

# Communicable Diseases Weekly Report

## Week 18, 1 to 7 May 2022

In this report we provide a summary of notifiable conditions activity in NSW over the reporting period, Week 18, 1 to 7 May 2022

Due to the rapidly evolving nature of the situation, data on **COVID-19** notifications can be found separately on the NSW Health [Latest Updates on COVID-19](#) page.

For up-to-date information regarding the **Japanese encephalitis** outbreak and the NSW response, please visit the [NSW Health Japanese encephalitis page](#).

Information on notifiable conditions is available at the NSW Health [infectious diseases page](#). This includes links to other NSW Health [infectious disease surveillance reports](#) and a [diseases data page](#) for a range of notifiable infectious diseases.

## Summary of notifiable conditions activity in NSW

The following table summarises notifiable conditions activity over the reporting period alongside reports received in the previous week, year to date and in previous years (Table 1).

**Table 1. NSW Notifiable conditions from 1- 7 May 2022, by date received\***

		Weekly		Year to date				Full Year		
		This week	Last week	2022	2021	2020	2019	2021	2020	2019
Enteric Diseases	Campylobacter	209	177	3589	4493	3477	4277	11954	10008	11482
	Cryptosporidiosis	15	12	164	242	357	354	443	549	669
	Giardiasis	26	25	439	700	910	1564	1497	1867	3322
	Hepatitis A	1	2	8	0	17	34	8	18	61
	Listeriosis	3	0	14	6	6	4	22	20	16
	Paratyphoid	1	0	5	0	16	29	1	17	39
	Rotavirus	7	8	131	115	318	237	357	500	1777
	STEC/VTEC	3	2	49	50	41	28	126	115	79
	Salmonellosis	65	92	1425	1475	1638	1685	3096	2884	3555
	Shigellosis	3	7	86	33	354	306	60	494	867
Typhoid	1	0	12	0	31	33	2	37	64	
Respiratory Diseases	Influenza	1963	1013	4804	21	7219	11279	124	7488	116431
	Legionellosis	3	6	87	85	59	67	213	170	153
	Tuberculosis	10	7	155	210	192	194	556	625	589
Sexually Transmissible Infections	Chlamydia	492	438	8436	10710	10347	11241	25369	27243	32475
	Gonorrhoea	253	176	3341	3360	3767	4126	7624	9883	11688
	LGV	3	0	7	16	32	19	36	44	69
Vaccine Preventable Diseases	Mumps	1	0	2	3	45	22	6	56	57
	Pneumococcal Disease (Invasive)	9	8	88	124	133	133	386	358	690
Vector Borne Diseases	Barmah Forest	1	2	35	52	69	28	111	271	63
	Dengue	1	1	10	1	73	163	4	76	456
	Malaria	1	0	8	2	18	22	8	25	73
	Ross River	13	5	446	419	656	275	657	1990	595
Zoonotic Diseases	Psittacosis	1	0	1	2	7	2	17	30	11

### \* Notes on Table 1: NSW Notifiable Conditions activity

- Only conditions which had one or more case reports received during the reporting week appear in the table.
- Due to the rapidly evolving nature of the situation, data on COVID-19 notifications can be found separately on the NSW Health [Latest Updates on COVID-19](#) page.
- Data cells represent the number of case reports received by NSW public health units and recorded on the NSW Notifiable Conditions Information Management System (NCIMS) in the relevant period (i.e. by report date).

- Note that [notifiable disease data](#) available on the NSW Health website are reported by onset date so case totals are likely to vary from those shown here.
- Cases involving interstate residents are not included.
- Chronic blood-borne virus conditions (such as HIV, hepatitis B and C) are not included here. Related data are available from the [Infectious Diseases Data](#), the [HIV Surveillance Data Reports](#) and the [Hepatitis B and C Strategies Data Reports](#) webpages.
- Notification is dependent on a diagnosis being made by a doctor, hospital or laboratory. Changes in awareness and testing patterns influence the proportion of patients with a particular infection that is diagnosed and notified over time, especially if the infection causes non-specific symptoms.