

Oneida County Health Department

Public Health Update

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Public Health Alerts

Discontinue Use of Ciprofloxacin for Invasive Meningococcal Disease Post-Exposure Prophylaxis
August 14, 2024

MPOX CASES ASSOCIATED WITH PERSON-TO-PERSON TRANSMISSION
September 2, 2024

Reporting and Testing of Suspected Human Cases of Eastern Equine Encephalitis
September 10, 2024

INFLUENZA SURVEILLANCE AND REPORTING REQUIREMENTS, 2024-2025
September 30, 2024

RESPIRATORY SYNCYTIAL VIRUS (RSV) SURVEILLANCE AND REPORTING REQUIREMENTS, 2024-2025
September 30, 2024

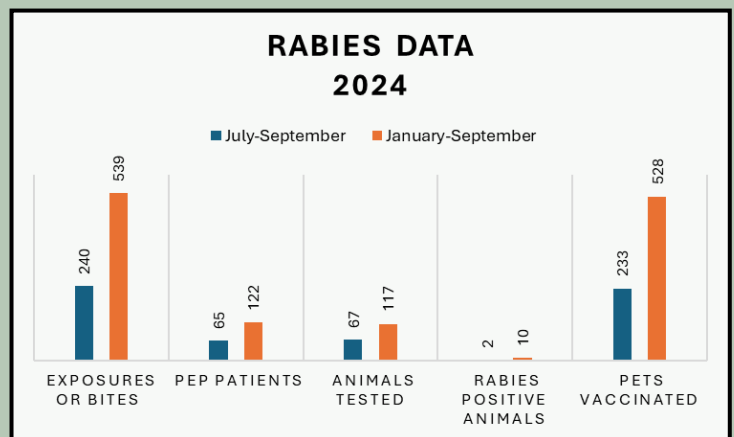
Before administering Rabies Post-Exposure Prophylaxis, call OCHD

315-798-5064 (24 hrs)

Then complete the [Animal Bite form](#) for each animal bite or exposures to potentially rabid animal.

NYSDOH Rabies Post-Exposure Prophylaxis

Rabies Data 2024	July-September	January-September
Exposures or Bites	240	539
PEP Patients	65	122
Animals Tested	67	117
Rabies Positive Animals	2	10
Pets Vaccinated	233	528



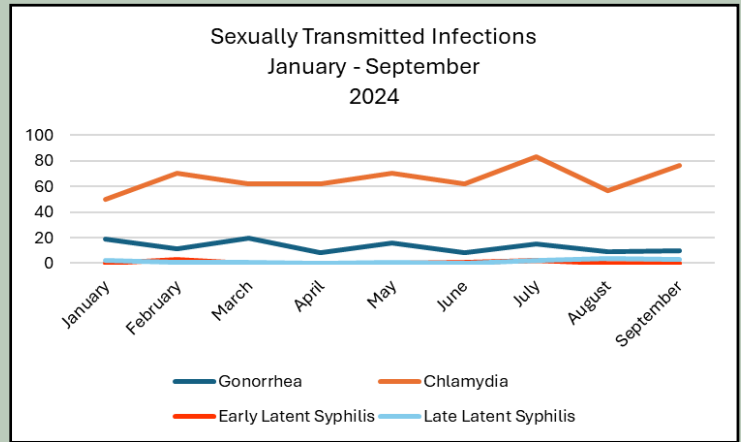
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**Confirmed Cases of
Communicable Diseases
July—September 2024**

Disease 2024	July	August	September
Amebiasis	1	0	0
Anaplasmosis	8	3	0
Babesiosis	0	1	0
Campylobacteriosis	12	3	11
COVID-19	289	518	895
Cryptosporidiosis	7	2	2
Ecoli Shiga Toxin	2	2	1
Giardiasis	4	9	2
Haemophilus Influenzae, Not Type B	0	2	0
Hepatitis A	0	0	0
Hepatitis B, Acute	0	0	1
Hepatitis B, Chronic	0	2	10
Hepatitis C, Acute	0	1	1
Hepatitis C, Chronic	1	6	6
Hepatitis C, Perinatal	0	0	0
Influenza A	1	9	33
Influenza B	0	1	7
Legionellosis	3	2	3
Lyme	120	97	47
Malaria	0	0	0
Meningitis, Aseptic	0	0	1
Monkeypox	0	0	0
Pertussis	4	0	1
Respiratory Syncytial Virus	1	1	2
Salmonellosis	2	3	3
Shigellosis	0	0	1
Strep, Group A Invasive	3	2	0
Strep, Group B Invasive	2	0	1
Strep Pneumoniae, Invasive	0	2	2
Tuberculosis	0	0	0
Varicella	0	1	0
Vibrio Non 01 Cholera	2	2	3
Yersiniosis	0	1	2

Confirmed Cases of Sexually Transmitted Infections

2024	July	August	September
Gonorrhea	15	9	10
Chlamydia	83	57	76
Early Latent Syphilis	2	0	0
Late Latent Syphilis	2	4	3



**Colder months are approaching...
Be prepared**

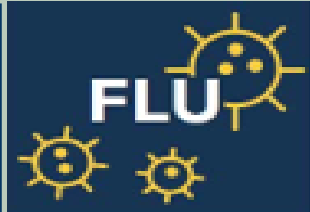
Especially for your patients who depend on life-saving medical equipment

Order NYSDOH Generator Safety Publications [Here](#)

Lyme Disease Clinical Resources

2024
ONEIDA COUNTY CAR SEAT PROGRAM

Monitor Positive Influenza
Cases
in Oneida County
2024-2025 Flu Season



CNY Diabetes Education Program

**NATIONAL
DIABETES
PREVENTION
PROGRAM**

CNY Diabetes is formally Recognized by the CDC to conduct this program using certified Lifestyle Coaches.

Registration is ongoing

Contact CNY Diabetes:

(315) 624-5620 or email cjacobus@mvhealthsystem.org

Most children exposed to lead have no symptoms.

Screen your patients today.

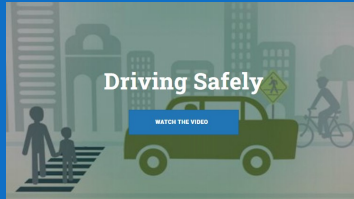


Training: Childhood Lead Poisoning Prevention

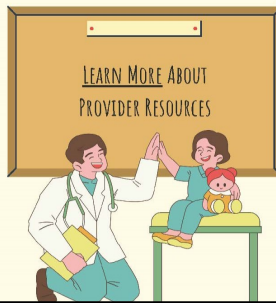
The target audiences are:

- Physicians
- Registered nurses
- CEU Other Professionals
- Public Health Professionals
- Certified Health Education Specialists

Pedestrian Safety Month



Strengthen and support your ability to deliver care to children and families who experience mild to moderate mental health concerns



FREE
CE



Engaging Patients in a Conversation About Naloxone

- [Take the training \(.5h\)](#) and earn CE credit
- Patients can order their own naloxone kit from the Oneida County Health Department at

Department at

<https://lfweb.ocgov.net/Forms/Narcan>

Podcast - The Science of Communicating Clearly

Clear communication builds trust, and audiences want content they can understand the first time they see or hear it.

This podcast focuses on the core principles and practices for clear communication.



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