

**Topic:** Declaring a Disease Reportable

**CODE OF MASSACHUSETTS REGULATIONS TITLE 105: DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH CHAPTER 300.000: REPORTABLE DISEASES AND ISOLATION AND QUARANTINE REQUIREMENTS [105 CMR 300.000]**

**300.150: Declaring a Disease or Condition Immediately Reportable, Under Surveillance and/or Subject to Isolation and Quarantine: Temporary Reporting, Surveillance and/or Isolation and Quarantine**

In addition to the diseases and conditions listed in 105 CMR 300.000 et seq., the Commissioner, as necessary to reduce morbidity and mortality in the Commonwealth, shall require the reporting, authorize the surveillance and/or establish isolation and quarantine requirements, on a time limited basis, of confirmed and suspect cases of diseases or conditions which are newly recognized or recently identified or suspected as a public health concern. Such declarations shall be authorized for a period of time not to exceed 12 months. Such requirements for a particular disease or condition beyond this time period shall be continued pursuant to 105 CMR 300.000 et seq.