



Memorandum

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To: Southern Nevada District Board of Health

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Subject: Disease Surveillance & Control Division Monthly Activity Report – December 2025

A. Division of Disease Surveillance and Control

1. Number of Confirmed and Probable Cases of Selective Illnesses Reported

*This section has been modified to reflect calendar year reporting instead of fiscal year reporting, effective February 2023. This change is in line with MMWR reporting.

	December 2024	December 2025		YTD 24	YTD 25	
Sexually Transmitted						
Chlamydia	876	868	↓	12579	11941	↓
Gonorrhea	380	359	↓	5249	4926	↓
Primary Syphilis	10	1	↓	147	89	↓
Secondary Syphilis	11	1	↓	224	96	↓
Early Non-Primary, Non-Secondary ¹	31	13	↓	568	352	↓
Syphilis Unknown Duration or Late ²	109	41	↓	1533	1237	↓
Congenital Syphilis (presumptive)	6	1	↓	36	38	↑
Moms and Babies Surveillance³						
Pregnant Persons Living with HIV ⁴	8	2	↓	67	47	↓
Pregnant Syphilis Cases	15	13	↓	124	226	↑
Perinatally Exposed to HIV	4	0	↓	38	36	↓

¹ Early Non-Primary, Non-Secondary= CDC changed the case definition from Early Latent Syphilis to Early Non-Primary, Non-Secondary

² Syphilis Unknown Duration or Late=CDC changed the case definition from Late Latent Syphilis to Syphilis Unknown Duration or Late

³ Counts under this section represent investigations conducted by ODS concerning pregnant persons with HIV or syphilis and do not reflect actual counts of cases diagnosed in the specified period. These investigations are aimed at monitoring and preventing adverse health outcomes, such as perinatal HIV transmission and congenital syphilis.

⁴ The count reflects ODS efforts around pregnant persons with HIV and is not a reflection of the total number of pregnant persons with HIV in our community. Persons living with HIV who become pregnant is not a reportable condition in Clark County.

	December 2024	December 2025		YTD 24	YTD 25	
Vaccine Preventable						
Haemophilus influenzae, invasive disease	2	2	➔	43	34	⬇
Hepatitis A	1	0	⬇	10	2	⬇
Hepatitis B, acute	0	2	⬆	39	26	⬇
Influenza Hospitalizations and Deaths	642	190	⬇	1576	1498	⬇
Measles (Rubeola)	0	0	➔	0	1	⬆
Mpox	1	0	⬇	12	11	⬇
Mumps	0	0	➔	3	3	➔
Covid-19 Hospitalizations and Deaths	161	45	⬇	2259	1313	⬇
Pertussis	4	4	➔	57	73	⬆
RSV	1306	207	⬇	3707	2605	⬇
Enteric Illness						
Amebiasis	1	0	⬇	8	9	⬆
Campylobacteriosis	15	16	⬆	211	264	⬆
Cryptosporidiosis	3	2	⬇	35	30	⬇
Giardiasis	7	1	⬇	65	49	⬇
Listeriosis	0	0	➔	5	3	⬇
Rotavirus	6	5	⬇	132	237	⬆
Salmonellosis	22	9	⬇	182	221	⬆
Shiga toxin-producing Escherichia coli (STEC)	8	8	➔	95	100	⬆
Shigellosis	7	3	⬇	140	81	⬇
Yersiniosis	4	1	⬇	43	47	⬆
Other						
Carbapenem-resistant Enterobacterales (CRE)	42	25	⬇	683	611	⬇
Candida auris	101	78	⬇	1723	1421	⬇
Coccidioidomycosis	22	6	⬇	284	212	⬇
Cyclosporiasis	0	0	➔	11	9	⬇
Dengue	1	0	⬇	23	7	⬇
Hepatitis C, acute	0	0	➔	12	7	⬇
Invasive Pneumococcal Disease	41	15	⬇	255	238	⬇
Lead Poisoning	15	6	⬇	194	164	⬇
Legionellosis	4	1	⬇	35	42	⬆
Lyme Disease	0	1	⬆	8	6	⬇
Malaria	1	0	⬇	8	3	⬇
Meningitis, aseptic	2	0	⬇	32	22	⬇
Meningitis, Bacterial Other	0	0	➔	4	6	⬆
Rabies, animal	0	0	➔	6	5	⬇
Streptococcal Toxic Shock Syndrome (STSS)	3	4	⬆	34	27	⬇
Streptococcal disease, invasive, Group B	1	0	⬇	14	1	⬇
New Active TB Cases Counted (<15 yo)	0	0	➔	3	0	⬇
New Active TB Cases Counted (≥ 15 yo)	2	4	⬆	65	62	⬇

