

**QUICK REFERENCE GUIDE:
Case Ascertainment, Investigation, and WVEDSS Data Entry for Selected Reportable Infectious Diseases**

Vaccine Preventable Diseases: Pertussis(whooping cough), Neisseria meningitidis (Meningococcal disease), Streptococcus pneumonia (pneumococcal disease), H. influenzae, Mumps, Measles, Rubella	Invasive Bacterial Diseases: Group A Streptococcus (Strep. pyogenes) Group B Streptococcus (Strep. agalactiae),	Food & Water Borne Diseases (Salmonellosis, Shigellosis, Campylobacteriosis, E. coli, Giardiasis, etc.)	Acute Hepatitis A, B, C, D, E and Non-ABCD
Demographic information:	Demographic information:	Demographic information:	Demographic information:
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • name • age • gender • race • ethnicity • complete address, phone # 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • name • age • gender • race • ethnicity • complete address 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • name • age • gender • race • ethnicity • complete address 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • name • age • gender • race • ethnicity • complete address
Complete clinical information:	Complete clinical information:	Complete clinical information:	Complete clinical information:
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Onset date • Diagnosis date • Type of infection • Underlying cause • Complication • Duration of cough (pertussis) • Antibiotic treatment (pertussis) • Hospitalization (mumps,measles,rubella) • Signs/symptoms & duration 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Onset date • Diagnosis date • Type of infection • Underlying cause • Complete vaccination information • Signs/symptoms 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Onset date • Diagnosis date • Symptoms 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Onset date • Diagnosis date • Symptoms – nausea, vomiting, abdominal pain, diarrhea • Jaundice
Complete lab data:	Complete lab data:	Complete lab data:	Complete lab data:
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Specimen collection date • Source of specimen (e.g., blood, CSF) • Lab result (culture, PCR, etc.) • Antibiotic susceptibility test • Serotype/Serogroup if available at the time of investigation 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Specimen collection date • Source of specimen (e.g., blood, CSF) • Lab result • Antibiotic susceptibility test 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Specimen collection date • Lab result • Serotype (if available) • Antibiotic Sensitivity • Specimen source 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Liver enzyme – ALT, AST • HAV IgM • HBsAG or HBc IgM or HBeAg • HCV AB • Signal to cutoff ratio • RIBA • PCR
Public Health Action:	Public Health Action:	Public Health Action:	Public Health Action:
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Complete vaccination information • Contact tracing • Postexposure prophylaxis • Outbreak? • Epi link? • Transmission setting • Date report to health department 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Outbreak? • Epi link? 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Complete risk factor information • 72 hour food history • Contact information • Activity/Travel history • Outbreak? • Epi link? 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Complete risk factor information • Complete vaccination information • Contact tracing • Postexposure prophylaxis • Outbreak? • Epi link?