



**Table G. Reported Cases of Selected Notifiable Diseases by Year of Onset  
Los Angeles County, 1997–2002**

Disease	Year of Onset						Previous 5-year Average	5-Yr 95% upper Limit <sup>a</sup>
	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002		
Amebiasis	149	157	134	109	139	102	158	197
Botulism	3	1	3	0	2	2	2	4
Brucellosis	6	2	3	4	9	11	7	13
Campylobacteriosis	1535	1217	1089	1273	1141	1067	1464	1773
Cholera	0	3	0	0	0	0	1	3
Coccidioidomycosis	50	53	48	58	68	76	71	90
Cryptosporidiosis	85	93	71	68	77	62	91	112
Cysticercosis	34	24	28	43	37	18	37	53
Dengue	2	5	3	3	5	7	5	8
<i>E. coli</i> O157:H7	20	22	12	27	31	31	29	42
Encephalitis	42	48	39	49	41	61	56	70
Foodborne outbreaks	40	34	39	40	48	29	31	35
Giardiasis	786	672	592	509	446	441	689	933
<i>Haemophilus influenzae</i> type b	10	7	0	1	6	3	5	12
Hansen's Disease (Leprosy)	18	13	10	9	2	11	12	22
Hepatitis A	1582	940	1120	839	542	438	1092	1834
Hepatitis B	109	92	66	65	44	93	94	137
Hepatitis C	23	12	21	10	1	24	18	34
Hepatitis unspecified	17	13	9	11	1	0	10	22
Kawasaki syndrome	26	33	29	35	24	9	31	48
Legionellosis	32	20	16	14	18	25	25	37
Listeriosis, nonperinatal	18	24	21	19	27	14	25	33
Listeriosis, perinatal	8	7	12	8	3	7	9	14
Lyme disease	4	2	8	7	5	8	6	10
Malaria	55	50	62	43	46	38	59	74
Measles	4	3	1	5	8	0	4	9
Meningitis, viral	228	443	226	263	378	466	401	597
Meningococcal infections	74	50	49	53	58	46	66	84
Mumps	39	21	24	29	17	16	29	45
Pertussis	32	77	238	102	103	170	144	274
Psittacosis	1	0	1	0	1	0	1	2
Q-fever	0	1	0	1	1	4	1	4
Relapsing fever	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	1
Rheumatic fever, acute	1	0	1	1	6	0	2	6
Rubella	5	0	0	3	0	0	2	5
Salmonellosis	1696	1253	1101	990	1006	956	1401	1902
Shigellosis	857	784	669	849	684	974	963	1170
Strongyloidiasis	1	5	5	1	0	0	2	7
Tetanus	4	2	2	0	2	2	2	5
Trichinosis	2	3	0	0	0	0	1	3
Tularemia	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
Typhoid fever, case	27	17	20	21	17	33	27	38
Typhoid fever, carrier	1	12	4	6	1	6	6	13
Typhus fever	14	7	6	17	8	11	13	20
Vibrio	29	30	3	13	15	14	20	39

<sup>a</sup> The normal distribution assumption may not apply to some rare diseases.

<sup>b</sup> 2002 data over 95% upper limit.