

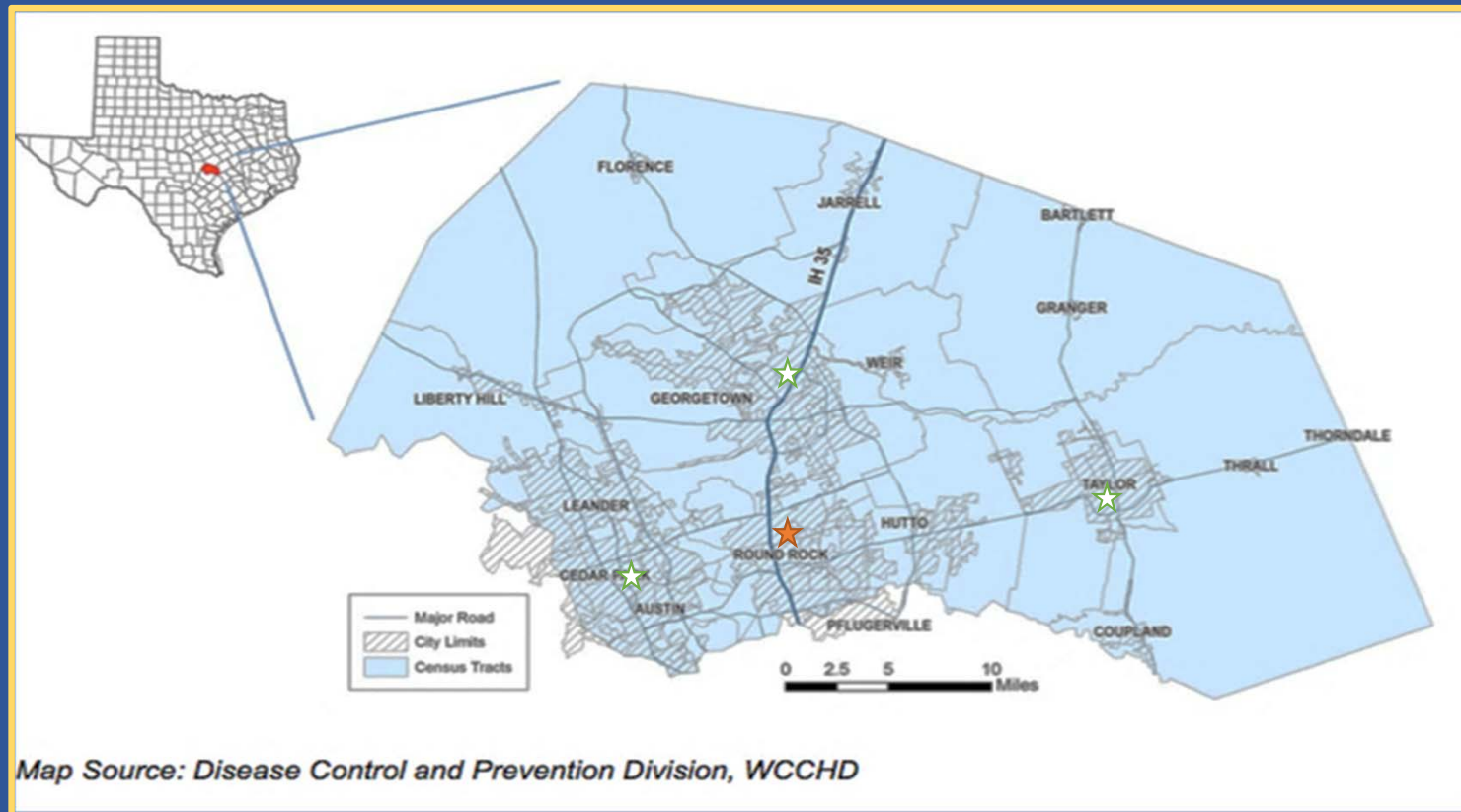
# Vaccine Preventable Diseases: Early ID & Management for School Nurses

