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PSITTACOSIS CASE REPORT

PATIENT INFORMATION																							
Last Name	First Name	Middle Name	Suffix	Primary Language																			
Social Security Number (9 digits)		DOB (mm/dd/yyyy)	Age	<input type="checkbox"/> English <input type="checkbox"/> Spanish <input type="checkbox"/> Other: _____																			
Address Number & Street – Residence			Apartment / Unit Number																				
City / Town		State	Zip Code																				
Census Tract	County of Residence		Country of Residence																				
Country of Birth		If not U.S. Born - Date of Arrival in U.S. (mm/dd/yyyy)																					
Home Telephone		Cellular Phone / Pager		Work / School Telephone																			
E-mail Address		Other Electronic Contact Information																					
Work / School Location		Work / School Contact																					
Gender <input type="checkbox"/> Female <input type="checkbox"/> Trans female / transwoman <input type="checkbox"/> Genderqueer or non-binary <input type="checkbox"/> Unknown <input type="checkbox"/> Male <input type="checkbox"/> Trans male / transman <input type="checkbox"/> Identity not listed <input type="checkbox"/> Declined to answer																							
Pregnant? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Unknown		If Yes, Est. Delivery Date (mm/dd/yyyy)																					
Medical Record Number		Patient's Parent/Guardian Name																					
Occupation Setting (see list on page 7)		Other Describe/Specify																					
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ADDITIONAL PATIENT DEMOGRAPHICS																							
Sex Assigned at Birth		Sexual Orientation																					
<input type="checkbox"/> Female <input type="checkbox"/> Unknown <input type="checkbox"/> Male <input type="checkbox"/> Declined to answer		<input type="checkbox"/> Heterosexual or straight <input type="checkbox"/> Questioning, unsure, or patient doesn't know <input type="checkbox"/> Declined to answer <input type="checkbox"/> Gay, lesbian, or same-gender loving <input type="checkbox"/> Orientation not listed <input type="checkbox"/> Unknown <input type="checkbox"/> Bisexual																					

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SIGNS AND SYMPTOMS

Symptomatic? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Unknown		Onset Date (mm/dd/yyyy)		Date First Sought Medical Care (mm/dd/yyyy)
Signs and Symptoms	Yes	No	Unk	If Yes, Specify as Noted
Fever				Highest temperature (specify °F/°C)
Chills				
Headache				
Photophobia				
Cough				
Myalgia				
Other symptom (specify)				

HOSPITALIZATION

Did the patient visit the emergency room for illness? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Unknown		
Was the patient hospitalized? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Unknown	If Yes, how many total hospital nights?	During any part of the hospitalization, did the patient stay in an intensive care unit (ICU) or a critical care unit (CCU)? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Unknown
If there were any ER visits or hospital stays related to this illness, specify details in the Hospitalization – Details section below.		

HOSPITALIZATION – DETAILS

Hospital Name 1	Street Address		Admit Date (mm/dd/yyyy)	
	City		Discharge / Transfer Date (mm/dd/yyyy)	
	State	Zip Code	Telephone Number	Medical Record Number / Discharge Diagnosis
Hospital Name 2	Street Address		Admit Date (mm/dd/yyyy)	
	City		Discharge / Transfer Date (mm/dd/yyyy)	
	State	Zip Code	Telephone Number	Medical Record Number / Discharge Diagnosis

TREATMENT / MANAGEMENT

Received treatment? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Unknown	If Yes, specify the treatments below.
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TREATMENT / MANAGEMENT – DETAILS

Treatment Type 1 <input type="checkbox"/> Antibiotic <input type="checkbox"/> Other	Treatment Name	Date Started (mm/dd/yyyy)	Date Ended (mm/dd/yyyy)
Treatment Type 2 <input type="checkbox"/> Antibiotic <input type="checkbox"/> Other	Treatment Name	Date Started (mm/dd/yyyy)	Date Ended (mm/dd/yyyy)

OUTCOME

Outcome? <input type="checkbox"/> Survived <input type="checkbox"/> Died <input type="checkbox"/> Unknown	If Survived, Survived as of _____ (mm/dd/yyyy)	Date of Death (mm/dd/yyyy)
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LABORATORY INFORMATION

LABORATORY RESULTS SUMMARY

Specimen Type 1 <input type="checkbox"/> Serum (acute) <input type="checkbox"/> Serum (convalescent) <input type="checkbox"/> Other: _____	Type of Test <input type="checkbox"/> MIF <input type="checkbox"/> CF <input type="checkbox"/> Culture <input type="checkbox"/> Other: _____	If Serum (acute) is submitted, then Serum (convalescent) must also be submitted
	C. psittaci IgM Titer	C. psittaci IgG Titer
	Results	Interpretation <input type="checkbox"/> Positive <input type="checkbox"/> Negative <input type="checkbox"/> Equivocal
	Laboratory Name	Telephone Number

