



BC Centre for Disease Control
An agency of the Provincial Health Services Authority

Objectives for Reporting

1. Describe trends of *Chlamydia trachomatis* and *Neisseria gonorrhoeae* infections in BC
2. Ensure appropriate treatment of *Chlamydia trachomatis* and *Neisseria gonorrhoeae*
3. Identify cases requiring public health support for partner notification

Data Elements to Report (i.e. Minimum Data Set)

The data elements to report (i.e. minimum data set) for *Chlamydia trachomatis* and *Neisseria gonorrhoeae* infections diagnosed in BC include the [Data Elements Collected for all Reportable Communicable Diseases](#) (with the exception of: “Report Date (received)”, “Onset date or closest proxy”, “Set as onset flag”, “First Nations Status”, and “First Nations On-Reserve Indicator”), plus the following data elements:

- Gender identity
- Self-reported Ethnicity
- Reason for testing
- Pregnancy status
- Gender(s) of Partners
- Whether taking HIV pre-exposure prophylaxis (PrEP)
- Site of Collection
- Treatment
- Support Required for Partner Notification
- Testing Provider Name and/or Clinic
- Testing Provider Address, City, and Postal Code

Timelines for Reporting

The benchmarks for reporting delays (i.e. days between receipt of the report by the health authority and entry into the provincial system) are:

- **7 days** for the initial case report
- **30 days** for the remaining items of the minimum dataset

Form for Reporting

To report a new *Chlamydia trachomatis* and *Neisseria gonorrhoeae* infections, please see the “HLTH208 – Confidential Notification of Sexually Transmitted Infection Case Report Form”. It can be found online in the Sexually Transmitted and Blood Borne Infections tab in the [Surveillance Forms](#) page of the BC Centre for Disease Control website.

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