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**REPORTED CASES OF SELECTED
 COMMUNICABLE DISEASES
 WASHOE COUNTY
 October – December 2007**

**To report communicable
 disease phone:
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DISEASE	4 th Quarter			Yearly Totals		
	2005	2006	2007	2005	2006	2007
AIDS	5	5	6	37	23	31
Campylobacteriosis	3	7	19	36	29	48
Chlamydia	286	324	348	1202	1276	1520
Cryptosporidiosis	1	3	5	6	6	13
E. coli 0157:H7	2	1	0	3	6	1
Giardiasis	4	4	9	27	31	33
Gonorrhea	84	54	47	318	235	202
Haemophilus influenzae type b (Hib)	0	0	0	0	0	0
Hepatitis A (acute)	0	0	1	5	4	4
Hepatitis B (acute)	2	1	2	13	5	7
Hepatitis B (chronic)	15	18	22	72	70	50
Hepatitis C (acute)	0	0	0	3	2	3
Hepatitis C (Past or Present)	223	178	244	858	813	814
HIV	6	10	6	22	28	29
Influenza (Type A, B, & unknown)	126	4	13	190	172	301
Measles	0	0	0	0	0	0
Meningitis, Viral or Aseptic	4	4	4	24	27	27
Meningococcal Disease	0	1	1	5	4	3
Pertussis (Confirmed & Probable)	3	4	0	15	19	7
*Pneumococcal Disease	1	0	9	4	1	40
Rabies (bat)	0	0	1	8	2	3
Rotavirus	31	51	1	95	141	50
RSV	17	11	25	238	310	275
Salmonellosis	9	10	11	32	36	42
Shigellosis	4	1	1	10	6	5
Syphilis (all stages)	6	3	4	34	29	17
Tuberculosis	3	3	2	16	11	6
West Nile Virus	0	0	1	1	17	1

*Effective 2007, statistics collected as *Invasive pneumococcal infections*. Prior to 2007, statistics collected as *pneumococcal meningitis*.

Please share this document with all physicians & staff in your facility/office.

Stay Informed with the Nevada Health Alert Network (HAN)



When an event threatens the health of Washoe County residents, fast, efficient, and reliable communication to those responding to the event can prevent illness and save lives.

The Nevada Health Alert Network (HAN) is part of a nationwide communications system that was established and funded by the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC). It is a secure, internet-based emergency notification system used to provide critical health information in the event of a public health emergency. HAN members are identified and tracked in a secure database maintained by Public Health Preparedness.

The HAN:

- Links local health departments to one another and to other partner organizations throughout the state including physicians, nurses, hospitals, laboratories, clinicians, and emergency management.
- Sends messages ranging from informational updates on general health topics to alerts requiring immediate action.
- Provides an online research library of information on a variety of public health topics such as MRSA, influenza, disease reporting and epidemiology.

When users sign up with HAN, they provide contact information, such as an e-mail address, office phone or cell phone number. If an emergency arises, HAN will broadcast an alert message to that point of contact and tell the user to go to the HAN website for more information.

Participation is free. If you would like to sign up to become part of the Nevada Health Alert Network (HAN), please contact the Washoe County Public Health Preparedness Program at: phpp@washoecounty.us.

If you are already a member of HAN, but have forgotten your password, please contact the Washoe County Public Health Preparedness Program at: phpp@washoecounty.us for assistance.

