Communicable Disease Reporting in Clermont County

- **Who** must report?
Healthcare providers (physicians, hospitals, infection preventionists) with knowledge of a case or suspect case of a disease which is required to be reported; Laboratorians that examine specimens of human origin with evidence of diseases which are required to be reported; Any individual having knowledge of a person suffering from a disease suspected of being communicable.

- **What** must be reported?
Diseases on Ohio’s ABC list

- **When** must a report be made?
Class A disease – immediately by phone
Class B and C diseases – by the end of the next business day

- **Where** must the report be made?
Healthcare providers and laboratorians: to the local health jurisdiction in which the case or suspected case resides. If residence is unknown, report to the local health jurisdiction in which the healthcare provider or laboratory is located. If residence is outside of Ohio and reporting via electronic laboratory reporting (ELR), report to the state of patient residence. If residence is outside of Ohio and not reporting via ELR, report to the local health jurisdiction in which the healthcare provider or laboratory is located.

- **Why** must a report be made?
Clermont County Public Health (CCPH) is dependent upon you to report diseases within the required timelines to control and prevent infectious disease, identify outbreaks, and document distribution of disease in Ohio.

- **How** must a report be made?
The table below outlines the options for communicable disease reporting in Clermont County:

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<td>Monday - Friday 8:30 a.m. - 4:30 p.m.</td>
<td>Class A</td>
<td>• Call CCPH Immediately at 513-735-8400&lt;br&gt; • Or call the Public Health Infectious Disease Call Center (DPIC) at 877-774-4636</td>
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<td>Monday - Friday 8:30 a.m. - 4:30 p.m.</td>
<td>Class B and C</td>
<td>• Call CCPH at 513-735-8400&lt;br&gt; • Fax to CCPH at 513-735-8420&lt;br&gt; • Mail to: Clermont County Public Health 2400 Clermont Center Drive, Suite 200 Batavia, OH 45103 When faxing or mailing a report, healthcare providers should submit the Ohio Confidential Reportable Disease Form HEA 3334; Laboratorians should submit Form HEA 3333. Forms available on the CD or at the ODH website at <a href="http://bit.ly/ODHHEA3334">http://bit.ly/ODHHEA3334</a>. Healthcare providers and laboratories with access to ODRS or ELR may also report electronically.&lt;br&gt; • Or call the Public Health Infectious Disease Call Center (DPIC) at 877-774-4636</td>
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<td>After hours, weekends and holidays</td>
<td>Class A, B and C</td>
<td>• Call the Clermont County Communications Center at (513) 732-2231&lt;br&gt; • Or call the Public Health Infectious Disease Call Center (DPIC) at 877-774-4636</td>
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