

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 4 (week ending 1/27/2024).

	Flathead County		State of Montana	
	MMWR Week 4	Total (2024 Year-to-Date)	MMWR Week 4	Total (2024 Year-to-Date)
<b>Enteric Diseases</b>				
Campylobacteriosis	1	2	12	28
Salmonellosis	1	1	6	10
<b>General Communicable Diseases</b>				
Covid-19	24	198	430	2,537
Influenza, Hospitalization, or death	5	42	78	355
Streptococcus pneumoniae, invasive	1	2	2	13
<b>Hepatitis</b>				
Hepatitis C	1	3	11	67
<b>Sexually Transmitted Diseases</b>				
Chlamydia	8	12	90	233
Syphilis, primary or secondary	1	1	5	16
<b>Vector Borne</b>				
Dengue	1	1	1	<5
<b>Animal Bites</b>	7	15	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 4:

- **Enteric Diseases:** Campylobacteriosis (12), Cryptosporidiosis (2), Salmonellosis (6), Shiga toxin-producing Escherichia coli (STEC) (2), Shigellosis (1)
- **General Communicable Diseases:** COVID-19 (430)
- **Heavy Metal Exposures:** Lead (4)
- **Hepatitis:** Hepatitis C, chronic (11)
- **STD/HIV:** Chlamydia (90), Gonorrhea (13), Syphilis, primary and secondary (5), Syphilis, latent (4)
- **Vaccine Preventable Diseases:** Influenza, hospitalization or death (78), Pertussis (1), Streptococcus pneumoniae, invasive (2)
- **Zoonotic and Vector borne:** Dengue (1), Rabies, post-exposure prophylaxis (PEP) (2)

### Reporting a Foodborne Illness

If you suspect a foodborne illness, you can report it to Flathead City-County Health Department by filling out the foodborne illness reporting form found on our website.

<https://flathead.mt.gov/departments-directory/health/environmental-health/report-foodborne-illness>