

Locally Reportable Diseases Update May 19, 2023

Situational Update

Antimicrobial resistance was one of the greatest public health concerns prior to the COVID-19 pandemic and continues to become a growing concern. According to a [CDC 2022 Special Report – COVID-19 U.S. Impact on Antimicrobial Resistance](#), healthcare-associated antimicrobial-resistant infections increased as a result of changes at healthcare settings during the pandemic (i.e. antimicrobial use, infection control).

Actions Requested of Providers (or their designee)

On August 2022, carbapenemase-producing organisms became a [laboratory reportable](#) condition. Due to concerns about increasing antimicrobial resistance, **Sacramento County Public Health will also require health care providers to report the following conditions as of May 19, 2023:**

- Carbapenem-resistant organisms (CROs) – all organisms
- Carbapenemase-producing organisms (CPOs) – all organisms

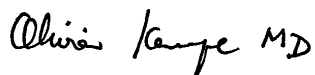
Please provide the following information according to reporting method:

Reporting Method	Did the patient have previous admission(s) to a healthcare facility (hospitals, skilled nursing facility) within 6 months?	Medical records (e.g., history and physical, infectious disease note, lab results, discharge summary)
Provider Portal Condition: Locally Reportable - Carbapenem-resistant Organism (CRO); Carbapenemase-producing Organism	1. Complete Epidemiologic Info tab Exposure Risk Factors question: Any previous admissions to a healthcare facility in 6 months preceding the collection date? 2. Provide details in notes	Upload to the filing cabinet
Confidential Morbidity Report (CMR) Form	1. Complete Occupational or Exposure Setting 2. Provide details in Remarks	Fax confidentially to (916) 854-9709

Resources:

1. COVID-19 U.S. Impact on Antimicrobial Resistance (CDC) - <https://www.cdc.gov/drugresistance/pdf/covid19-impact-report-508.pdf>
2. Title 17 Reportable Conditions: Notification by Laboratories to Public Health (CDPH): <https://www.cdph.ca.gov/Programs/CID/DCDC/CDPH%20Document%20Library/LabReportableDiseases.pdf>
3. Reportable Diseases and Conditions (SCPH): <https://dhs.saccounty.gov/PUB/Pages/Reportable-Diseases-and-Conditions.aspx>

Sincerely,



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