



Notifiable Disease Report

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Notifiable diseases reported for Kent County residents through end of month listed above.

DISEASE	NUMBER REPORTED		MEDIAN CUMULATIVE
	This Month	Cumulative 2015	Through March 2010-2014
AIDS (Cumulative Total - 962)	2	6	7
AMEBIASIS	1	2	1
CAMPYLOBACTER	7	30	13
CHICKEN POX ^a	0	1	12
CHLAMYDIA	338	924	893
CRYPTOSPORIDIOSIS	2	3	3
Shiga Toxin Producing E. Coli ^b	0	0	N/A
GIARDIASIS	6	20	18
GONORRHEA	81	197	184
H. INFLUENZAE DISEASE, INV	2	4	1
HEPATITIS A	0	0	0
HEPATITIS B (Acute)	0	0	1
HEPATITIS C (Acute)	0	0	1
HEPATITIS C (Chronic/Unknown)	60	160	58
INFLUENZA-LIKE ILLNESS ^c	6831	20086	23394
LEGIONELLOSIS	0	1	1
LYME DISEASE	0	0	0
MENINGITIS, ASEPTIC	2	5	4
MENINGITIS, BACTERIAL, OTHER ^d	3	5	2
MENINGOCOCCAL DISEASE, INV	0	0	0
MUMPS	0	0	0
PERTUSSIS	2	13	1
SALMONELLOSIS	7	14	8
SHIGELLOSIS	4	11	3
STREP, GRP A, INV	7	15	9
STREP PNEUMO, INV	8	22	15
SYPHILIS (Primary & Secondary)	2	7	2
TUBERCULOSIS	2	4	3
WEST NILE VIRUS	0	0	0

NOTIFIABLE DISEASES OF LOW FREQUENCY

DISEASE	NUMBER REPORTED Cumulative 2015	DISEASE	NUMBER REPORTED Cumulative 2015
Kawasaki Syndrome	2		
Streptococcal Toxic Shock	1		

- a. Chickenpox cases are reported primarily from schools. Confirmed and probable cases are included.
- b. In November 2010, cases of *E. coli* O157:H7 were combined into the category "Shiga-toxin producing *E. coli* (STEC)"
- c. Includes "Influenza-Like Illness (ILI)" and lab-confirmed influenza. ILI cases have flu-like symptoms and are reported primarily by schools.
- d. "Meningitis, Bacterial, Other" includes meningitis and bacteremia caused by bacteria OTHER THAN *H. influenzae*, *N. meningitidis*, or *S. pneumoniae*.

Except for Chickenpox & Influenza-Like Illness, only confirmed cases (as defined by National Surveillance Case Definitions: <http://www.cdc.gov/nndss/script/casedefDefault.aspx>) are included.

Reports are considered provisional and subject to updating when more specific information becomes available.