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Weekly Communicable Disease Report October 21st, 2019

Gallatin County Communicable Disease Report Week 42 (10/14/2019 to 10/20/2019)

This section contains diseases diagnosed in Gallatin County, not all diseases were contracted in Gallatin County.

Reportable		Non-Reportable	
5	Chlamydia	25	Strep
11	Animal Bites	1	Mono
1	Salmonella		
1	HCV		
1	Cryptosporidiosis		

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Summary of MMWR Week 41: Ending 10/12/2019

- **General Communicable Diseases:** Elevated blood lead (4)
- **Enteric Diseases:** Campylobacteriosis (5), Cryptosporidiosis (1), Giardiasis (2), Salmonellosis (3)
- **Vaccine Preventable Diseases:** Influenza hospitalization (1), Pertussis (1), *Streptococcus pneumoniae*, invasive (8)
- **STD/HIV:** Chlamydia (103), Gonorrhea (35), Syphilis, latent (1), Syphilis, primary or secondary (3), HIV (0)
- **Hepatitis:** Hepatitis C, chronic (19), Hepatitis C, acute (1)
- **Zoonotic diseases:** (0)
- **Animal Rabies:** (1, bat), Rabies, post-exposure prophylaxis (2)

Influenza: Flu surveillance season began on October 1. As of October 12, 16 cases have been confirmed including 5 hospitalizations this season. Stay informed by visiting the DPHHS influenza website each week for an up-to-date report, including our new Flu Tracker!

STD/HIV program update: During the week ending 10/12/19, 103 cases of chlamydia (CT) and 35 cases of gonorrhea (GC) were reported. Chlamydia cases slightly decreased and gonorrhea cases stayed the same from last week. 49% of all GC cases were reported from Crow tribal jurisdiction, Cascade, Missoula and Yellowstone counties. Two primary cases and one secondary case of syphilis were reported that week. There have been no new cases of HIV. Currently, there are 20 cases of HIV year to date compared with 18 during the same time last year.

International Infection Prevention Week (IIPW): IIPW is October 13th-19th. This year, IIPW is raising awareness about the importance of vaccination. CDEpi would like to thank the infection preventionists working to keep Montana healthcare facilities safe. Do you know the history of infection prevention? Take this quiz to find out how much you know: [http://professionals.site.apic.org/get-social/polls-and-quizzes/!](http://professionals.site.apic.org/get-social/polls-and-quizzes/)