2. Number of Cases Investigated by ODS

Monthly DIIS Investigations CT/GC/Syphilis/HIV/TB	Contacts	Clusters ¹	Reactors/ Symptomatic/ Xray ²	OOJ/ FUP ³
Chlamydia	13	2	22	0
Gonorrhea	9	0	14	0
Syphilis	5	3	185	0
HIV/AIDS (New to Care/Returning to Care)	12	1	74	0
Tuberculosis	48	0	6	0
TOTAL	87	6	301	0

¹ Clusters= Investigations initiated on named clusters (clusters= named contacts who are not sex or needle sharing partners to the index patient)
² Reactors/Symptomatic= Investigations initiated from positive labs or reported symptoms
³ OOJ= Investigations initiated Out of Jurisdiction reactors/partners/clusters
Fup= Investigations initiated to follow up on previous reactors, partners, or clusters

3. Disease and Outbreak Investigations

- a. **Mpox:** As of December 17, 2025, Clark County had 333 cases of mpox since the first reported case in 2022.
- b. **Mpox Outbreak:** In the last 3 months there were 9 mpox cases (6 confirmed, 2 probable and 1 suspect). This was considered to be an outbreak. ODS, in collaboration with PPC, conducted outreach at venues associated with the cases to offer education and vaccines. There have been no additional cases in the past 4 weeks.
- c. **Influenza:** SNHD started the influenza surveillance for the 2025-2026 season on September 28, 2025. Influenza surveillance for Clark County, Nevada includes data collected from local acute care hospitals and other healthcare providers. Nationwide, Seasonal influenza activity is elevated and continues to increase across the country. Statewide, outpatient respiratory illness activity in Nevada is not available due to insufficient data. Locally, as of 12/27/2025, during the 2025 - 2026 influenza season, 276 influenza-associated hospitalizations and 2 deaths have been reported and processed. The total number of cases presented in this report is subject to change due to potential delays in reporting and data processing. Influenza surveillance will continue through 5/23/2026.
- d. **Gastrointestinal:** ACDC investigated a small gastrointestinal outbreak with 10 ill persons out of a group of 14 who shared a meal at a restaurant on 11/30/25. No organism was identified as no stool samples were provided; 3 stool kits were distributed. There have been no further reported illness associated with the restaurant. This investigation is closed.

4. Non-communicable Reports and Updates

- a. **Naloxone Training:** SNHD is training and distributing naloxone (Narcan®) to first responders and members of key community sectors throughout Nevada to better respond to the large-scale burden of opioid overdoses. Funding from SAMHSA's First Responders-Comprehensive Addiction and Recovery Act (FR-CARA), SAMHSA's State Opioid Response (SOR) via sub-awards from the University of Nevada Reno's Center for the Application of Substance Abuse Technologies, BJA's Comprehensive Opioid, Stimulant, and Substance Use Program (COSSUP), and the CDC's Overdose Data to Action (OD2A) program has been instrumental. ODS has implemented a policy for SNHD staff to carry and administer Naloxone. ODS has also been given permission at the Clark County Detention Center to place Naloxone in a person's property at the facility.

