









## REPORTING ANIMAL DISEASES/DEATHS











































### Always report as soon as possible:

-  Occurrence of any unusual disease
-  Outbreak or cluster (3 or more cases) of animal disease/deaths of any cause
-  Animal illness concurrent with human illness
-  Disease not endemic to area
-  Illness in animal recently imported from another country

### Urgency Reporting Requirements

-  = Report **immediately** by telephone
-  = Report within **1 working day** of identification
-  = Report within **7 calendar days** from time of identification

## DISEASE PRIORITY LIST 2010

<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li> All Diseases on the Reportable Disease List of the California Department of Food and Agriculture (CDFA)</li> <li> Anthrax</li> <li> Babesiosis</li> <li> Botulism</li> <li> Bovine Spongiform Encephalopathy</li> <li> Brucellosis</li> <li> Calicivirus, feline virulent</li> <li> Campylobacteriosis</li> <li> Chagas Disease</li> <li> Chronic Wasting Disease</li> <li> Coccidioidomycosis</li> <li> Contamination of product-suspected</li> <li> Distemper</li> <li> Domoic Acid Poisoning</li> <li> Ehrlichiosis</li> <li> Exotic Newcastle Disease</li> <li> Foot-and-Mouth Disease</li> <li> Giardia</li> <li> Glanders</li> <li> Heartworm</li> <li> Hemorrhagic gastroenteritis (HGE) of dogs</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li> Hemorrhagic Fevers, viral (Crimean-Congo, Ebola, Lassa, Marburg)</li> <li> Influenza (any type)</li> <li> Leptospirosis</li> <li> Lyme Disease</li> <li> Methicillin-resistant <i>Staphylococcus</i> spp</li> <li> Mycobacterium spp</li> <li> Parvovirus</li> <li> Panleukopenia</li> <li> Plague</li> <li> Psittacosis</li> <li> Pseudorabies</li> <li> Q Fever</li> <li> Rabies</li> <li> Rocky Mountain Spotted Fever</li> <li> Salmonellosis</li> <li> Salmon Poisoning Disease</li> <li> Screwworm myiasis</li> <li> Tetanus</li> <li> Tularemia</li> <li> Viral Encephalitis (EEE, WEE, VEE, Japanese Enceph)</li> <li> West Nile Virus</li> </ul>	<p>In Los Angeles County, report all diseases in this list <b>and the list of the California Department of Food and Agriculture (CDFA)</b> to the Los Angeles County Veterinary Public Health office.</p> <p>We will forward reports to the CDFA as needed.</p>
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\*\* Ringworm and roundworm are not reportable

### Report to VPH-RCP by:

Phone: (213) 989-7060 or toll free (877) 747-2243

Fax: (213) 481-2375. E-mail: [vet@ph.lacounty.gov](mailto:vet@ph.lacounty.gov) Web: [publichealth.lacounty.gov/vet](http://publichealth.lacounty.gov/vet)



**LIST OF REPORTABLE CONDITIONS FOR ANIMALS AND ANIMAL PRODUCTS\***

\*Pursuant to Section 9101 of the California Food and Agricultural Code and Title 9 Code of Federal Regulations Section 161.4(f)

