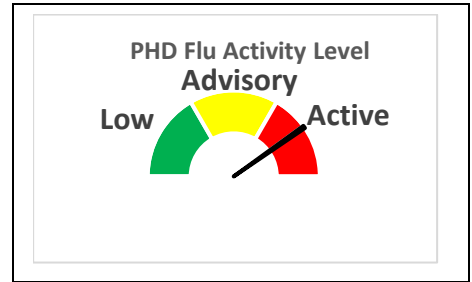




# Panhandle Health District Epidemiology Disease Bulletin

## November 2023

Disease	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023
2019-nCoV		16740	28605	19579	2345
Aseptic meningitis	1	3		1	5
Botulism, foodborne		2			
Botulism, infant	1				
Botulism, wound				1	
Campylobacteriosis	31	30	30	32	32
Chlamydia	732	557	542	560	523
Cryptosporidiosis	17	7	1	10	14
Elevated Blood Lead	51	55	66	92	73
Giardiasis	10	5	8	9	9
Gonorrhea	135	83	111	137	102
Group A Strep, invasive	16	14	7	7	14
Haemophilus influenzae, invasive	6	2	6	7	6
Hepatitis A	1	1		3	3
Hepatitis B	9	6	9	14	15
Hepatitis C	275	277	233	166	130
HIV	15	7	8	10	5
Influenza			2	17	80
Legionellosis	2	1	2	4	4
Lyme disease	1	1	3	6	5
Malaria				1	
Mpox (Monkeypox)				1	
Mumps					1
Neisseria meningitidis, invasive (Mening. disease)			1		
Noroviruses	6	1	2		25
Pertussis	52	17	1	3	5
Respiratory syncytial virus (RSV)	198	171	384	362	108
S. aureus, coag+, meth- or oxi- resistant (MRSA)	7	11	26	22	31
Salmonellosis (excl S. Typhi and S. Paratyphi)	19	25	18	16	47
Shiga toxin-producing Escherichia coli (STEC)	20	11	5	10	4
Shigellosis	1	1	2	2	3
Spotted Fever Rickettsiosis	5	2	1	3	3
Streptococcal toxic-shock syndrome	3				1
Streptococcus pneumoniae, invasive disease (IPD)			7	12	9
Syphilis, non-congenital	27	20	30	56	48
Tuberculosis		1		1	3
Yersinosis	1		1	2	6
Zika virus disease, non-congenital					1



**Notes:**

**Upcoming holiday travel** – common sources of illness during the holiday season include travel on airplanes, trains, or buses and contaminated foods. The best ways to prevent illness are to [wash your hands frequently](#), [practice safe coughing and sneezing etiquette](#), and practicing [safe food preparation techniques](#).

**Lead in Cinnamon-flavored Applesauce Pouches** – Certain brands of cinnamon-flavored applesauce pouches have been found to have high amounts of lead. Review the investigation and dispose of applesauce pouches in your home as necessary [here](#). If you think you may have symptoms of lead toxicity after eating recalled fruit pouches, contact your healthcare provider.

**Current Outbreaks:**

None