The following Naloxone distributions took place in the month of December:

Naloxone Distribution	Agency	# of Naloxone doses distributed
12/2/2025	SNHD - Henderson	240
12/2/2025	SNHD - Henderson	-5 (Returned back to SNHD to redistribute)
12/9/2025	SNHD - L2A	179
12/9/2025	Nevada State Police - Dept of Public Safety	-137 (Returned back to SNHD to redistribute)
12/9/2025	LVMPD	-37 (Returned back to SNHD to redistribute)
12/15/2025	Spring Valley Hospital	192
12/18/2025	Access to Healthcare Network	240
12/18/2025	Foundation For Recovery	1728
12/18/2025	Henderson Police Dept	-149 (Returned back to SNHD to redistribute)
12/18/2025	SNHD - L2A	149
12/22/2025	SNHD - ACDC	120
12/23/2025	NV Army National Guard	96
12/23/2025	NV Army National Guard	-25 (Returned back to SNHD to redistribute)
12/23/2025	SNHD - L2A	25
12/23/2025	Red Rock Search and Rescue	30
12/29/2025	NaphCare	480
Total		3305

b. Overdose Data to Action (ODTA): The ODS ODTA Health Education team monitors the Fentanyl (FTS) and Xylazine (XTS) Test Strip Program.

The following participating agencies and internal SNHD programs received FTS and XTS during the month of December:

DATE	AGENCY	FTS	XTS	QTY
12/09/2025	Foundation for Recovery	8,000	8,000	16,000
12/09/2025	Holy Smoke-Misfit Missionaries	300	300	600
12/17/2025	SNHD Office of Disease Surveillance	0	100	100
12/30/2025	SNHD Pharmacy	800	0	800
12/31/2025	Hope Christian Center	400	400	800
12/31/2025	NaphCare at CCDC	200	200	400
TOTALS:		9,700	9,000	18,700

5. Prevention - Community Outreach/Provider Outreach/Education

a. Ongoing promotion continues of the [Collect2Protect](#) (C2P) program, an online service for those requesting testing for gonorrhea, chlamydia, and at-home HIV test kits. The C2P program allows users to order an at-home HIV test kit conveniently and privately, at no cost and get their results at home. Test kits for chlamydia and gonorrhea are also available for a fee. Express Testing will also be available at SNHD's main public health center, 280 S. Decatur Blvd., Las Vegas, for those who are asymptomatic and would like to get tested and know their HIV status. ODS continues to work with OOC to help promote C2P on SNHD web sites, social media and with the help of community

partners. The Center, Sagebrush Health, and AHF continue to offer ongoing HIV/STD, PrEP/PEP, and rapid stART services to the community. Free HIV testing is also available from 8 a.m. – 4:30 p.m. at the Southern Nevada Health District, 280 S. Decatur Blvd., Las Vegas, NV 89107 through the Express Testing/Annex A clinic.

- b. ODS continues to collaborate with community partners to participate at various outreach events. Our continued collaboration and presence at events in the community is key to gaining community trust and to help destigmatize HIV/STI testing which is vital to ending the HIV epidemic. On December 10, ODS had an outreach with a new community partner, Adonis Health Club. Adonis is located at 2225 E. Flamingo Rd, Building 2 and is primarily a men's gym/bathhouse focused on serving the LGBTQ community. Additionally, on December 5, we returned to the McDonalds located at 3010 North Las Vegas Blvd next to Broadacres Swap meet and on December 15 services were provided to Club 5150 located at 5150 S. Pecos Rd. As ODS strives to expand our reach to populations with high disease burden, having broader access points in the community are integral. We provided our full service offering of rapid HIV and HCV testing, syphilis testing, overdose prevention services, PrEP navigation, condoms, and educational/informational navigation.
- c. Distribution is ongoing. TB Surveillance developed a laminated flyer titled "Is it TB?" The content includes messaging that encourages providers to "think TB" when talking to their patients about their risks and symptoms. Additionally, there is reporting information and a QR code that links to the provider education training:

<https://lp.constantcontactpages.com/su/p26ucWo/TBRRegistration>

B. High Impact HIV/STD/Hepatitis Screening Sites

1. Testing is currently offered at Trac-B for HIV and Hep C. Also, The Center is offering screenings for HIV, Hep C, Gonorrhea, Chlamydia and Syphilis to the community Monday-Thursday from 1pm-5pm and every Saturday from 9am-2pm. AHF is also offering HIV and STD screenings at their Wellness Clinic locations on Monday, Wednesday, and Friday, and on their MTU.

