

North Carolina Department of Health and Human Services
Division of Public Health • Epidemiology Section
Communicable Disease Branch



ATTENTION HEALTH CARE PROVIDERS:

Please report relevant clinical findings about this disease event to the local health department.

VIBRIO INFECTION, VULNIFICUS
Confidential Communicable Disease Report—Part 2

ATTENTION Local Health Department Staff: There is no Part 2 Wizard for this disease.
Enter all information from this form into the NC EDSS question packages.

If sending this form to the Health Care Provider, remember to attach a cover letter from your agency indicating the part(s) of the form the provider should complete.

Patient's Last Name First Middle Suffix Maiden/Other Alias Birthdate (mm/dd/yyyy) SSN



Verify if lab results for this event are in NC EDSS. If not present, enter results.

Table with 8 columns: Specimen Date, Specimen #, Specimen Source, Type of Test, Test Result(s), Description (comments), Result Date, Lab Name—City/State

CLINICAL FINDINGS

Is/was patient symptomatic for this disease?
If yes, symptom onset date (mm/dd/yyyy):
Fever: Yes, subjective; Yes, measured; Highest measured temperature; Unit; Shock; Headache; Muscle aches / pains (myalgias); Skin rash; Skin lesions; Cellulitis; Nausea; Vomiting; Abdominal pain or cramps; Diarrhea; Other symptoms, signs, clinical findings, or complications consistent with this illness.

PREDISPOSING CONDITIONS

HIV/AIDS; Immunosuppressive conditions; Diabetes; Is the patient on insulin?; Hematologic disorder; Sickle cell; Other hematologic disorder(s); Malignancy; Cardiovascular/heart disease; Gastrointestinal disease; Liver disease; Kidney disease; Injury/Wound/Break in skin; Other condition potentially affecting skin integrity; Receiving treatment or taking any medications.

CLINICAL OUTCOMES

Discharge/Final diagnosis; Survived?; Died?; Died from this illness?; Date of death (mm/dd/yyyy); Autopsy performed?; Patient autopsied in NC?; County of autopsy; Autopsied outside NC, specify where; Source of death information (select all that apply).

HOSPITALIZATION INFORMATION

Was patient hospitalized for this illness >24 hours?; Hospital name; City, State; Hospital contact name; Telephone; Admit date (mm/dd/yyyy); Discharge date (mm/dd/yyyy).

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					<b>SSN</b> / /

**TREATMENT**

Did the patient take an antibiotic as treatment for this illness? .....  Y  N  U  
Specify antibiotic name \_\_\_\_\_

**TRAVEL/IMMIGRATION**

The patient is:  
 Resident of NC  
 Resident of another state or US territory  
 Foreign Visitor  
 Refugee  
 Recent Immigrant  
 Foreign Adoptee  
 None of the above

Did patient travel during the 3 days prior to onset of symptoms? .....  Y  N  U  
List travel dates and destinations:  
From \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_ to \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

Does patient know anyone else with similar symptom(s) who had the same or similar travel history? .....  Y  N  U  
List persons and contact information:  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

Additional travel/residency information:

**WATER EXPOSURE**

During the 3 days prior to onset of symptoms, did the patient have recreational, occupational, or other exposure to estuarine or marine water (brackish or salt water sound, estuary, ocean) ? .....  Y  N  U  
On (mm/dd/yyyy) \_\_\_\_\_  
Until (mm/dd/yyyy) \_\_\_\_\_

Frequency  
 Once  
 Multiple times within this time period  
 Daily

Route of exposure (agent entry) for recreational exposure (check all that apply):  
 Accidental ingestion  
 Intentional ingestion  
 Skin contact  
 Inhalation  
 Other  
 Unknown

Water source(s) / setting(s) (select all sources and settings that apply):  
 River, stream (brackish only)  
 Estuary / tidal area (brackish / salty water)  
 Ocean  
 Pool (salt water or brackish only)  
 Whirlpool / spa pool (salt water or brackish only)  
 Other  
 Unknown

**FOOD EXPOSURE**

During the 3 days prior to onset of symptoms, did the patient do any of the following:  
**Did the patient drink any bottled water?** .....  Y  N  U  
Specify type/brand \_\_\_\_\_

**Describe the source of drinking water used in the patient's home** (check all that apply):  
 Bottled water supplied by a company  
 Bottled water purchased from a grocery store  
 Municipal supply (city water)  
 Well water

**Does the patient have a water softener or water filter installed inside the house to treat their water?** .....  Y  N  U

**During the 3 days prior to onset of symptoms, did the patient do any of the following:**  
**Handle / eat shellfish** (i.e. clams, crab, lobster, mussels, oysters, shrimp, crawfish, other shellfish)? .....  Y  N  U  
**Handle / eat clams?** .....  Y  N  U