<p><b>EMERGENCY CONDITIONS</b></p> <p><b>Report to AHB or VS Employee within 24 Hours of Discovery</b></p>	<p><b>REGULATORY CONDITIONS</b></p> <p><b>Report to AHB or VS Employee within Two Days of Discovery</b></p>	<p><b>MONITORED CONDITIONS</b></p> <p><b>Report by Monthly Summaries from Diagnostic Facilities</b></p>
<p><b>WHO MUST REPORT:</b> Certain conditions pose or may pose significant threats to public health, animal health, the environment, or the food supply. Any licensed veterinarian, any person operating a diagnostic laboratory, or any person who has been informed, recognizes or should recognize by virtue of education, experience, or occupation, that any animal or animal product is or may be affected by, or has been exposed to, or may be transmitting or carrying any of the following conditions, must report that information.</p> <p><b>WHAT TO REPORT:</b> Any animal disease not known to exist in the United States, any disease for which a control program exists, or any unexplained increase in the number of diseased animals or deaths must be reported. Any conditions caused by exposure to toxic substances that have or may have the potential to be a public health, animal health, or food safety threat must be reported within 24 hours.</p> <p><b>MULTIPLE SPECIES</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Anthrax (<i>Bacillus anthracis</i>)</li> <li>Crimean Congo haemorrhagic fever</li> <li>Foot-and-mouth disease</li> <li>Heartwater [<i>Ehrlichia ruminantium</i> (formerly <i>Cowdria ruminantium</i>)]</li> <li>Livestock exposed to toxic substances that may threaten public health</li> <li>Screwworm myiasis (<i>Cochliomyia hominivorax</i> or <i>Chrysomya bezziana</i>)</li> <li><b>Unexplained increase in dead or diseased animals</b></li> </ul> <p><b>BOVINE</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>African trypanosomiasis (Tsetse fly diseases)</li> <li>Bovine babesiosis (Cattle Tick Fever)</li> <li>Bovine spongiform encephalopathy</li> <li>Contagious bovine pleuropneumonia (<i>Mycoplasma mycoides mycoides</i> small colony)</li> <li>Foot-and-mouth disease</li> <li>Heartwater [<i>Ehrlichia ruminantium</i> (formerly <i>Cowdria ruminantium</i>)]</li> <li>Hemorrhagic septicemia (<i>Pasteurella multocida</i> serotypes B/Asian or E/African)</li> <li>Lumpy skin disease</li> <li>Malignant catarrhal fever (African type)</li> <li>Rift Valley fever</li> <li>Rinderpest</li> <li>Theileriosis (<i>Theileria parva parva</i> or <i>T. annulata</i>)</li> <li>Vesicular stomatitis</li> </ul> <p><b>CAPRINE/OVINE</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Contagious agalactia (<i>Mycoplasma agalactiae</i>)</li> <li>Contagious caprine pleuropneumonia (<i>Mycoplasma capricolum capripneumoniae</i>)</li> <li>Foot-and-mouth disease</li> <li>Heartwater [<i>Ehrlichia ruminantium</i> (formerly <i>Cowdria ruminantium</i>)]</li> <li>Nairobi sheep disease</li> <li>Peste des petits ruminants (Goat plague)</li> <li>Rift Valley fever</li> <li><i>Salmonella abortus ovis</i></li> <li>Sheep and goat pox</li> </ul> <p><b>PORCINE</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>African swine fever</li> <li>Classical swine fever</li> <li>Foot-and-mouth disease</li> <li>Japanese encephalitis</li> <li>Nipah virus</li> <li>Swine vesicular disease</li> <li>Vesicular exanthema of swine virus (VESV)</li> <li>Vesicular stomatitis</li> </ul> <p><b>AVIAN SPECIES</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Avian influenza (H5 or H7)</li> <li>Exotic Newcastle disease</li> <li>Turkey rhinotracheitis (Avian metapneumovirus)</li> </ul> <p><b>EQUINE</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>African horse sickness</li> <li>Dourine (<i>Trypanosoma equiperdum</i>)</li> <li>Equine infectious anemia</li> <li>Equine piroplasmiasis [<i>Babesia caballi</i> or <i>Theileria equi</i> (formerly <i>Babesia equi</i>)]</li> <li>Glanders (Farcy) [<i>Burkholderia mallei</i> (formerly <i>Pseudomonas mallei</i>)]</li> <li>Hendra virus (Equine morbillivirus)</li> <li>Japanese encephalitis</li> <li>Surra (<i>Trypanosoma evansi</i>)</li> <li>Venezuelan equine encephalomyelitis</li> <li>Vesicular stomatitis</li> </ul> <p><b>OTHER SPECIES</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Chronic wasting disease in cervids</li> <li>Viral hemorrhagic disease of rabbits (calicivirus)</li> </ul>	<p><b>MULTIPLE SPECIES</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Rabies of livestock</li> <li>Tularemia</li> </ul> <p><b>BOVINE</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Bovine brucellosis (<i>Brucella abortus</i>)</li> <li>Bovine tuberculosis (<i>Mycobacterium bovis</i>)</li> <li>Cattle scabies (multiple types)</li> <li>Trichomonosis (<i>Tritrichomonas fetus</i>)</li> </ul> <p><b>CAPRINE/OVINE</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Caprine and ovine brucellosis (excluding <i>Brucella ovis</i>)</li> <li>Scrapie</li> <li>Sheep