

# Lyme Disease Reporting Form

Lyme disease is reportable to Public Health as per O. Reg 135/18 under HPPA. Please complete and return this form by fax to Niagara Region Public Health (NRPH) at **905-682-6470**. Data collected helps NRPH and the province to monitor disease, to identify risk factors, and to provide preventative education.

## Health Care Provider Information

Physician: \_\_\_\_\_ City: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

## Patient Information (Fill out section if details are not included on patient label)

First Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Last Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Gender: Male Female Other

Address: \_\_\_\_\_ City: \_\_\_\_\_ Postal Code: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ DOB (yyyy/mm/dd): \_\_\_\_\_

## Signs and Symptoms

Date of Symptom Onset: \_\_\_\_\_

Erythema migrans\*\* size in cm: \_\_\_\_\_

Rash other than erythema migrans

Muscle/joint pain

Heart block

Central nervous system symptoms

Peripheral nervous system symptoms

Fatigue

Chills

Fever

Headache

Swollen lymph nodes

General weakness

Other \_\_\_\_\_

\*\* Patients with a single erythema migrans skin lesion can be seronegative at the time of initial presentation. A lesion **greater than five centimetres in diameter** consistent in appearance to erythema migrans in individuals exposed to blacklegged ticks in risk areas such as Niagara is considered **confirmation of early localized Lyme disease and should be treated** without laboratory confirmation.

Underlying Medical Conditions: \_\_\_\_\_

## Testing

Serology ordered? Yes No

Date test ordered (yyyy/mm/dd): \_\_\_\_\_

Repeat serology ordered? Yes No

Date test ordered (yyyy/mm/dd): \_\_\_\_\_

## Diagnosis

Are you diagnosing Lyme disease? Yes No

If yes, has the patient been notified of the diagnosis? Yes No

Did you prescribe treatment? Yes No

Date prescribed: \_\_\_\_\_

Name of drug: \_\_\_\_\_ Dose: \_\_\_\_\_ mg

Duration: \_\_\_\_\_ days

If you have any questions, please contact us at 905-688-8248 or 1-888-505-6074 ext. 7330. For additional information please visit: [niagararegion.ca/health/professionals/report-diseases/lyme-disease.aspx](http://niagararegion.ca/health/professionals/report-diseases/lyme-disease.aspx)