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Weekly Communicable Disease Report August 26, 2019

Gallatin County Communicable Disease Report Week 34 (8/19/2019 to 8/25/2019)

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

| Reportable | | Non-Reportable | |
|------------|---------------|----------------|-------|
| 7 | Chlamydia | 27 | Strep |
| 9 | Animal Bites | | |
| 2 | Campylobacter | | |
| 3 | Gonorrhea | | |
| 1 | Hepatitis C | | |

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Summary of MMWR Week 31: Ending 8/17/2019

- **General Communicable Diseases:** Coccidioidomycosis (1)
- **Enteric Diseases:** Campylobacteriosis (18), Giardiasis (10), Salmonellosis (4)
- **Vaccine Preventable Diseases:** Pertussis (7), *Streptococcus pneumoniae*, invasive (2), Varicella [chickenpox] (1)
- **STD/HIV:** Chlamydia (96), Gonorrhea (34), Syphilis, primary or secondary (1), Syphilis, latent (1), HIV (0)
- **Hepatitis:** Hepatitis C, chronic (18)
- **Zoonotic diseases:** (0)
- **Animal Rabies:** (4, bats)

Measles: There are no measles cases in Montana at this time.

In the U.S. as of August 15, 1,203 measles cases have been reported from 30 states, an increase of 21 cases from the previous week. The majority of cases were not vaccinated against measles. Greater than 75% of 2019 cases are linked to ongoing outbreaks in New York. In addition, approximately 10% of those who were infected were hospitalized.

West Nile Virus: WNV activity in Montana has started to increase. To date, there have been a total of five counties with at least one positive mosquito pool (Blaine, Cascade, Sheridan, Valley and Yellowstone), one county with a positive horse (Lake), and one county with an asymptomatic blood donor (Yellowstone). There have been no reports of a symptomatic human case yet this season.

Rabies: Through week 33, 117 reports of rabies post-exposure prophylaxis (PEP) recommendations and/or administrations were reported to public health. There have been 10 rabid animals reported year to date (all bats). This is generally consistent with numbers from the same time period in 2017 (8 bats) and 2018 (7 bats).