New and revised surveillance case definitions approved by the Communicable Diseases Network Australia since 1 January 2021

This report provides the revised and new surveillance case definitions approved by the Communicable Diseases Network Australia (CDNA) since 1 January 2021.

****Table 1 summarises the surveillance case definitions finalised during the period.****

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| Revision/ New | Disease | Implementation date |
| Revised | Japanese encephalitis virus infectiona | 1 January 2021 (backdated to capture outbreak cases) Revised case definition published 23 January 2023 |
| Revised | Congenital syphilisb | 1 January 2021 |
| New | Invasive group A streptococcal (iGAS) diseasec | 1 July 2021 |
| New | Respiratory syncytial virusd | 1 July 2021 |
| Revised | Influenza (laboratory confirmed)e | 1 January 2022 |
| Revised | Mumpsf | 1 January 2022 |
| Revised | Leptospirosisg | 1 January 2022 |
| Revised | Tuberculosish | 1 July 2022 |
| New | Monkeypox virus infection (MPX)i | 1 August 2022 |
| Revised | Gonorrhoeaj | 1 January 2023 |
| Revised | Chlamydiak | 1 January 2023 |
| Revised | Hepatitis C (newly acquired; > 24 months of age)l | 1 January 2023 |
| Revised | Hepatitis C (unspecified)m | 1 January 2023 |
| New | Hepatitis C (< 24 months of age)n | 1 January 2023 |
| Revised | Human immunodeficiency virus (HIV; < 18 months of age)o | 1 January 2023 |
| Revised | Human immunodeficiency virus (HIV; > 18 months of age)p | 1 January 2023 |

a https://www.health.gov.au/resources/publications/japanese-encephalitis-virus-infection-surveillance-case-definition.

b https://www.health.gov.au/resources/publications/syphilis-congenital-surveillance-case-definition.

c https://www.health.gov.au/resources/publications/invasive-group-a-streptococcal-disease-igas-surveillance-case-definition.

d https://www.health.gov.au/resources/publications/respiratory-syncytial-virus-surveillance-case-definition.

e https://www.health.gov.au/resources/publications/influenza-laboratory-confirmed-surveillance-case-definition.

f https://www.health.gov.au/resources/publications/mumps-surveillance-case-definition.

g https://www.health.gov.au/resources/publications/leptospirosis-surveillance-case-definition.

h https://www.health.gov.au/resources/publications/tuberculosis-surveillance-case-definition.

I https://www.health.gov.au/resources/publications/monkeypox-virus-infection-surveillance-case-definition.

j https://www.health.gov.au/resources/publications/gonococcal-infection-surveillance-case-definition.

k https://www.health.gov.au/resources/publications/chlamydial-infection-surveillance-case-definition.

l https://www.health.gov.au/resources/publications/hepatitis-c-newly-acquired-surveillance-case-definition.

m https://www.health.gov.au/resources/publications/hepatitis-c-unspecified-surveillance-case-definition.

n https://www.health.gov.au/resources/publications/hepatitis-c-individual-aged-less-than-24-months-surveillance-case-definition.

o https://www.health.gov.au/resources/publications/human-immunodeficiency-virus-hiv-child-aged-less-than-18-months-surveillance-case-definition.

p https://www.health.gov.au/resources/publications/human-immunodeficiency-virus-hiv-individual-aged-18-months-or-older-surveillance-case-definition.

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