



# Leptospirosis Case Report Form

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Patient's Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Date First Submitted: \_\_\_\_\_ Clinician's Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_ State Case ID: \_\_\_\_\_ Clinician's Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ Reporting State: \_\_\_\_\_

## Demographics

State of Residence _____	Zip Code _____	County of Usual Residence _____	Sex <input type="checkbox"/> Male <input type="checkbox"/> Female <input type="checkbox"/> Unknown	Pregnant <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Unknown	Birth Date _____	Age _____	<input type="checkbox"/> days <input type="checkbox"/> months <input type="checkbox"/> years
Race <input type="checkbox"/> Alaska Native or American Indian <input type="checkbox"/> Asian		<input type="checkbox"/> Black/African American <input type="checkbox"/> Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	<input type="checkbox"/> White <input type="checkbox"/> Not Specified	Ethnicity <input type="checkbox"/> Hispanic or Latino <input type="checkbox"/> Unknown		<input type="checkbox"/> Not Hispanic or Latino	

## Clinical Presentation

Was the patient symptomatic?  Yes  No  Unknown If yes, Date of Onset \_\_\_\_\_

Select all clinical manifestations the patient experienced:

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|-----------------------------------|---|-------------------------------------|--|--|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Fever    | <input type="checkbox"/> Conjunctival suffusion | <input type="checkbox"/> Jaundice   | <input type="checkbox"/> Pulmonary complications     | <input type="checkbox"/> Gastrointestinal involvement      |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Myalgia  | <input type="checkbox"/> Thrombocytopenia       | <input type="checkbox"/> Hepatitis  | <input type="checkbox"/> Cardiac involvement         | <input type="checkbox"/> Rash (petechial or maculopapular) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Headache | <input type="checkbox"/> Aseptic meningitis     | <input type="checkbox"/> Hemorrhage | <input type="checkbox"/> Renal insufficiency/failure |  |

Other, specify: \_\_\_\_\_

## Outcome

Was the patient hospitalized?  Yes  No  Unknown If yes, date admitted \_\_\_\_\_ Number of days hospitalized \_\_\_\_\_

Was antimicrobial treatment given for this infection?  Yes  No  Unknown If yes, date started \_\_\_\_\_

Which drugs (select all that apply)?  Doxycycline  Penicillin  Other, specify: \_\_\_\_\_

Clinical Outcome:  Still hospitalized  Died  Discharged  Other

Date of Discharge \_\_\_\_\_ Date of Death \_\_\_\_\_ Illness Duration (days) \_\_\_\_\_

## Laboratory Results

Culture	Specimen Type <input type="checkbox"/> Blood <input type="checkbox"/> CSF <input type="checkbox"/> Other _____ <input type="checkbox"/> Urine <input type="checkbox"/> Tissue <input type="checkbox"/> Unknown	Collection date _____	Result <input type="checkbox"/> Positive <input type="checkbox"/> Unknown <input type="checkbox"/> Negative
PCR	Specimen Type <input type="checkbox"/> Blood <input type="checkbox"/> CSF <input type="checkbox"/> Unknown <input type="checkbox"/> Urine <input type="checkbox"/> Other _____	Collection date _____	Result <input type="checkbox"/> Positive <input type="checkbox"/> Unknown <input type="checkbox"/> Negative
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MAT	Acute Collection Date _____ Highest Titer _____	Convalescent (≥ 2 weeks later) Collection Date _____ Highest Titer _____	<input type="checkbox"/> 4-fold rise in titer <input type="checkbox"/> Single titer ≥ 800
Other test	<input type="checkbox"/> ELISA <input type="checkbox"/> Immunohistochemistry (IHC) <input type="checkbox"/> Lateral flow test <input type="checkbox"/> Other (Specify): _____		Result <input type="checkbox"/> Positive <input type="checkbox"/> Negative <input type="checkbox"/> Unknown <input type="checkbox"/> Inconclusive
If ELISA, choose type	<input type="checkbox"/> IgG <input type="checkbox"/> IgM <input type="checkbox"/> IgG & IgM <input type="checkbox"/> ImmunoDot (IgM) <input type="checkbox"/> Not Applicable		Titer* _____ *If applicable

*Leptospira* serovar<sup>^</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ <sup>^</sup>identified by PFGE, MLST, or other molecular typing method

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## Exposures in 30 days prior to illness onset, specify if the patient had:

Contact with animals (select all that apply)  Farm livestock  Wildlife  Rodents  Dogs  Other  No known contact  Unknown  
Specify animal: \_\_\_\_\_  
Where did animal contact(s) occur (eg, at home)? \_\_\_\_\_

Contact with water (select all that apply)  Standing fresh water (eg, lake, pond)  River/stream  Wet soil  Flood water, run-off  Sewage  
 Other  No known contact  Unknown Specify water: \_\_\_\_\_  
Where did water contact(s) occur (specify location)? \_\_\_\_\_

## If the patient had contact with animals or water, select the type of contact:

Occupational  Farmer (Land)  Farmer (Animals)  Fish worker  Unknown  Other  
If Other, Specify: \_\_\_\_\_

Avocational  Gardening  Pet Ownership  Unknown  Other  
If Other, Specify: \_\_\_\_\_

Recreational  Swimming  Boating  Outdoor competition  Camping/hiking  Hunting  Unknown  Other  
If Other, Specify: \_\_\_\_\_

Other (Specify): \_\_\_\_\_

## In the 30 days prior to illness onset,

Did the patient stay in housing with evidence of rodents?  Yes  No  Unknown Did the patient stay in a rural area?  Yes  No  Unknown  
Did the patient travel outside of county, state, or country?  Yes  No  Unknown Travel destination(s): \_\_\_\_\_  
Was there heavy rainfall near the patient's place of residence, work site, activities, or travel?  Yes  No  Unknown  
Was there flooding near the patient's place of residence, work site, activities, or travel?  Yes  No  Unknown  
Did the patient have similar exposures as a contact diagnosed with leptospirosis in the 30 day period?  Yes  No  Unknown  
Has the patient ever had leptospirosis?  Yes  No  Unknown Is this patient part of an outbreak?  Yes  No  Unknown  
If yes, describe outbreak: \_\_\_\_\_

## Classify case based on the CSTE/CDC case definition (see criteria below)

Confirmed  Probable  
Investigator Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_

## Comments

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**Confirmed:** Isolation of *Leptospira* from a clinical specimen, OR fourfold or greater increase in *Leptospira* agglutination titer between acute- and convalescent-phase serum specimens studied at the same laboratory, OR demonstration of *Leptospira* in tissue by direct immunofluorescence, OR *Leptospira* agglutination titer of  $\geq 800$  by Microscopic Agglutination Test (MAT) in one or more serum specimens, OR detection of pathogenic *Leptospira* DNA (e.g., by PCR) from a clinical specimen.

**Probable:** A clinically compatible case with involvement in an exposure event (e.g., adventure race, triathlon, flooding) with known associated cases, OR *Leptospira* agglutination titer of  $\geq 200$  but  $< 800$  by Microscopic Agglutination Test (MAT) in one or more serum specimens, OR demonstration of anti-*Leptospira* antibodies in a clinical specimen by indirect immunofluorescence, OR demonstration of *Leptospira* in a clinical specimen by darkfield microscopy, OR detection of IgM antibodies against *Leptospira* in an acute phase serum specimen, but without confirmatory laboratory evidence of *Leptospira* infection.