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Weekly Communicable Disease Report January 17, 2021

Gallatin County Communicable Disease Report Week 1 (1/2/2022- 1/8/2022)

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

Reportable		Non-Reportable	
1763	COVID 19	3	Strep
7	Chlamydia	3	RSV
1	Coccidioidomycosis		
1	Hepatitis C, Chronic		
1	Influenza Hospitalization		
58	Influenza A		
2	Influenza B		
1	Shiga Toxin Producing E Coli		
1	Varicella (Chickenpox)		
1	Animal Bites		

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

Summary of MMWR Week 1 for the state of Montana

- **Enteric Diseases:** Campylobacteriosis (2), Giardiasis (1), Shiga toxin- producing *Escherichia coli* [STEC] (3), Vibriosis (1)
- **General Communicable Diseases:** Coccidioidomycosis (1), Elevated blood lead (3), Latent TB infection (LTBI) (1)
- **Hepatitis:** Hepatitis C, chronic (12)
- **STD/HIV:** Chlamydia (50), Gonorrhea (23)
- **Vaccine Preventable Diseases:** *Haemophilus influenzae*, invasive (1), Influenza, hospitalization or death (19), *Streptococcus pneumoniae*, invasive (3), Varicella (chickenpox) (1)
- **Zoonotic Diseases:** Rabies, post-exposure prophylaxis (PEP) (3)

Omicron Variant: As of January 11, 2022, there have been 174 cases infected with Omicron variants detected in Montana. We now consider Omicron to be the dominant strain of COVID circulating in Montana.

COVID-19: Montana is reporting 212,078 cases of COVID-19 as of 9:25 AM 1/14/2022. Of these, 10,632 individuals have been hospitalized and 2,945 have died. To date, Montana is reporting 1,355,958 total vaccine doses administered and processed into imMTrax. The total number of fully vaccinated persons is now 544,572. The percent of the eligible population that is fully vaccinated is 53%.

Influenza Notes Through MMWR Week 1:

- Total Flu Hospitalizations: 48
- Total Flu Deaths: 1
- Total reported influenza cases in MT since October 1, 2021: 1823, primarily H3N2

As of January 19, Gallatin County continues to have the most confirmed cases of Flu in the state (560 Influenza A, 7 Influenza B). Please continue to report positive flu tests to the GCCHD through this link:

https://boardofhealthpubliccomment.formstack.com/forms/flu_reporting.