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Counts of Confirmed Cases of Selected Diseases of Public Health Significance

Disease	5 Year Average Oct – Dec	2020 Oct – Dec	5 Year Average Year to Date	2020 Year to Date
Sexually Transmitted Infections	--	--	--	--
Human Immunodeficiency Virus (HIV)	3.6	3	14.8	9
Acquired Immunodeficiency Syndrome (AIDS)	0.4	1	1.4	2
Chlamydia**	540.4	188	2075.8	1,562
Gonorrhea	92.8	106	337.6	412
Infectious Syphilis	11.4	25	45.8	86 ↑
Hepatitis B	0.8	0	3.6	4
Hepatitis C	35.6	17	148.8	94
Neonatal Group B Strep	0.6	1	2.2	3
Enteric Diseases	--	--	--	--
Amebiasis *	1.8	0	15.0	7
Campylobacter *	31.6	10	147.6	80
Cryptosporidiosis *	1.6	0	13.4	9
Cyclosporiasis *	0.6	0	16.0	6
Giardiasis *	10.6	4	46.8	38
Hepatitis A *	1.4	0	4.6	2
Listeriosis	0.4	1	2.2	2
Paratyphoid Fever	0.0	0	1.6	1
Salmonellosis *	27.0	9	143.0	68
Shigellosis *	1.6	2	8.4	7
Typhoid Fever	0.4	0	3.0	3
Vero-toxin-producing <i>Escherichia coli</i> (VTEC)	1.0	2	7.6	9
Yersiniosis *	1.2	3	11.6	10
Other Communicable Diseases	--	--	--	--
Influenza - Total	66.2	1	412.6	367
Influenza A	53.6	0	314.6	263
Influenza B	12.4	0	97.6	103
Invasive Group A Streptococcal Disease	8.0	5	28.8	28
Invasive <i>Streptococcus pneumoniae</i>	18.0	5	46.2	21
Invasive Meningococcal Disease	1.0	0	2.6	1
Legionellosis *	6.0	7	18.4	30
Lyme Disease *	2.6	8	35.6	44
Measles *	0.0	0	0.0	0
Mumps *	0.4	0	2.2	2
Pertussis *	1.4	0	10.0	2
Tuberculosis	2.0	4	16.0	11
West Nile virus *	0.0	3 ↑	2.4	13 ↑

* Includes both confirmed and probable cases. All numbers are preliminary data only and are subject to change

**Please note actual chlamydia counts are higher than reported due to delays in data entry resulting from COVID-19 response

↑ Red arrow and bolded font indicate higher than expected compared to 5-year average (2015-2019) plus 2 standard deviations

INTEREST: The **COVID-19 Data Tracker** includes up to date information about COVID-19 cases in Durham Region, including the number of confirmed cases by status, municipality, age, gender and the number of new cases and cumulative cases by reported date and onset date. www.durham.ca/COVIDcases

If you prefer to receive this information in an electronic format please submit your request to healthresources@durham.ca

If you require this information in an accessible format, contact 1-800-841-2729.

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