Specimen Type 2 <input type="checkbox"/> Serum (acute) <input type="checkbox"/> Serum (convalescent) <input type="checkbox"/> Other: _____	Type of Test <input type="checkbox"/> MIF <input type="checkbox"/> CF <input type="checkbox"/> Culture <input type="checkbox"/> Other: _____	If Serum (acute) is submitted, then Serum (convalescent) must also be submitted
	C. psittaci IgM Titer	C. psittaci IgG Titer
	Results	Interpretation <input type="checkbox"/> Positive <input type="checkbox"/> Negative <input type="checkbox"/> Equivocal
	Laboratory Name	Telephone Number

IMAGING SUMMARY

Anatomic site	Date (mm/dd/yyyy)	Type of Imaging <input type="checkbox"/> X-Ray <input type="checkbox"/> CT <input type="checkbox"/> MRI <input type="checkbox"/> Other: _____
	Result	Interpretation
	Laboratory Name	Telephone Number

EPIDEMIOLOGIC INFORMATION

INCUBATION PERIOD IS 1 - 4 WEEKS PRIOR TO ILLNESS ONSET

EXPOSURES / RISK FACTORS

DID THE PATIENT HAVE CONTACT WITH ANY OF THE FOLLOWING DURING THE MONTH PRIOR TO ILLNESS ONSET?

Exposure	Yes	No	Unk	If Yes, Specify as Noted	
Bird(s)				Type of Bird <input type="checkbox"/> Psittacines <input type="checkbox"/> Pigeons <input type="checkbox"/> Poultry <input type="checkbox"/> Other: _____	
				Type of Bird Exposure <input type="checkbox"/> Household pet <input type="checkbox"/> Aviary <input type="checkbox"/> Private <input type="checkbox"/> Commercial <input type="checkbox"/> Pet store <input type="checkbox"/> Other: _____	
				Exposure Start Date (mm/dd/yyyy)	Exposure End Date (mm/dd/yyyy)
				Where were the birds acquired from?	Date Birds Acquired (mm/dd/yyyy)
				Any birds ill? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Unknown	Any birds die? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Unknown
				Any birds tested? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Unknown	Results
Human psittacosis case				Specify	
Other contact				Specify	

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CONTACTS / OTHER ILL PERSONS

Any contacts with similar illness?

 Yes No Unknown

If Yes, specify details below.

ILL CONTACTS - DETAILS

Name 1	Age	Gender	Telephone Number	Type of Contact / Relationship	
	Street Address			Date of Contact (mm/dd/yyyy)	Illness Onset Date (mm/dd/yyyy)
	City	State	Zip Code	Date First Reported to Public Health (mm/dd/yyyy)	
Name 2	Age	Gender	Telephone Number	Type of Contact / Relationship	
	Street Address			Date of Contact (mm/dd/yyyy)	Illness Onset Date (mm/dd/yyyy)
	City	State	Zip Code	Date First Reported to Public Health (mm/dd/yyyy)	

NOTES / REMARKS**REPORTING AGENCY**

Investigator Name	Local Health Jurisdiction	Telephone Number	Date (mm/dd/yyyy)
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First Reported By

 Clinician Laboratory Other (specify): _____**EPIDEMIOLOGICAL LINKAGE**

Epi-linked to known case?

 Yes No Unknown

Contact Name / Case Number

DISEASE CASE CLASSIFICATION

Case Classification (see case definition page 5)

 Confirmed Probable**STATE USE ONLY**

Case Classification

 Confirmed Probable Not a case Need additional information

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CASE DEFINITION**PSITTACOSIS (2010)****CLINICAL DESCRIPTION**

An illness characterized by fever, chills, headache, myalgia, and a dry cough with pneumonia often evident on chest x-ray. Severe pneumonia requiring intensive-care support, endocarditis, hepatitis, and neurologic complications occasionally occur.

LABORATORY CRITERIA FOR DIAGNOSIS

- Isolation of *Chlamydophila psittaci* from respiratory specimens (e.g., sputum, pleural fluid, or tissue), or blood, **OR**
- Fourfold or greater increase in antibody (Immunoglobulin G [IgG]) against *C. psittaci* by complement fixation (CF) or microimmunofluorescence (MIF) between paired acute- and convalescent-phase serum specimens obtained at least 2-4 weeks apart, **OR**
- Supportive serology (e.g., *C. psittaci* antibody titer [Immunoglobulin M (IgM)] of greater than or equal to 32 in at least one serum specimen obtained after onset of symptoms), **OR**
- Detection of *C. psittaci* DNA in a respiratory specimen (e.g., sputum, pleural fluid or tissue) via amplification of a specific target by polymerase chain reaction (PCR) assay.

CASE CLASSIFICATION

Probable: An illness characterized by fever, chills, headache, cough and myalgia that has either:

- Supportive serology (e.g., *C. psittaci* antibody titer [Immunoglobulin M, IgM] of greater than or equal to 32 in at least one serum specimen obtained after onset of symptoms), **OR**
- Detection of *C. psittaci* DNA in a respiratory specimen (e.g., sputum, pleural fluid or tissue) via amplification of a specific target by polymerase chain reaction (PCR) assay.

