

2021 Reportable Zoonoses

Except where specified, all conditions below represent human disease.

In addition to these reportable conditions, any outbreaks, exotic diseases, instances of select agent infection and unusual group expressions of disease must be reported.

All diseases shall be reported by name, age, sex, race/ethnicity, DOB, address, telephone number, disease, date of onset, method of diagnosis, and name, address, and telephone number of physician.

DSHS-Department of State Health Services; TAHC-Texas Animal Health Commission; CDC-Centers for Disease Control and Prevention

NBS-NEDSS (National Electronic Disease Surveillance System) Base System; ZC-Zoonosis Control

DSHS reporting time frame color code: **immediate, within 1 working day, within 1 week**

Zoonotic Conditions	Reportable to DSHS in 2021	Reportable to TAHC in 2021	Notifiable to CDC?	DSHS Reporting Database	Select Agent?
Anaplasmosis	Yes	No	Yes	NBS	No
Anthrax, animal	Yes	Yes	No	ZC Surveillance	Yes
Anthrax, human	Yes	No	Yes	NBS	Yes
Arboviral diseases, animal*	Yes	Yes	Yes	ZC Surveillance†	EEE and VEE
Arboviral diseases, human**	Yes	No	Yes	NBS	EEE and VEE
Babesiosis, animal	No	Yes (bovines, equines)	No	N/A	No
Babesiosis, human	Yes	No	Yes	NBS	No
Brucellosis, animal	No	Yes (cattle, other spp.)	No	N/A	Yes
Brucellosis, human	Yes	No	Yes	NBS	Yes
Cat scratch disease	No	No	No	N/A	No
Chagas disease, animal	No	No	No	N/A††	No
Chagas disease, human	Yes	No	No	NBS	No
Cysticercosis	Yes	No	No	NBS	No
Echinococcosis	Yes	No	No	NBS	No
Ehrlichiosis	Yes	No	Yes	NBS	No
Ehrlichiosis/Anaplasmosis, undetermined	Yes	No	Yes	NBS	No
Glanders (<i>Burkholderia mallei</i>)	Yes (exotic disease)	Yes (equines)	No	N/A	Yes
Hantavirus infection, non-HPS	Yes	No	Yes	NBS	No
Hantavirus pulmonary syndrome	Yes	No	Yes	NBS	No
Influenza, avian or novel in animals	No	Yes (poultry)	No	N/A	Yes
LCMV (Lymphocytic choriomeningitis virus)	No	No	No	N/A	No
Leishmaniasis, animal	No	Yes	No	N/A	No
Leishmaniasis, human	Yes	No	No	NBS	No
Leptospirosis	No	No	Yes	N/A	No
Lyme disease	Yes	No	Yes	NBS	No
Malaria	Yes	No	Yes	NBS	No
Melioidosis (<i>Burkholderia pseudomallei</i>)	Yes (exotic disease)	No	No	N/A	Yes
Orf virus	No	No	No	N/A	No
Plague, animal	Yes	No	No	ZC Surveillance	Yes
Plague, human	Yes	No	Yes	NBS	Yes
Psittacosis (Ornithosis), animal	No	Yes (poultry)	No	N/A	No
Psittacosis (Ornithosis), human	No	No	Yes	N/A	No
Q fever	Yes	No	Yes	NBS	Yes
Rabies, animal	Yes	No	Yes	NBS	No
Rabies, human	Yes	No	Yes	NBS	No
Rickettsiosis, unspecified	Yes	No	No	NBS	No
Ringworm	No	No	No	N/A	No
Spotted fever rickettsiosis (includes RMSF)	Yes	No	Yes	NBS	No
Taenia solium & undifferentiated Taenia infection	Yes	No	No	NBS	No
Tickborne relapsing fever	Yes	No	No	NBS	No
Toxoplasmosis	No	No	No	N/A	No
Trichinellosis (Trichinosis)	Yes	No	Yes	NBS	No
Tuberculosis, animal***	Yes	Yes	No	ZC Surveillance	No
Tularemia	Yes	No	Yes	NBS	Yes
Typhus, flea-borne	Yes	No	No	NBS	No
Typhus, louse-borne (<i>Rickettsia prowazekii</i>)	Yes	No	No	NBS	Yes
Yellow fever	Yes	No	Yes	NBS	No

*DSHS: arboviral encephalitis in any animal. TAHC: Japanese encephalitis and Eastern, Western, and Venezuelan encephalomyelitis in equines; infectious encephalomyelitis in poultry; and Rift Valley fever in any animal

**Neuroinvasive or non-neuroinvasive, including but not limited to the following viruses: West Nile, St. Louis encephalitis, Eastern equine encephalitis, dengue, chikungunya, Zika

***DSHS: *Mycobacterium tuberculosis* complex in non-research facility animals. TAHC: *M. avium* serovars 1 and 2 in poultry, *M. bovis* in cattle and deer (cervidae)

†Reports of arbovirus-positive mosquito pools, sentinel chickens, and birds should be sent to Central Office for reporting to the CDC

††2016 and earlier animal Chagas disease data available via the ZC surveillance database

DSHS reporting requirements: <https://www.dshs.texas.gov/idcu/investigation/conditions/>

TAHC reporting requirements: http://www.tahc.texas.gov/animal_health/reportable.html

Federal Select Agent Program list of select agents and toxins: <https://www.selectagents.gov/selectagentsandtoxinslist.html>