

Infectious Disease Control Unit - Disease Call List
Main Number: 512-776-7676 ~ Fax Number: 512-776-7616

Acute Flaccid Myelitis (AFM)	Sierocki	Cohlmlia	Sanders
Amebiasis	Cantu	Albers	Leos
Anthrax *	Fonken	Robinson	Evert
Antibiotic Resistance	Gillespie	Tupy	
Arboviral Disease	Evert	Arshadmansab	Mayes
Arthropods (fleas, ticks, kissing bugs, etc.)	Qualls	Mayes	Parker
Ascariasis		Garza	
Avian Influenza	Fonken	Sidwa	Robinson

Babesiosis	Mayes	Fonken	Evert
Bedbugs	512-834-6753 (Public Health Santation)		
Blood Borne Pathogen Regulation			
Post Exposure Evaluation	512-533-3000 (TB/HIV/STD)		
Botulism (Food borne) *	Cantu	Leos	
Botulism (Infant) *	Cantu	Leos	
Brucellosis	Mayes	Evert	Fonken

C. difficile		Vinyard	
Campylobacteriosis	Cantu	Albers	Leos
Chagas	Mayes	Fonken	Evert
Chickenpox (Varicella)	Sanders	Sierocki	Cohlmlia
Chikungunya	Evert	Arshadmansab	Mayes
Chlamydia Infections	512-533-3000 (TB/HIV/STD)		
Cholera	Cody	Cantu	
Coccidioidomycosis-Valley/Desert Fever	Ledbetter	Fischer	
Congenital Rubella	Cohlmlia	Sanders	Sierocki
Coronavirus	Ledbetter	Rucas	
Coxsackie (Hand, Foot & Mouth)		Vinyard	
CRE		Vinyard	
Creutzfeldt-Jakob Disease (CJD)	Fischer		
Cryptosporidiosis	Leos	Albers	Cantu
Cyclosporiasis	Cantu	Albers	Leos
Cysticercosis	Mayes	Evert	Fonken
Cytomegalovirus Infections (CMV)			

Dengue	Evert	Broussard	Arshadmansab
Diphtheria *	Cohlmlia	Sierocki	Sanders
Disinfection/Sterilization		Vinyard	

Ebola *		Garza	
Ebstein-Barr Virus (Mononucleosis)			
Echinococcosis	Mayes	Evert	Fonken
Ehrlichiosis	Mayes	Evert	Fonken
Encephalitis (Non Arboviral)	Ledbetter	Littman	
Enterovirus infections (non-polio)	Ledbetter		
E. coli infections/HUS	Cody	Cantu	Leos

Fascioliasis	Leos	Cantu	Cody
Fifth Disease	Garza		
Food Borne Outbreaks *	Leos	Cody	Cantu

Giardiasis	Leos	Albers	Cantu
Gonorrhea	512-533-3000 (TB/HIV/STD)		
Guillain-Barre Syndrome (GBS)	Cantu	Cohlmlia	

Hansen Disease (Leprosy)	512-533-3000 (TB/HIV/STD)		
Hantavirus Infections *	Fonken	Evert	Mayes
Head Lice	512-776-7279 (School Health)		
Health Care-Associated Infections (HAI)		Vinyard	
Outbreaks * (Nosocomial Outbreaks)			
Health Care-Associated Infections (HAI)	Engelhardt	Vinyard	Tupy
Reporting			
Hemorrhagic Fever	Garza		
Hepatitis A	Sanders	Cohlmlia	Sierocki
Hepatitis B	Sanders	Cohlmlia	Sierocki
Hepatitis C	Sanders	Cohlmlia	Sierocki
Hepatitis E	Cantu	Leos	Cody
Hepatitis - Others			
Haemophilus influenzae (H Flu)	Sierocki	Sanders	Cohlmlia
Histoplasmosis	Ledbetter		
Hookworm (Ancylostomiasis)		Graza	

ILI Net	Russin	Rucas	Ledbetter
Impetigo		Littman	
Infection Control		Vinyard	
Influenza	Rucas	Russin	Ledbetter
Influenza vaccine	512-776-3711 (Immunization)		

Legionellosis	Ledbetter	Rucas	
Leishmaniasis	Evert	Mayes	Fonken
Leptospirosis	Fonken	Evert	Robinson
Listeriosis	Cody	Cantu	Leos
Lyme Disease	Mayes	Evert	Fonken

Malaria	Mayes	Evert	Lynch
MDRO		Vinyard	
Measles *	Cohlmlia	Sierocki	Sanders
Medical Waste		Vinyard	
Meningitis (amebic)	Ledbetter	Littman	Rucas
Meningitis (bacterial/aseptic)	Littman	Ledbetter	
Meningococcal Infections *	Sierocki	Cohlmlia	Sanders
Meningococcal meningitis vaccine	512-776-3711 (Immunization)		
Mold Reporting	512-834-6787, ext. 2109 (TCEQ)		
Morgellon's Disease	404-718-1199 (CDC)		
Mosquitoes	Qualls	512 776-7515 (Arbo Lab)	
MRSA (Staph Infections)		Vinyard	
Multi-drug resistant Acinetobacter (MDR-A)		Garcia	Vinyard
Mumps	Sanders	Cohlmlia	Sierocki