Obtained from \_\_\_\_\_  
Name \_\_\_\_\_  
Location \_\_\_\_\_  
Phone # of establishment \_\_\_\_\_  
Brand name (if applicable) \_\_\_\_\_  
Preparation method(s) \_\_\_\_\_  
 Unknown  
Was this food undercooked or raw? ..  Y  N  U  
Handled/consumed on (mm/dd/yyyy) \_\_\_\_\_  
Until (mm/dd/yyyy) \_\_\_\_\_  
Frequency:  
 Once  
 Multiple times within this time period  
 Daily  
Time consumed \_\_\_\_\_  AM  PM  
Amount consumed \_\_\_\_\_

Was this seafood the most likely source of illness? .....  Y  N  U  
Was seafood imported from another country? .....  Y  N  U  
Exporting country \_\_\_\_\_  
Were clams eaten? .....  Y  N  U  
How were they distributed to retail outlet?  
 Shell stock (sold in shell)  
 Shucked  
 Unknown  
 Other  
Date restaurant/outlet received seafood \_\_\_\_\_

Was restaurant/retail outlet inspected as part of investigation? .....  Y  N  U  
Are shipping tags available? .....  Y  N  U  
Shippers who handled suspect seafood (include certification numbers if on tags) \_\_\_\_\_

Source of seafood \_\_\_\_\_  
Harvest date (mm/dd/yyyy) \_\_\_\_\_  
Harvest site status:  
 Approved  Conditional  
 Prohibited  Other  
Maximum ambient temperature \_\_\_\_\_  °F  °C  
Date measured (mm/dd/yyyy) \_\_\_\_\_  
Surface water temperature \_\_\_\_\_  °F  °C  
Date measured (mm/dd/yyyy) \_\_\_\_\_  
Salinity (ppt) \_\_\_\_\_  
Date measured (mm/dd/yyyy) \_\_\_\_\_  
Total rainfall (inches in previous 5 days) \_\_\_\_\_  
Date measured (mm/dd/yyyy) \_\_\_\_\_

Fecal coliform count \_\_\_\_\_  
Date measured (mm/dd/yyyy) \_\_\_\_\_  
Was there evidence of cross-contamination, or improper storage or holding temperatures at any point? .....  Y  N  U  
Specify deficiencies \_\_\_\_\_

**Handle / eat finfish** (i.e. Tuna, Mackerel, Skip Jack, Amber Jack, Bonito, mahi-mahi / dorado, Blue fish, Salmon, Puffer fish, Porcupine fish, Ocean sunfish, sushi)? .....  Y  N  U  
Type of fish \_\_\_\_\_  
Obtained from \_\_\_\_\_  
Name \_\_\_\_\_  
Location \_\_\_\_\_  
Phone # of establishment \_\_\_\_\_  
Brand name (if applicable) \_\_\_\_\_  
Preparation method(s) \_\_\_\_\_  
 Unknown  
Was this food undercooked or raw? ..  Y  N  U  
Handled/consumed on (mm/dd/yyyy) \_\_\_\_\_  
Until (mm/dd/yyyy) \_\_\_\_\_  
Frequency:  
 Once  
 Multiple times within this time period  
 Daily  
Time consumed \_\_\_\_\_  AM  PM  
Amount consumed \_\_\_\_\_

Was this seafood the most likely source of illness? .....  Y  N  U

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**OTHER EXPOSURE INFORMATION**

Did the patient have a vibrio wound infection? .....  Y  N  U

Was the patient's skin exposed to water or aquatic organisms? .....  Y  N  U

Location \_\_\_\_\_

If skin exposed, did patient sustain a wound during this exposure, or have a pre-existing wound?

Yes, sustained wound

Yes, had pre-existing wound

Yes, uncertain is wound new or old

No

Unknown

How did this occur? \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

Body site \_\_\_\_\_

**CASE INTERVIEWS/INVESTIGATIONS**

Was the patient interviewed? .....  Y  N  U

Date of interview (mm/dd/yyyy): \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_

Were interviews conducted with others? .....  Y  N  U

Who was interviewed? \_\_\_\_\_

Were health care providers consulted? .....  Y  N  U

Who was consulted? \_\_\_\_\_

Medical records reviewed (including telephone review with provider/office staff)? .....  Y  N  U

Specify reason if medical records were not reviewed: \_\_\_\_\_

Notes on medical record verification:

**GEOGRAPHICAL SITE OF EXPOSURE**

In what geographic location was the patient MOST LIKELY exposed?

Specify location:

In NC

City \_\_\_\_\_

County \_\_\_\_\_

Outside NC, but within US

City \_\_\_\_\_

State \_\_\_\_\_

County \_\_\_\_\_

Outside US

City \_\_\_\_\_

Country \_\_\_\_\_

Unknown

Is the patient part of an outbreak of this disease? .....  Y  N

Notes: