

Reportable Condition Reporting Guidance



Infectious Disease
Epidemiology &
Prevention Division

Condition Name:

Varicella (chickenpox)

Condition Name in NBS:

Varicella (chickenpox)

Reporting Timeframe:

Within One Working Day

TO REPORT:

- NBS users: Report conditions via Morbidity Report in **NBS**
- Non-NBS users: Report with **this** form

Associated Reportable Laboratory Results

- Varicella-zoster virus identified by culture or PCR.
- Serology (IgG, IgM) when conducted for diagnosis of varicella

Condition Specific Reporting Details

- Report all clinically diagnosed cases, including cases without lab confirmation.
- Clinical, Epidemiologic, Lab Report, and Treatment information sections within the NBS Morbidity Report.

Additional Documentation to Include

- Relevant clinical documentation, if available.

For more information on Varicella (chickenpox) please visit:

<https://www.in.gov/health/idepd/diseases-and-conditions-resource-page/chickenpox-varicella/>

For more information on reportable conditions:

<https://www.in.gov/health/idepd/communicable-disease-reporting/>



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