



Welcome to the July edition of the MCI Infectious Disease Newsletter.

This month's key articles include the conclusion of a lawsuit stemming from an E.coli outbreak at a San Diego County fair, a summary on how Monkeypox is presenting with different symptoms this outbreak and the announcement of a potential Marburg Virus outbreak.

Also highlighted is a study that investigates and definitively ties a county wide outbreak of SARS-CoV-2 to an overnight summer camp in Texas via genome sequencing and contact tracing.

This newsletter goes hand in hand with our new Infectious Disease 3rd Party Liability product that aims to offset the increasing risks posed by outbreaks in the modern, globalised world.

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Litigation

[State pays out more than \\$4 million to settle lawsuit stemming from E.coli outbreak](#)

The San Diego Union Tribune - 5 June 2022

Several children were sickened, one died in 2019 after visiting San Diego County Fair

[Settlement in Lompoc Prison COVID-19 Class Action | crime and courts](#)

community99.com - 8 July 2022

[State's opposition to action seeking public inquiry over Covid-19 deaths in nursing homes contrasts with Ministers' statements, High Court t](#)

The Irish Times - 5 July 2022

Relatives want court to direct full inquiry into circumstances of deaths and State's response

[Ninth Circuit Says Nursing Homes Cannot Remove Lawsuits to Federal Court Citing Emergency COVID-19 Measures - Segal McCambridge Singer & Mah](#)

Segal McCambridge Singer & Mahoney - 13 June 2022

Can a nursing home shield itself from negligence lawsuits and remove a case to federal court because it followed the federal government's emergency

[Avoiding Endless Liability From 'Take Home' COVID Claims](#)

The National Law Review - 24 June 2022

Friday, June 24, 2022

Outbreaks

[Marburg Virus Detected in Ghana for First Time](#)

The Scientist - 8 July 2022

Preliminary testing indicates that the two people died from the Ebola-like virus, the World Health Organization says.

[Diphtheria cases have been reported in Australia for the first time this century. What is it and who is at risk?](#)

Australia News - The Guardian - 4 July 2022

Experts believe the two infections in children in northern NSW, which can cause nerve damage and life-threatening heart failure, developed ...

[Monkeypox symptoms in UK patients differ from previous outbreaks: Study](#)

Business Standard - 2 July 2022

Confirmed cases were defined as individuals with laboratory-confirmed infection using a RT-PCR test

[Grand Canyon campers are contracting norovirus, causing diarrhea and vomiting on rafting excursions](#)

MSN.com - 1 July 2022

Backcountry campers and river rafters at the Grand Canyon have reported outbreaks of gastrointestinal illness. At least 150 visitors to ...

transmission. Any situation where tiny particles of poop or vomit make it from an infected person into your mouth poses a risk of **infection.**

[Polio alert as several cases of virus that causes disease are detected in London](#)

Business Mayor - 24 June 2022

polio alert has been issued after several samples of poliovirus – the virus that causes the disease – were detected in London . It ...

the **virus** that causes the **disease** – were detected in London . It is the first time in almost 40 years that **transmission** of the **virus**

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[Three diagnosed with TB after person dies at Welsh university campus](#)

WalesOnline - 17 June 2022

antibiotics. What are the **symptoms** of TB? **Symptoms** of TB include: Dr Brendan Mason, consultant in communicable **disease** control for Public

[Nigeria: 158 Dead As Lassa Fever Outbreak Doubles](#)

AllAfrica - 29 June 2022

Abuja, Nigeria Nigeria Bureau — THE death toll in Nigeria's Lassa fever outbreak has doubled over the past year.

[North Texas splash pad temporarily shut down after reports of sick children](#)

cbsnews.com - 10 June 2022

The City of Fate has temporarily shut down the Robert Smith Family Park Splash Pad after two parents reported their children fell ill after visiting it on Sunday.

[Epidemic outbreak in residential care homes](#)

The Limited Times - 8 June 2022

Under the fifth wave of the epidemic, institutions became the hardest hit areas. More than 52,000 residents in Hong Kong were infected, and ...

daily life care, vital signs, hugging and transfer, and **infection** control. Temporary contract care workers must complete the course and

ID Research & Mitigation

[Study investigates an outbreak of SARS-CoV-2 among children and adults after attending an overnight summer camp](#)

News-Medical.net - 1 June 2022

Researchers investigated a SARS-CoV-2 outbreak among individuals who attended an overnight summer camp in Texas in June 2021.

[New universal flu vaccine offers broad protection against influenza A virus infections, researchers find](#)

Medical Xpress - 1 July 2022

a large scale at low cost and developed as a universal influenza A **virus** vaccine candidate for young and aged populations." The study found

[Scientists Discover Key to Hepatitis A Virus Replication, Show Drug Effectiveness](#)

Newswise - 30 June 2022

With no current treatments for hepatitis A, UNC School of Medicine scientists led by Stanley M. Lemon, MD, discovered how a protein and ...

replication cycle is crucial for a **virus** to **spread** inside the body and cause **disease**. Focusing on that cycle in the **hepatitis A virus** (HAV),

[The Science Behind When Bird Flu Can Infect Humans](#)

MSN.com - 29 June 2022

The world is currently in the midst of a major pandemic of avian influenza, or, in plainer language, bird flu. Between October of 2021 ...

major **outbreak**, in 2016 and 2017 — only two humans have caught the **virus**. But how do humans catch a bird **disease** at all? Human **Infection**

[Monsoon-related health threats may wreak havoc in lives of poor people](#)

The News - 27 June 2022

Islamabad : Expected heavy rainfalls during pre-monsoon and monsoon in this region of the country may pose serious health threats, ...

of fast **spread** of diseases like **typhoid**, cholera, acute jaundice due to **hepatitis A**, **hepatitis E**, amoebic dysentery, acute **respiratory** tract

[Origin of Black Death finally found in bacteria from Kyrgyzstan graves](#)

New Scientist - 15 June 2022

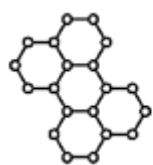
as Feodosia, catapulted **disease**-ridden corpses over the walls. Those fleeing the resulting **outbreak** of **plague** by boat took the **disease** to

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