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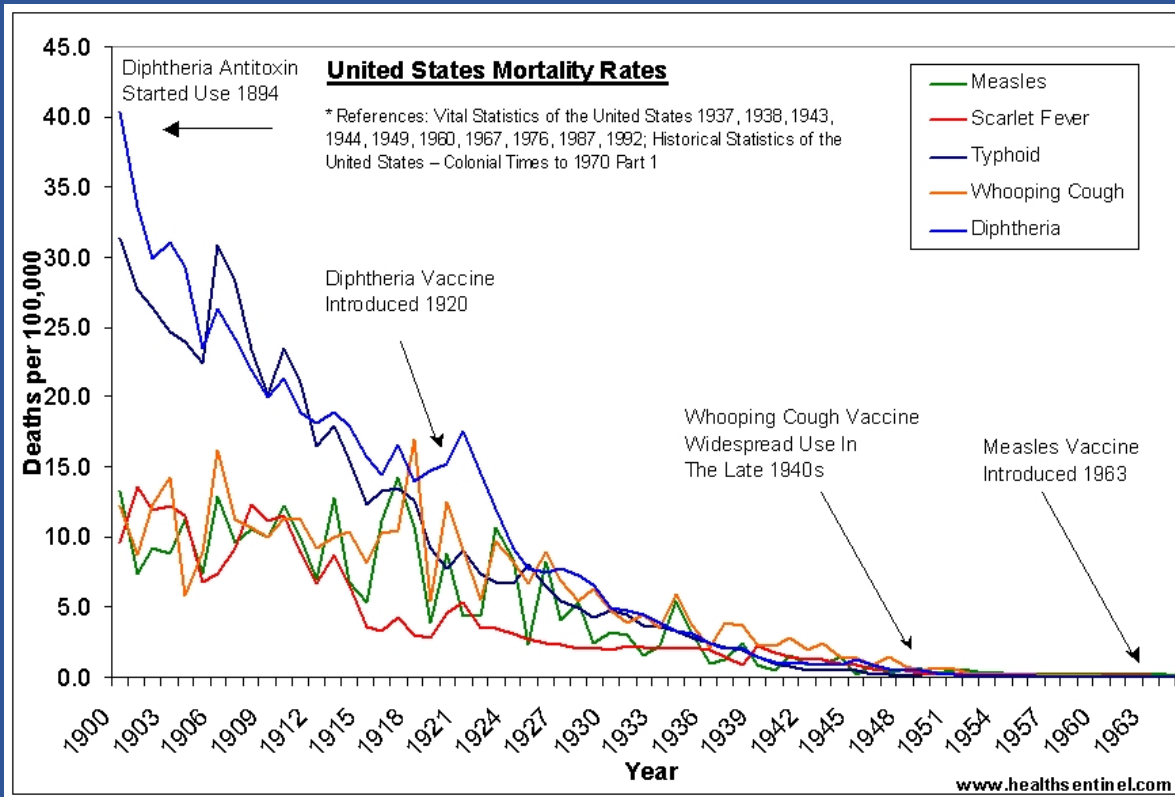


# Agenda

1. Vaccination Introduction
2. Vaccine Preventable Diseases
3. Resources
4. Questions

# Introduction





Vaccines save an estimated  
**42,000 lives**

every year in  
the U.S. alone.



**3X** *more*  
than seatbelts  
and child restraints  
combined.

**Immunize.**  
Prevent what's preventable.



THE  
IMMUNIZATION  
PARTNERSHIP

[www.immunizeUSA.org](http://www.immunizeUSA.org)

Sources: Centers for Disease Control and  
Prevention, 2009-2012 Accomplishments

National Highway Traffic Safety Administration,  
Lives Saved in 2009 by Restraint Use and  
Minimum-Drinking-Age Laws.

