**44:20:01:03.** Category I reportable diseases and conditions. Category I reportable diseases and conditions have a potential for epidemic spread or require rapid application of public health measures to prevent a serious threat to public health or safety. Category I reportable diseases and conditions include:

- (1) Anthrax (Bacillus anthracis);
- (2) Botulism (Clostridium botulinum);
- (3) Brucellosis (*Brucella spp*);
- (4) Diphtheria (Corynebacterium diphtheriae);
- (5) Epidemics or outbreaks:
  - (a) Acute upper respiratory illness;
  - (b) Diarrheal disease;
  - (c) Foodborne;
  - (d) Healthcare-associated infections;
  - (e) Illnesses in child care settings;
  - (f) Rash illness;
  - (g) Waterborne;
- (6) Escherichia coli Shiga toxin-producing (STEC), such as E. coli 0157:H7;
- (7) Measles:
- (8) Meningococcal disease, invasive (Neisseria meningitidis);
- (9) New strains of Influenza A, (such as A/H5N1);
- (10) Plague (Yersinia pestis);
- (11) Poliomyelitis, paralytic, and non-paralytic;
- (12) Rabies, human and animal;
- (13) Rubella and congenital rubella syndrome;
- (14) Severe acute respiratory syndrome, SARS (coronavirus);
- (15) Smallpox (Variola);
- (16) Syndromes suggestive of bioterrorism and other public health threats;
- (17) Tularemia (Francisella tularensis);
- (18) Viral hemorrhagic fever (filoviruses or arenaviruses);
- (19) Yellow fever (flavivirus); and
- (20) Unexplained illnesses or deaths of humans or animals.

**Source:** 20 SDR 69, effective November 17, 1993; 28 SDR 92, effective December 30, 2001; 29 SDR 87, effective December 22, 2002; 30 SDR 89, effective December 7, 2003; 34 SDR 179, effective December 24, 2007; 38 SDR 8, effective August 1, 2011; 39 SDR 203, effective June 10, 2013.

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