

Infectious diseases for immediate preliminary notification by telephone to a Medical Officer of Health Specified under Infectious Diseases (Amendment) Regulations 2024 (S.I. No. 119 of 2024) April 2024



Disease	Causative Pathogen
Acute anterior poliomyelitis	Polio virus
Anthrax	Bacillus anthracis
Botulism	Clostridium botulinum
Cholera	Vibrio cholerae
COVID-19 of a new or re-emergent variant	SARS-CoV-2
Diphtheria	Corynebacterium diphtheriae or ulcerans (toxin producing)
Haemophilus influenza disease (invasive)	Haemophilus influenzae (blood, CSF or other normally sterile site)
Influenza of a new or re-emergent subtype	Influenza A and B virus
Legionellosis	Legionella spp.
Measles	Measles virus
Meningococcal disease	Neisseria meningitis
Мрох	Monkeypox virus of theorthopoxvirus genus
Paratyphoid	Salmonella paratyphi
Plague	Yersinia pestis
Rabies	Rabies virus
Severe Acute Respiratory Syndrome (SARS)	SARS-associated coronavirus
Smallpox	Variola virus
Tularemia	Francisella tularensis
Typhoid	Salmonella Typhi
Typhus	Rickettsia prowazekii
Verotoxic Escherichia coli infection	Verotoxin producing Escherichia coli
Viral haemorrhagic fevers	
Yellow fever	Yellow fever virus

Immediate preliminary notification to a Medical Officer of Health is also required if there is a serious outbreak of infectious disease