**For every \$1 spent on a vaccine in the US...**

DTaP saves  
**\$27**

MMR saves  
**\$26**

Perinatal Hepatitis B  
saves  
**\$14.70**

Inactivated Polio  
(IPV) saves  
**\$5.45**

Varicella saves  
**\$2.73**

**ECBT**  
every child by two

**...with routine vaccination the US  
saves \$13.5 billion in direct costs and  
\$68.8 billion in societal costs.**

Information from Economic Evaluation of the Routine Childhood Immunization Program in the United States, 2009, Presented at Pediatric Academic Societies' Annual Meeting, Boston, Massachusetts, Apr 26-May 1, 2012, Fengjin Zhou, PhD  
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A new study, published February 2016 in the journal *Health Affairs*, puts a precise figure on the value of vaccinating children.

# IMMUNISATION

A HEALTHY RETURN ON INVESTMENT



Indicative figures based on the rounded average values cited in the following sources:

1. Return on investment from childhood immunizations in low- and middle-income countries, 2011-20. *Health Affairs*, 35(2):199-207. Ozawa S, Clark S, Pathway A, Grewal S, Brenzel L, Walker D. 2016.
2. The rate of return to the HighScope Perry Preschool Program. Department of Economics, University of Chicago, April 2009.
3. The Economic Benefits of Public Infrastructure Spending in Canada. The Centre for Spatial Economics, September 2015.
4. Strengthening primary health care through community health workers. Desalegn H, Chambers R, Clinton G, Phumaphi J, Sirleaf J, Evans T, et al. 2015.
5. Example bond issued with a fixed coupon rate of 5% over a 10-year period.
6. Returns on NHMRC Funded Research and Development. Australian Society for Medical Research, 17 October 2011.



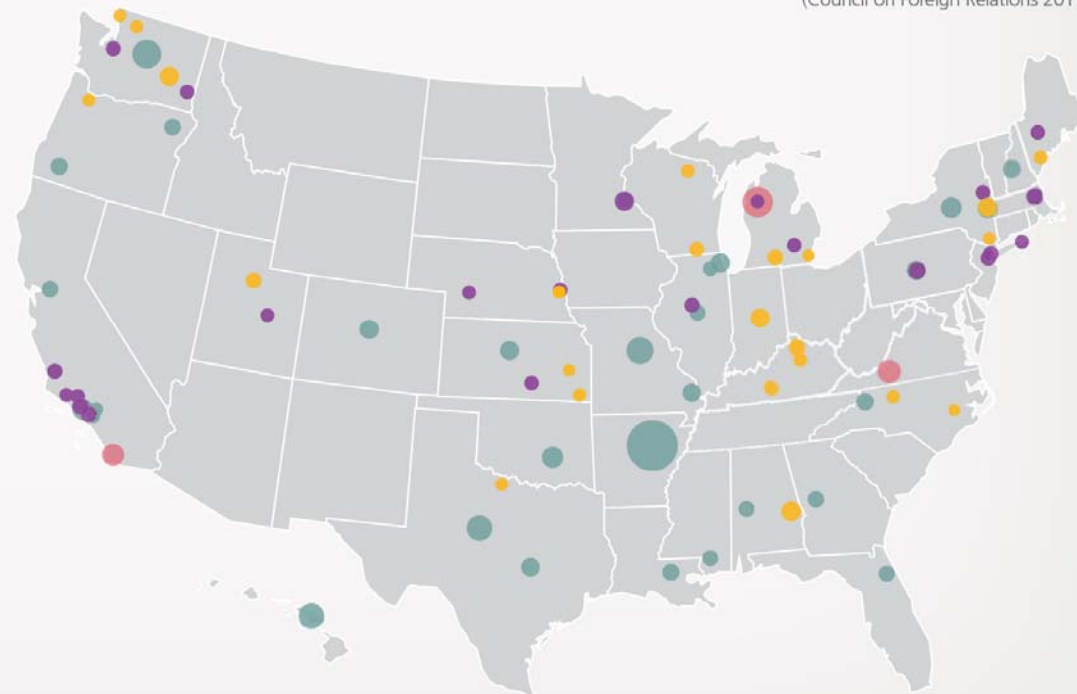
1.5 million children die annually from vaccine-preventable diseases. Gavi, the Vaccine Alliance is dedicated to addressing this issue.

