



**Table H. Annual Incidence Rates of Selected Notifiable Diseases by Year of Onset  
Los Angeles County, 1999-2004**

Disease	Annual Incidence Rate (Cases per 100,000) <sup>b</sup>					
	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004
Amebiasis	1.51	1.22	1.52	1.10	1.29	1.20
Botulism	0.03	-	0.02	0.02	-	0.03
Brucellosis	0.03	0.04	0.10	0.12	0.07	0.04
Campylobacteriosis	12.30	14.19	12.50	11.50	11.70	9.27
Cholera	-	-	-	-	0.01	-
Coccidioidomycosis	0.54	0.65	0.75	0.82	0.78	1.39
Cryptosporidiosis	0.80	0.76	0.84	0.67	0.75	0.59
Cysticercosis	0.32	0.48	0.41	0.19	0.13	0.08
Dengue	0.03	0.03	0.05	0.08	-	0.05
<i>E. coli</i> O157:H7	0.14	0.30	0.34	0.33	0.29	0.19
Encephalitis	0.44	0.55	0.45	0.66	0.40	1.39
Giardiasis	6.69	5.68	4.89	4.75	4.26	3.36
<i>Haemophilus influenzae</i> type b	-	0.01	0.05	0.04	-	0.02
Hansen's Disease (Leprosy)	0.11	0.10	0.02	0.12	0.10	0.09
Hepatitis A <sup>c</sup>	12.65	9.36	5.94	4.72	3.98	3.37
Hepatitis B	0.75	0.72	0.48	0.34	0.78	0.76
Hepatitis C	0.24	0.11	0.01	0.03	-	0.05
Hepatitis unspecified	0.10	0.12	0.01	0.00	0.01	-
Kawasaki syndrome	0.33	0.39	0.26	0.10	0.15	0.43
Legionellosis	0.18	0.16	0.20	0.27	0.22	0.16
Listeriosis, nonperinatal	0.24	0.21	0.30	0.15	0.18	0.22
Listeriosis, perinatal <sup>a</sup>	8.26	5.46	2.05	4.96	2.12	4.25
Lyme disease	0.09	0.08	0.05	0.09	0.06	-
Malaria	0.70	0.48	0.50	0.41	0.64	0.53
Measles	0.01	0.06	0.09	-	-	0.01
Meningitis, viral	2.55	2.93	4.14	5.02	9.56	8.46
Meningococcal infections	0.55	0.59	0.64	0.50	0.34	0.29
Mumps	0.26	0.32	0.19	0.17	0.11	0.05
Pertussis	2.69	1.14	1.13	1.85	1.38	1.64
Psittacosis	0.01	-	0.01	-	-	-
Q-fever	-	0.01	0.01	0.04	-	0.04
Relapsing fever	0.01	-	-	0.01	-	-
Rheumatic fever, acute	0.01	0.01	0.07	-	-	0.01
Rubella	-	0.03	-	-	-	-
Salmonellosis	12.44	11.04	11.02	10.30	10.58	12.64
Shigellosis	7.56	9.47	7.50	10.50	7.11	6.55
Strongyloidiasis	0.06	0.01	-	-	-	-
Tetanus	0.02	-	0.02	0.02	0.01	0.02
Trichinosis	-	-	-	-	-	-
Tularemia	-	-	-	-	0.01	-
Typhoid fever, case	0.23	0.23	0.19	0.36	0.17	0.14
Typhoid fever, carrier	0.05	0.07	0.01	0.06	0.02	0.03
Typhus fever	0.07	0.19	0.09	0.12	0.13	0.08
Vibrio	0.03	0.14	0.16	0.15	0.14	0.27

<sup>a</sup>Rates for perinatal listeriosis were calculated as cases per 100,000 live births.

<sup>b</sup>Rates of disease based on less than 20 cases or events are considered "unreliable." A zero rate made from no events is especially hazardous and are not reported here, except with a dash ("-"). Conclusions drawn from unreliable rates should be made with caution, if they are to be made at all.

<sup>c</sup>The incidence rate of Hepatitis A may be artificially low due to a reporting error.