in the same month over the previous three years.
2. Out-of-province cases are excluded.
3. The diseases where the current monthly rates are significantly higher than the previous 3-year average rates for the same month are highlighted yellow.
4. Syphilis: Due to improved testing and referral processes that took place in 2013, there was an observed increase in the number of records entered into the surveillance system. The data point shown in the table includes all reported Treponema serology-reactive individuals, however these may be infectious and non-infectious cases, as well as those requiring further public health follow-up to determine this status. These factors also make it difficult to draw a comparison to historical data, therefore statistical testing was not done.
5. Hepatitis B: This includes confirmed cases of acute infection only, where both surface antigen (HBsAG) and core antibody (Anti-HBc IgM) are positive.
6. Since the reportable diseases' list was updated in January 2015, this monthly report was correspondingly modified.
7. The two categories "ARO and Nosocomial Organisms" and "Non VPD" have been combined to the category "Other diseases" since Jan 2015.

### Abbreviations:

ARO	Antibiotic Resistant Organisms
CI	Confidence Interval
EMD	Environmentally Mediated Diseases
IERHA	Interlake-Eastern Regional Health Authority
NRHA	Northern Regional Health Authority
PMH	Prairie Mountain Health
RHA	Regional Health Authority
STBBI	Sexually Transmitted & Blood-Borne Infections
TB	Tuberculosis
VPD	Vaccine Preventable Diseases
WNV	West Nile Virus
WRHA	Winnipeg Regional Health Authority