NBS/NEDSS	Stuart	Boehmert	
Novel Coronavirus (including MERS) *	Ledbetter	Fischer	Rucas

Paragonimiasis	Leos	Cantu	Cody
Parasites	512-776-7560 (Cathy Snider)		
Pertussis (Whooping Cough)	Sanders	Sierocki	Cohlmlia
Pinworms	512-776-7560 (Cathy Snider)		
Plague *	Parker	Fonken	Evert
Pneumococcal Infections	Sierocki	Sanders	Cohlmlia
Polio *	Cohlmlia	Sierocki	Sanders
Primary Amebic Meningoencephalitis (PAM)	Ledbetter	Littman	Fischer
Preventable Adverse Event Reporting (PAE)	Gillespie	Tupy	
Psittacosis	Fonken	Robinson	Evert

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Rabies Exposures	Fonken	Robinson	Sidwa
Rabies (Human Cases) *	Fonken	Robinson	Sidwa
Relapsing Fever	Mayes	Evert	Fonken
Reporting Procedures	Tabony	Bastis	Olupinyo
Respiratory Outbreaks *	Ledbetter	Rucas	
Respiratory Syncytial Virus (RSV)	Rucas	Ledbetter	
Reyes Syndrome	Garza		
Rheumatic Fever/Scarlet Fever	Littman	Ledbetter	
Ringworm	Fonken	Robinson	Sidwa
Rocky Mountain Spotted Fever	Mayes	Evert	
Rubella	Cohlmlia	Sanders	Sierocki

Salmonellosis	Leos	Fung	Cantu
Scabies			
Sexually Transmitted Diseases (STD)	512-533-3000 (TB/HIV/STD)		
Sharps Injury	Gillespie		
Shigellosis	Cody	Albers	Cantu
Shingles (Zoster)	Sanders	Cohlmlia	
Shingles vaccine	512-776-3711 (Immunization)		
Smallpox *	Tabony	Garza	
Staphylococcal Diseases			
Strep (A & B)	Littman	Ledbetter	
Syphilis	512-533-3000 (TB/HIV/STD)		

Tapeworm/Taenia Infection	Evert	Mayes	Fonken
Tetanus	Cohlmlia	Sierocki	Sanders
Toxic Shock Syndrome			
Travel	1-800-232-4636 or 512-776-2514		
Trichinosis	Evert	Mayes	Fonken
Trichuriasis		Garza	
Tuberculosis	512-533-3000 (TB/HIV/STD)		
Tularemia *	Evert	Fonken	Mayes
Typhoid Fever	Cantu	Leos	Cody
Typhus	Mayes	Evert	Lynch

Vancomycin Resistant Enterococcus (VRE)		Vinyard	
Vancomycin Resistant Staph Aureus (VRSA/VISA) *		Vinyard	
Vibrio Infections	Cody	Cantu	Leos
Viral Gastroenteritis	Leos	Cody	Cantu

Water Borne Outbreaks *	Cody	Leos	Cantu
West Nile Infections	Evert	Arshadmansab	Mayes

Yellow Fever *	Fonken	Evert	Broussard
Yellow Fever Certificates	512-776-6429 (Judy Beaman)		
Yellow Fever Vaccination	www.immunizetexas.org		
Yersinia	Leos	Albers	Cantu
Zika	Broussard	Owens	Lynch

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Broussard, Kelly	6920
Cantu, Venessa	6648
Cody, Irina	6611
Cohlmlia, Chip	2632
Dinnan, Raymond	6176
Engelhardt, Emily	3110
Evert, Nicole	2890
Fischer, Michael	6338
Fonken, Eric	2155
Fung, Adrienne	3124
Garza, Eric	6825
Gillespie, Vickie	6878
Ledbetter, Johnathan	6223
Leos, Greg	3182
Littman, Amy	6339
Lynch, Adam	3791
Mayes, Bonny	2888
Newsome, Sky	7328
Olupinyo, Kayode	2319
Owens, Kamesha	2914
Parker, Kathy	2886
Qualls, Whitney	2790
Robinson, Laura	3306
Rucas, Hailey	6358
Russin, Bob	6242
Sanders, Kelsey	6577
Sidwa, Tom	6628
Sierocki, Allison	2722
Stuart, Pamela	6528
Tabony, Laura	2663
Tupy, Shawn	6355
Varnell, Pete	6314
Vinyard, Jennifer	3773
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For questions on vaccines/immunizations, please call the Immunization Branch at 1-800-252-9152.

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