Immunisation not only saves lives, it contributes to the social and economic wellbeing of communities. More than US\$ 586 billion in economic benefits for 94 of the world's poorest countries (2011-2020).



## Vaccine-Preventable Outbreaks in the U.S. in 2017

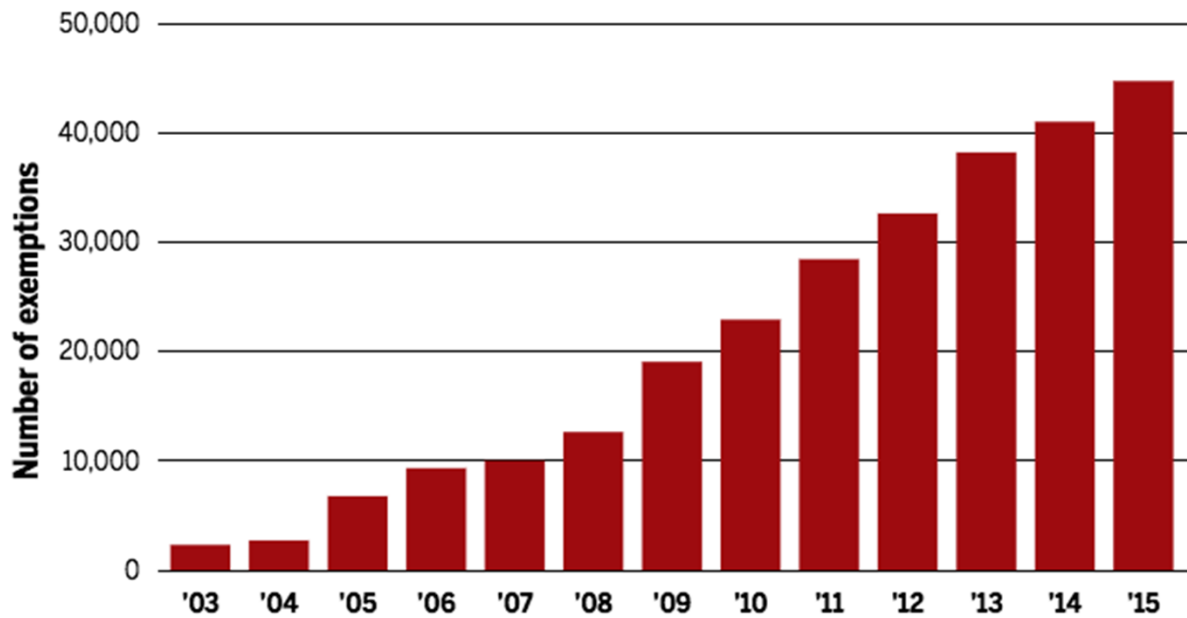
(Council on Foreign Relations 2017)



● measles ● mumps ● other ● whooping cough

\*Outbreaks not to scale

## Nonmedical exemptions for K-12th grade students, TX



Martin Enserink/Science

Data: Self-Reported by Public ISDs and Accredited Private Schools, Annual Report of Immunization Status, DSHS, Immunization Branch

**Whooping cough case confirmed at Cedar Park Middle School, district says**

**4th Measles Case Confirmed At Texas' Southern Border**

**Mumps outbreak reported at Cedar Hill High School**

ICE confirmed 51 facilities have reported investigations into mumps, chickenpox, and influenza

