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Weekly Communicable Disease Report March 30, 2020

Gallatin County Communicable Disease Report Week 13 (3/23/20 to 3/29/20)

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

Reportable		Non-Reportable	
6	Chlamydia	13	Strep
1	Gonorrhea		
85	Flu		
1	Giardia		
6	Animal bites		
1	Pertussis		

PLEASE CALL 406-582-3100 during business hours or after hours 24/7 call Sheriff's Dispatch at 406-582-2100 ext 2 and ask to page the Health Department

Disease Information

Summary of MMWR Week 12: Ending 3/21/2020

- **General Communicable Diseases:** Latent TB Infection (LTBI) (1), Elevated blood lead (2), Coccidioidomycosis (1), Legionellosis (1)
- **Enteric Diseases:** Campylobacteriosis (6), Shigellosis (2), Giardiasis (3)
- **Vaccine Preventable Diseases:** Influenza hospitalization (27)¹, *Streptococcus pneumoniae*, invasive (4), Pertussis (2), Varicella (1), *Haemophilus influenzae*, invasive (1),
- **STD/HIV:** Chlamydia (77), Gonorrhea (34), HIV (1)
Hepatitis: Hepatitis A, acute (1), Hepatitis C, acute (1), Hepatitis C, chronic (17)

Novel coronavirus (COVID-19): Over 80,000 cases including 1,246 deaths have been reported in the U.S. As of noon on 3/27, 117 cases have been reported, all but 8 are in Montana residents. Seven individuals are hospitalized, and one death has been reported. Investigations are ongoing – local public health is working nonstop to help work to slow the spread of COVID-19.

Here is what we know as of today:

- **Governor Bullock's recent directives**
 - 1. [Extension of closures, mandate social distancing 3/24/2020](#)
 - 2. [Shelter in place directive 3/26/2020](#)

Influenza: As you might imagine, COVID19 activity has surpassed other diseases this week but influenza activity continues in Montana and the U.S. Data from the past two weeks indicate that overall influenza activity is still high, but beginning to decrease.