Confirmed: An illness characterized by fever, chills, headache, cough and myalgia, and laboratory confirmed by either:

- Isolation of *Chlamydophila psittaci* from respiratory specimens (e.g., sputum, pleural fluid, or tissue), or blood, **OR**
- Fourfold or greater increase in antibody (Immunoglobulin G [IgG]) against *C. psittaci* by complement fixation (CF) or microimmunofluorescence (MIF) between paired acute- and convalescent-phase serum specimens obtained at least 2-4 weeks apart.

COMMENT

Although MIF has shown greater specificity to *C. psittaci* than CF, positive serologic findings by both techniques may occur as a result of infection with other *Chlamydia* species and should be interpreted with caution. To increase the reliability of test results, acute- and convalescent-phase serum specimens should be analyzed at the same time in the same laboratory. A realtime polymerase chain reaction (rtPCR) has been developed and validated in avian specimens but has not yet been validated for use in humans (1).

REFERENCES

1. Mitchell, S.L., Wolff, B.J., Thacker, W.L., Ciombor, P.G., Gregory, C.R., Everett, K.D., Ritchie, B.W., & Winchell, J.M. (2009). Genotyping of *Chlamydophila psittaci* by real-time PCR and high-resolution melt analysis. *J Clin Microbiol*, 47(1),175-181.

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RACE DESCRIPTIONS	
Race	Description
American Indian or Alaska Native	Patient has origins in any of the original peoples of North and South America (including Central America).
Asian	Patient has origins in any of the original peoples of the Far East, Southeast Asia, or the Indian subcontinent (e.g., including Bangladesh, Cambodia, China, India, Indonesia, Japan, Korea, Malaysia, Nepal, Pakistan, the Philippine Islands, Thailand, and Vietnam).
Black or African American	Patient has origins in any of the black racial groups of Africa.
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	Patient has origins in any of the original peoples of Hawaii, Guam, American Samoa, or other Pacific Islands.
White	Patient has origins in any of the original peoples of Europe, the Middle East, or North Africa.
ASIAN GROUPS	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Bangladeshi • Bhutanese • Burmese • Cambodian • Chinese • Filipino • Hmong • Indian • Indonesian • Iwo Jiman • Japanese • Korean • Laotian • Madagascar • Malaysian • Maldivian • Nepalese • Okinawan • Pakistani • Singaporean • Sri Lankan • Taiwanese • Thai • Vietnamese 	
NATIVE HAWAIIAN AND OTHER PACIFIC ISLANDER GROUPS	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Carolinian • Chamorro • Chuukese • Fijian • Guamanian • Kiribati • Kosraean • Mariana Islander • Marshallese • Melanesian • Micronesian • Native Hawaiian • New Hebrides • Palauan • Papua New Guinean • Pohnpeian • Polynesian • Saipanese • Samoan • Solomon Islander • Tahitian • Tokelauan • Tongan • Yapese 	

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OCCUPATION SETTING

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| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Childcare/Preschool • Correctional Facility • Drug Treatment Center • Food Service • Health Care - Acute Care Facility • Health Care - Long Term Care Facility • Health Care - Other | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Homeless Shelter • Laboratory • Military Facility • Other Residential Facility • Place of Worship • School • Other |
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OCCUPATION

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| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Agriculture - farmworker or laborer (crop, nursery, or greenhouse) • Agriculture - field worker • Agriculture - migratory/seasonal worker • Agriculture - other/unknown • Animal - animal control worker • Animal - farm worker or laborer (farm or ranch animals) • Animal - veterinarian or other animal health practitioner • Animal - other/unknown • Clerical, office, or sales worker • Correctional facility - employee • Correctional facility - inmate • Craftsman, foreman, or operative • Daycare or child care attendee • Daycare or child care worker • Dentist or other dental health worker • Drug dealer • Fire fighting or prevention worker • Flight attendant • Food service - cook or food preparation worker • Food service - host or hostess • Food service - waiter or waitress • Food service - other/unknown • Homemaker • Laboratory technologist or technician • Laborer - private household or unskilled worker • Manager, official, or proprietor • Manicurist or pedicurist • Medical - emergency medical technician or paramedic • Medical - health care worker | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Medical - medical assistant • Medical - pharmacist • Medical - physician assistant or nurse practitioner • Medical - physician or surgeon • Medical - registered nurse • Medical - other/unknown • Military - officer • Military - recruit or trainee • Protective service - police officer • Protective service - other • Professional, technical, or related profession • Retired • Sex worker • Student - preschool or kindergarten • Student - elementary or middle school • Student - high (secondary) school • Student - college or university • Student - other/unknown • Teacher/employee - preschool or kindergarten • Teacher/employee - elementary or middle school • Teacher/employee - high (secondary) school • Teacher/instructor/employee - college or university • Teacher/instructor/employee - other/unknown • Unemployed - seeking employment • Unemployed - not seeking employment • Unemployed - other/unknown • Other • Refused • Unknown |
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