**Texas investigating highly contagious whooping cough at state Capitol**

**Measles outbreak now reported in 30 US states**

**Measles Outbreak Continues in Oregon and Washington, With One New Case Reported Daily**



**Unvaccinated Child Gets Tetanus, Racks Up \$800,000 in Costs**

# VPDs in School Settings

## Objectives:

- 1) Recognize VPD symptoms
- 2) Report VPDs
- 3) Manage VPD Cases



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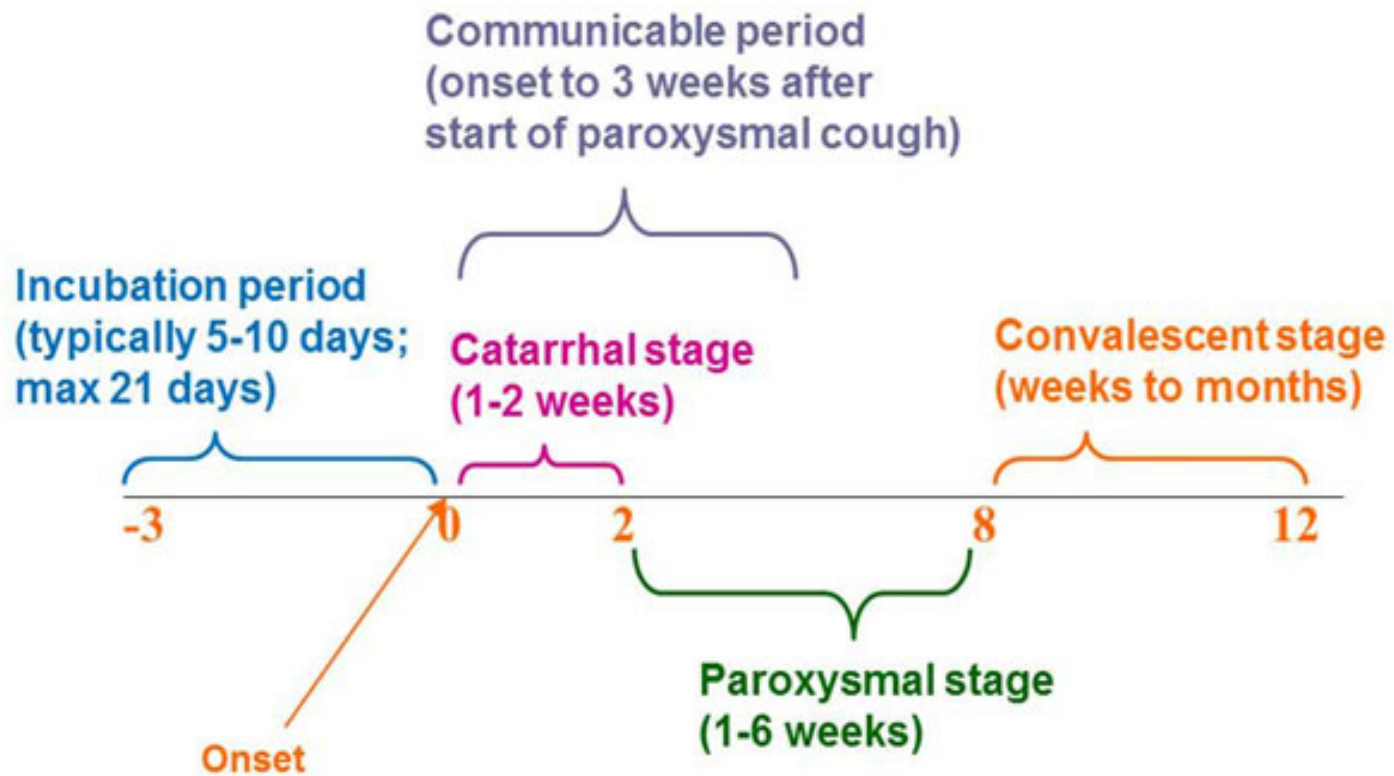


# Pertussis

- *Bordetella pertussis*
- Airborne
- Symptoms
  - Rhinorrhea
  - Fever
  - Cough
  - Apnea



## Clinical Course (in weeks)





# Pertussis

- Major complications
  - Infants & Children:
    - Pneumonia
    - Convulsions
    - Apnea
    - Encephalopathy
    - Death
  - Teens & Adults:
    - Rib fracture



# Suspect Pertussis?



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## Texas Notifiable Conditions

24/7 Number for Immediately Reportable – 1-800-705-8868



Report confirmed and suspected cases.