Office of Disease Surveillance- HIV Prevention Screening/Testing Efforts						
Prevention - SNHD HIV Testing	Dec-24	Dec-25		YTD 24	YTD 25	
Outreach/Targeted Testing	1104	461	↓	13790	12909	↓
Clinic Screening (SHC/FPC/TB)	484	236	↓	8885	5832	↓
Outreach Screening (Jails)	250	65	↓	3073	1541	↓
Collect2 Protect	9	1	↓	111	73	↓
TOTAL	1847	763	↓	25859	20355	↓
Outreach/Targeted Testing POSITIVE	10	1	↓	57	37	↓
Clinic Screening (SHC/FPC/TB) POSITIVE	1	0	↓	13	5	↓
Outreach Screening (Jails, SAPTA) POSITIVE	0	0	→	7	7	→
Collect2 Protect POSITIVE	0	0	→	0	0	→
TOTAL POSITIVES	11	1	↓	77	49	↓

Targeted outreaches in unhoused communities are ongoing. These efforts are included in the total high impact HIV/STD/Hepatitis screening sites above.

C. Staff Facilitated/Attended the following Trainings/Presentations

1. 12/03/2025: Facilitated CHIP Subcommittee Meeting on Substance Use; 8 people in attendance; 3 ODS staff attendees.

2. 12/03/2025: Facilitated Southern Nevada HIV Prevention Planning Group; 30 people in attendance; 8 ODS staff attendees.
3. 12/04/2025: Facilitated Southern Nevada Opioid Advisory Council Quarterly Meeting on opioids and overdose prevention; 40 people in attendance; 5 ODS staff attendees.
4. 12/04/2025: Facilitated Motivational Interviewing Training; 6 people in attendance; 1 SNHD ODS staff attendee.
5. 12/05/2025: Attended Big Cities Health Coalition (BCHC) Substance Use Working Group as SNHD representative; 9 people in attendance; 1 ODS staff attendee.
6. 12/05/2025: Facilitated the Clark County Children's Mental Health Consortium (CCCMHC) Monthly Meeting as Chair; 42 people in attendance; 1 SNHD ODS staff attendee.
7. 12/09/2025: Facilitated Community Health Improvement Plan Subcommittee Meeting on Substance Use; 10 people in attendance; 3 ODS staff attendees.
8. 12/10/2025: Facilitated "SafeTALK Suicide Prevention" Training with Office of Suicide Prevention; 12 people in attendance; 2 SNHD ODS staff attendees.
9. 12/10/2025: Presented on "A Healthier Tomorrow" Radio Broadcast on Power 88; 5 people in attendance; 2 ODS Health Educator attendees.
10. 12/16/2025: Attended the Clark County Children's Mental Health Consortium (CCCMHC) Public Awareness Workgroup Meeting as SNHD representative; 12 people in attendance; 2 SNHD ODS staff attendees.
11. 12/17/2025: Presented "Missing Part of the Equation-Paternity and CS" to Council of State and Territorial Epidemiologists STI Subcommittee; 112 people in attendance; 3 ODS staff attendees.
12. 12/29/2025: Facilitated Community Health Improvement Plan Subcommittee Meeting on Substance Use; 6 people in attendance; 3 ODS Staff attendees.

D. Office of Epidemiology

1. Epidemiology Reports

- a. Data quality reports to support the Office of Disease Surveillance's activities and STD/HIV grant deliverables
- b. Monthly and quarterly disease statistics
- c. Weekly mpox case and vaccination report
- d. Ongoing monthly and quarterly reports for FOCUS HIV grant project
- e. Monthly NVDRS, SUDORS and NCLPP reports
- f. Outreach site HIV testing stats-weekly
- g. EPT report- weekly
- h. Weekly Arbovirus update
- i. Weekly Wastewater Surveillance Report.