scabies (Body mange) (<i>Psoroptes ovis</i>)</li> </ul> <p><b>PORCINE</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Porcine brucellosis (<i>Brucella suis</i>)</li> <li>Pseudorabies (Aujeszky's disease)</li> </ul> <p><b>AVIAN SPECIES</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Ornithosis (Psittacosis or avian chlamydiosis) (<i>Chlamydia psittaci</i>)</li> <li>Pullorum disease (Fowl typhoid) (<i>Salmonella gallinarum</i> and <i>S. pullorum</i>)</li> </ul> <p><b>EQUINE</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Contagious equine metritis (<i>Taylorella equigenitalis</i>)</li> <li>Eastern equine encephalomyelitis</li> <li>Western equine encephalomyelitis</li> </ul> <p><b>OTHER SPECIES</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Brucellosis in cervids</li> <li>Tuberculosis in cervids</li> </ul> <div data-bbox="685 1849 1330 2703" style="background-color: #e0ffe0; padding: 10px; text-align: center;"> <p><b>WHERE TO REPORT:</b></p> <p><b>CA Department of Food and Agriculture Animal Health Branch (AHB) District Offices:</b></p> <p><b>Redding 530-225-2140</b></p> <p><b>Modesto 209-491-9350</b></p> <p><b>Tulare 559-685-3500</b></p> <p><b>Ontario 909-947-4462</b></p> <p><b>AHB Headquarters 1220 N Street, Room A-107 Sacramento, CA 95814 Telephone 916-654-1447</b></p> <p><b>OR</b></p> <p><b>US Department of Agriculture Animal and Plant Health Inspection Services Veterinary Services (VS) 10365 Old Placerville Road, Suite 210 Sacramento, CA 95827-2518</b></p> <p><b>Toll free at 1-877-741-3690</b></p> </div> <div data-bbox="685 2719 1330 2999" style="background-color: #d3d3d3; padding: 10px; text-align: center;"> <p><b>In LOS ANGELES COUNTY, these conditions are also reportable to Veterinary Public Health at: (213) 989-7060</b></p> </div>	<p><b>MULTIPLE SPECIES</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Avian tuberculosis of livestock (<i>Mycobacterium avium</i>)</li> <li>Echinococcosis/Hydatidosis (<i>Echinococcus</i> species)</li> <li>Johne's disease (Paratuberculosis) (<i>Mycobacterium avium paratuberculosis</i>)</li> <li>Leishmaniasis</li> <li>Leptospirosis</li> <li>Novel H1N1<sup>†</sup></li> </ul> <p><b>†To be reported within 2 days (due to human health concerns)</b></p> <p><b>BOVINE</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Anaplasmosis (<i>Anaplasma marginale</i> or <i>A. centrale</i>)</li> <li>Bluetongue</li> <li>Bovine genital campylobacteriosis (<i>Campylobacter fetus venerealis</i>)</li> <li>Bovine viral diarrhea</li> <li>Enzootic bovine leukosis (Bovine leukemia virus)</li> <li>Infectious bovine rhinotracheitis (Bovine herpesvirus-1)</li> <li>Johne's disease (Paratuberculosis) (<i>Mycobacterium avium paratuberculosis</i>)</li> <li>Malignant catarrhal fever (North American)</li> <li>Q Fever (<i>Coxiella burnetii</i>)</li> </ul> <p><b>CAPRINE/OVINE</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Bluetongue</li> <li><i>Brucella ovis</i> (Ovine epididymitis)</li> <li>Caprine arthritis/encephalitis</li> <li>Enzootic abortion of ewes (Ovine chlamydiosis) (<i>Chlamydia psittaci</i>)</li> <li>Johne's disease (Paratuberculosis) (<i>Mycobacterium avium paratuberculosis</i>)</li> <li>Maedi-Visna (Ovine progressive pneumonia)</li> <li>Ovine pulmonary adenomatosis</li> <li>Q Fever (<i>Coxiella burnetii</i>)</li> </ul> <p><b>PORCINE</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Porcine cysticercosis (<i>Taenia solium</i> in humans)</li> <li>Porcine reproductive and respiratory syndrome</li> <li>Transmissible gastroenteritis (coronavirus)</li> <li>Trichinellosis (<i>Trichinella spiralis</i>)</li> </ul> <p><b>AVIAN SPECIES</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Avian infectious bronchitis</li> <li>Avian infectious laryngotracheitis</li> <li>Avian mycoplasmosis (<i>Mycoplasma synoviae</i>)</li> <li>Duck viral hepatitis</li> <li>Fowl cholera (<i>Pasteurella multocida</i>)</li> <li>Infectious bursal disease (Gumboro disease)</li> <li>Marek's disease</li> <li>Mycoplasmosis (<i>Mycoplasma gallisepticum</i>)</li> </ul> <p><b>EQUINE</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Equine influenza</li> <li>Equine rhinopneumonitis (Equine herpesvirus 1 or 4)</li> <li>Equine viral arteritis</li> <li>West Nile Virus</li> </ul> <p><b>OTHER SPECIES</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Camelpox in camels</li> <li>Hemorrhagic diseases of deer (bluetongue, adenovirus, and epizootic hemorrhagic disease)</li> <li>Myxomatosis in commercial rabbits</li> <li>VESV-related caliciviruses</li> </ul> <p><b>FISH, AMPHIBIAN, CRUSTACEAN, BEE, AND MOLLUSK</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><b>The list is compatible with the OIE list for these species and a copy of the reportable conditions for fish, amphibian, crustacean, bee, and mollusk species may be obtained by contacting the Animal Health Branch Headquarters Office in Sacramento.</b></li> </ul>