Unless noted by \*, report to your local or regional health department using number above or find contact information at <http://www.dshs.state.tx.us/dcu/investigation/condition/contacts/>

A – I	When to Report	L – Y	When to Report
*Acquired immune deficiency syndrome (AIDS) <sup>1,2</sup>	Within 1 week	*Lead, child blood, any level & adult blood, any level <sup>3</sup>	Call/Fax Immediately
Amebiasis <sup>4</sup>	Within 1 week	Leishmaniasis <sup>4</sup>	Within 1 week
Amebic meningitis and encephalitis <sup>4</sup>	Within 1 week	Leishmaniasis <sup>4</sup>	Within 1 week
Anaplasmosis <sup>4</sup>	Within 1 week	Listeriosis <sup>4,5</sup>	Within 1 week
Anthrax <sup>4,5</sup>	Call Immediately	Lyme disease <sup>4</sup>	Within 1 week
Arboviral infections <sup>4,6</sup>	Within 1 week	Malaria <sup>4</sup>	Within 1 week
*Asbestosis <sup>7</sup>	Within 1 week	Measles (rubella) <sup>4</sup>	Call Immediately
Ascariasis <sup>4</sup>	Within 1 week	Meningococcal infection, invasive ( <i>Neisseria meningitidis</i> ) <sup>4,9</sup>	Call Immediately
Babesiosis <sup>4</sup>	Within 1 week	Multidrug-resistant <i>Acinetobacter</i> (MDR-A) <sup>4,9</sup>	Within 1 work day
Botulism (adult and infant) <sup>4,5,9</sup>	Call Immediately <sup>10</sup>	Mumps <sup>4,10</sup>	Within 1 work day <sup>10</sup>
Bruceellosis <sup>4,5</sup>	Within 1 work day	Bacacanthiasis <sup>11</sup>	Within 1 week
Camylobacteriosis <sup>4</sup>	Within 1 week	Pertussis <sup>4</sup>	Within 1 work day
*Cancer <sup>11</sup>	See rules <sup>11</sup>	*Pesticide poisoning, acute occupational <sup>12</sup>	Within 1 week
Carbapenem-resistant <i>Enterobacteriaceae</i> (CRE) <sup>4,13</sup>	Within 1 work day	Plague ( <i>Yersinia pestis</i> ) <sup>4,5</sup>	Call Immediately
Chagas disease <sup>4</sup>	Within 1 week	Polio myelitis, acute paralytic <sup>4</sup>	Call Immediately
*Chancroid <sup>1</sup>	Within 1 week	Poliovirus infection, non-paralytic <sup>4</sup>	Within 1 work day
Chickenpox (varicella) <sup>14</sup>	Within 1 week	Prion disease such as Creutzfeldt-Jakob disease (CJD) <sup>4,15</sup>	Within 1 week
*Chlamydia <i>trachomatis</i> infection <sup>1</sup>	Within 1 week	Q fever <sup>4</sup>	Within 1 work day
*Contaminated sharps injury <sup>16</sup>	Within 1 month	Rabies, human <sup>4</sup>	Call Immediately
*Controlled substance overdose <sup>17</sup>	Call Immediately	Rubella (including congenital) <sup>4</sup>	Within 1 work day
Coronavirus, novel <sup>4,18</sup>	Call Immediately	Salmonellosis, including typhoid fever <sup>4,5</sup>	Within 1 week
Cryptosporidiosis <sup>4</sup>	Within 1 week	Shiga toxin-producing <i>Escherichia coli</i> <sup>4,5</sup>	Within 1 week