2. Other Project Updates

- a. Continue working on the Healthy Southern Nevada, Chronic Disease Dashboard

3. Disease Statistics

- a. Communicable Disease Statistics: November 2025 disease statistics are below. Please note that these data are retrieved as of December 31, 2025. (see Table 1)

Table 1 Monthly Communicable Disease Statistics (November 2025)

November 2025: Clark County Disease Statistics*

Data as of 12/31/2025

Disease	2023		2024		2025	
	November	YTD	November	YTD	November	YTD
VACCINE PREVENTABLE						
COVID-19	2,648	28,805	921	17,663	434	9,786
Haemophilus influenzae, invasive	1	27	3	41	6	32
Hepatitis A	0	6	0	9	0	2
Hepatitis B, acute	2	28	4	39	2	24
Hepatitis B, chronic	123	1,423	79	1,202	72	1,013
Influenza	179	433	151	932	50	1,306
Measles (rubeola)	0	0	0	0	0	1
Meningococcal disease (<i>N. meningitidis</i>)	0	2	0	2	0	1
MPOX	4	16	1	11	5	11
Mumps	0	0	0	3	0	3
Pertussis	11	45	4	53	8	68
RSV	706	1,627	384	2,401	75	2,398
SEXUALLY TRANSMITTED						
Chlamydia	1,031	12,019	893	11,703	864	11,073
Gonorrhea	523	5,432	383	4,869	386	4,568
HIV	42	460	35	512	29	408
Stage 3 HIV (AIDS)	21	161	16	172	10	148
Syphilis (Early non-primary, non-secondary)	58	584	37	537	24	339
Syphilis (Primary & Secondary)	31	522	17	350	11	186
CONGENITAL CONDITIONS						
Hepatitis C, Perinatal Infection	0	1	0	3	0	1
Congenital Syphilis	4	51	1	30	5	38
ENTERICS						
Amebiasis	0	4	1	7	0	9
Campylobacteriosis	20	184	8	196	24	248
Cryptosporidiosis	0	12	4	32	2	27
Giardiasis	4	70	5	58	2	48
Rotavirus	5	107	6	126	4	232
Salmonellosis	17	200	15	160	24	211
Shiga toxin-producing <i>E. coli</i> (STEC)	7	56	4	87	10	92
Shigellosis	14	83	7	133	8	78
Vibriosis (Non-cholera <i>Vibrio</i> species infection)	1	6	0	13	0	11
Yersiniosis	1	16	4	39	3	46
OTHER						
Coccidioidomycosis	31	255	39	262	12	206
Exposure, Chemical or Biological	0	1	0	4	0	2
Hepatitis C, acute	0	5	1	12	0	7
Hepatitis C, chronic	118	2,231	142	1,590	112	2,030
Invasive Pneumococcal Disease	21	186	23	214	21	223
Lead Poisoning	7	167	15	179	8	159
Legionellosis	0	29	3	31	0	41
Listeriosis	1	1	0	5	0	3
Lyme Disease	1	9	0	8	0	5
Malaria	0	7	2	7	0	3
Meningitis, Aseptic	1	32	3	30	2	22
Meningitis, Bacterial Other	2	12	0	4	0	6
Meningitis, Fungal	0	0	0	3	0	2
Q Fever, acute	0	1	0	0	0	0
Rabies, exposure to a rabies susceptible animal	21	326	21	324	72	805
Spotted Fever Rickettsiosis	0	0	1	2	0	0
Streptococcal Toxic Shock Syndrome (STSS)	5	34	3	31	2	23
Tuberculosis (Active)	8	71	4	65	5	58
West Nile virus neuroinvasive disease	0	2	0	14	0	0

*The total number of cases presented in this report is subject to change due to possible delays in reporting and processing. Cases are counted based on CDC case definitions.

~Diseases not reported in the past two years or during the current reporting period are not included in this report.

~~Monthly rates & monthly rate comparisons were removed from the Clark County Disease Statistics monthly report after July 2018 due to new data suppression rules adopted by the Office of Epidemiology & Disease Surveillance. Please see the Clark County Disease Statistics quarterly report for quarterly rates & quarterly rate comparisons.