

Measles

Plague

Infectious diseases for immediate preliminary notification by telephone to a Medical Officer of Health





Causative Pathogen Disease

Acute anterior poliomyelitis Polio virus

Bacillus anthracis Anthrax

Botulism Clostridium botulinum

Vibrio cholerae Cholera

COVID-19 of a new or re-emergent variant SARS-CoV-2

Corynebacterium diphtheriae or ulcerans (toxin producing) Diphtheria

Haemophilus influenza disease (invasive) Haemophilus influenzae (blood, CSF or other normally sterile site)

Influenza of a new or re-emergent subtype Influenza A and B virus

Legionellosis Legionella spp. Measles virus

Meningococcal disease Neisseria meningitis

Monkeypox virus of theorthopoxvirus genus Mpox

Paratyphoid Salmonella paratyphi

Rabies Rabies virus

Severe Acute Respiratory Syndrome (SARS) SARS-associated coronavirus

Smallpox Variola virus

Tularemia Francisella tularensis

Typhoid Salmonella Typhi

Typhus Rickettsia prowazekii

Verotoxic Escherichia coli infection Verotoxin producing Escherichia coli

Viral haemorrhagic fevers

Yellow fever Yellow fever virus

Immediate preliminary notification to a Medical Officer of Health is also required if there is a serious outbreak of infectious disease

Yersinia pestis