Cyclosporiasis <sup>4</sup>	Within 1 week	Shigellosis <sup>4</sup>	Within 1 week
Cytosarcosis <sup>8</sup>	Within 1 week	*Silicosis <sup>19</sup>	Within 1 week
*Cytogenetic results (fetus and infant only) <sup>20</sup>	See rules <sup>20</sup>	Smallpox <sup>4</sup>	Call Immediately
Diphtheria <sup>4,5</sup>	Call Immediately	*Spinal cord injury <sup>21</sup>	Within 10 work days
*Drowning/near drowning <sup>21</sup>	Within 10 work days	Spotted fever group rickettsioses <sup>4</sup>	Within 1 week
Echinococcosis <sup>4</sup>	Within 1 week	<i>Staphylococcus aureus</i> , VISA and VRSA <sup>4,5</sup>	Call Immediately
Ehlichiasis <sup>4</sup>	Within 1 week	Streptococcal disease (groups A, B, S, <i>pyogenes</i> ), invasive <sup>4,5</sup>	Within 1 week
Fascioliasis <sup>4</sup>	Within 1 week	*Syphilis – primary and secondary stages <sup>1,22</sup>	Within 1 work day
*Gonorrhea <sup>1</sup>	Within 1 week	*Syphilis – all other stages <sup>1,22</sup>	Within 1 week
<i>Haemophilus influenzae</i> , invasive <sup>4,5</sup>	Within 1 week	<i>Toxoplasma</i> and undifferentiated <i>Toxoplasma</i> infection <sup>4</sup>	Within 1 week
Hansen's disease (leprosy) <sup>4</sup>	Within 1 week	Tetanus <sup>4</sup>	Within 1 week
Hantavirus infection <sup>4</sup>	Within 1 week	*Traumatic brain injury <sup>21</sup>	Within 10 work days
Hemolytic uremic syndrome (HUS) <sup>4</sup>	Within 1 week	Trichinosis <sup>4</sup>	Within 1 week
Hepatitis A <sup>4</sup>	Within 1 work day	Trichuriasis <sup>4</sup>	Within 1 week
Hepatitis B, C, and E (acute) <sup>4</sup>	Within 1 week	Tuberculosis ( <i>Mycobacterium tuberculosis</i> complex) <sup>5,23</sup>	Within 1 work day
Hepatitis B infection identified prenatally or at delivery (mother) <sup>4</sup>	Within 1 week	Tuberculosis infection <sup>24</sup>	Within 1 week
Hepatitis B, perinatal (HBsAg+ < 24 months old) (child) <sup>1</sup>	Within 1 work day	Tularemia <sup>4,5</sup>	Call Immediately
Hookworm (eosinophilia) <sup>4</sup>	Within 1 week	Typhus <sup>4</sup>	Within 1 week
*Human immunodeficiency virus (HIV), acute infection <sup>1,2,25</sup>	Within 1 work day	<i>Vibrio</i> infection, including cholera <sup>4,5</sup>	Within 1 work day
*Human immunodeficiency virus (HIV), non-acute infection <sup>1,2,25</sup>	Within 1 week	Viral hemorrhagic fever (including Ebola) <sup>4</sup>	Call Immediately
Influenza-associated pediatric mortality <sup>4</sup>	Within 1 work day	Yellow fever <sup>4</sup>	Call Immediately
Influenza, novel <sup>4</sup>	Call Immediately	Yersiniosis <sup>4</sup>	Within 1 week

