

Flathead County Communicable Disease Weekly Report

This report provides the weekly report of communicable diseases in Flathead County. The data provided is provisional and may change as information is received.

Table 1. Communicable diseases in Flathead County* compared to statewide data during week MMWR 35 (week ending 9/2/2023).

	Flathead County		State of Montana	
	MMWR Week 35	Total (2023 Year-to-Date)	MMWR Week 35	Total (2023 Year-to-Date)
Enteric Diseases				
Salmonellosis	1	7	8	125
General Communicable Diseases				
Covid-19	31	916	587	14,175
Hepatitis				
Hepatitis C	1	17	26	735
Sexually Transmitted Diseases				
Chlamydia	5	152	83	2,466
Other Conditions				
Animal Bites	9	294	Not Reported	

Data Source: MTDPHHS Weekly Communicable Disease Epidemiology Report
*Not all cases were contracted in Flathead County

Additional Information:

Summary of Diseases in the State of Montana for **Week 35**

- Enteric Diseases: Enteric Diseases: Campylobacteriosis (12), Cryptosporidiosis (2), Giardiasis (6), Salmonellosis (8), Shiga toxin-producing Escherichia coli (STEC) (9), Vibriosis (1)
- General Communicable Diseases: COVID-19 (587), Latent TB Infection (LTBI) (3)
- Heavy Metal Exposures: Lead (3), Mercury (1)
- Hepatitis: Hepatitis B, acute (1), Hepatitis C, chronic (26)
- STD/HIV: Chlamydia (83), Gonorrhea (15), Syphilis, latent (6)
- Vaccine Preventable Diseases: Influenza, Hospitalization or Death (1)
- Vector-Borne Diseases: Lyme disease (1), Tularemia (1)
- Zoonoses: Rabies, animal (1), Rabies, post-exposure prophylaxis (PEP) (4)

What is an outbreak?

More cases of a particular disease or condition than expected over a given period of time

or

two or more cases of a specific illness (e.g., foodborne illness) with a suspected common exposure history.

Common fall outbreak culprits.

- Influenza
- COVID-19
- RSV
- Common Cold