In addition to specified reportable conditions, any outbreak, exotic disease, or unusual group expression of disease that may be of public health concern should be reported by the most expeditious means available

\*See condition-specific footnote for reporting contact information

# Suspect Pertussis?



1. Isolate
2. Assess Immunity
3. Report



1. Assess Risk
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3. Exclude
4. Implement prevention efforts

# Pertussis Management

- If case confirmed...
  - **Child must complete 5 days of antibiotic before returning to school**
  - 1 case – school determines how/if inform parents
  - 2+ cases – DSHS recommends sending letters to parents
  - 3+ cases - Unimmunized children should stay home 21 days from exposure date
- Post-exposure prophylaxis: Household contacts
- Observe close contacts for  $\geq 14$  days after last contact with exposed person.
  - Persistent cough needs to be evaluated by MD.

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# Varicella

- *Human herpesvirus 3 (VZV)*
- Spread via direct contact and respiratory secretions
- Symptoms
  - Rash
  - Fever
  - Fatigue
  - Loss of appetite



# Varicella

- Major complications
  - Bacterial infection of lesions
  - Pneumonia
  - Encephalitis
  - Cerebellar ataxia
  - Hemorrhagic complications
  - Sepsis
  - Dehydration
  - Death





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# Varicella Management

- If case confirmed...
  - **Child may return to school when the rash has crusted**
    - **24 hrs passed with no new lesions occurring**
  - 3+ cases - Unimmunized children should stay home 21 days from exposure date
  - Post-exposure immunization may prevent disease.
- Observe close contacts for  $\geq 21$  days after last contact with exposed person.

## VPDs on the rise:

- Pertussis
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- **Mumps**
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# Mumps

- *Mumps rubulavirus*
- Transmitted via saliva or respiratory droplets
- Symptoms
  - Fever
  - Headache
  - Myalgia
  - Malaise
  - Loss of appetite
  - Parotitis



# Mumps

- Major Complications
  - Unilateral or bilateral parotitis
  - Orchitis
  - Pancreatitis
  - Oophoritis
  - Meningitis
  - Encephalitis
  - Deafness



Suspect Mumps?



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# Suspect Mumps?



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# Mumps Management

- If case confirmed...
  - **Child may return to school 9 days after parotitis onset**
  - 3+ cases - Unimmunized children should stay home 26 days from parotitis onset in last student
    - Can be readmitted immediately after vaccinated with one dose
  - Persons with 2 doses should receive a 3<sup>rd</sup> dose during an outbreak

## VPDs on the rise:

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# MEASLES



is **highly contagious** and spreads through the air when an infected person **coughs or sneezes**.



It is so contagious that if one person has it, **9 out of 10 people** of all ages around him or her will also become infected if they are not protected.

# Measles

- *Measles morbillivirus*
- Transmitted via respiratory droplets
- Symptoms
  - Fever
  - Koplik spots
  - Cough
  - Coryza
  - Conjunctivitis
  - Descending rash



# Measles

- Major complications
  - Diarrhea
  - Pneumonia
  - Encephalitis
  - Respiratory and neurological complications
  - Low-birth-weight
  - Fetal demise



# Suspect Measles?



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# Measles Management

- If case confirmed...
  - **Child may return to school 4 days after rash onset**
  - 1+ case – Unimmunized children must stay home 21 days from exposure date
    - Can be readmitted immediately after 1 dose
  - Vaccination of un(der)vaccinated persons within 72 hours of exposure may provide protection.

# Vaccination Resources



# Texas Vaccines for Children

- Low cost vaccines for:
  - Uninsured
  - Medicaid
  - CHIP
  - Native American/ Alaska Native
- Adult Safety Net

## Vaccines for Children

Protecting America's children every day

The Vaccines for Children (VFC) program helps ensure that all children have a better chance of getting their recommended vaccines. VFC has helped prevent disease and save lives.



CDC estimates that vaccination of children born between 1994 and 2018 will:

prevent **419 million** illnesses  
*(26.8 million hospitalizations)*



more than the current population of the entire U.S.A.

help avoid **936,000** deaths



greater than the population of Seattle, WA

save nearly **\$1.9 trillion** in total societal costs  
*(that includes \$406 billion in direct costs)*



more than \$5,000 for each American

Updated 2018 analysis using methods from "Benefits from Immunization during the Vaccines for Children Program Era—United States, 1994-2017"



U.S. Department of  
Health and Human Services  
Centers for Disease  
Control and Prevention

[www.cdc.gov/features/vfcprogram](http://www.cdc.gov/features/vfcprogram)

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# ImmTrac



Texas registry for  
children, adults,  
first responders



No cost service



Consolidates  
immunization  
records



Restricted access  
only to  
authorized  
entities



Opt-in System



Parental consent  
required for  
children <18  
years



Consent  
required for 18+  
years

# Questions?

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