City of Amarillo Public Health

The

Good Stuff: Selected CDC 2018 Newsroom Release Headlines

"Asthma Attacks Declining Among U.S. Children"

"Youth tobacco use drops during 2011-2017"

"Fewer U.S. High School Students Having Sex, Using Drugs"

"More US asolescents up to date on **HPV** vaccination"

"Flu vaccine reduces risk of flu hospitalization among pregnant women"

"Cigarette **Smoking** Among U.S. Adults Lowest Ever Recorded: 14% in 2017"

and end of the Year Graphs 2018 Wrap Up: Headlines, Outbreaks,

Notable Outbreaks*, Natural Disasters, and Recalls

*All data provided from CDC.gov. All U.S. based outbreaks listed have at least one case in Texas.

February 2018

March 2018

April 2018

May 2018

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July 2018

September 2018

* Earthquake

* Salmonella

and Tsunami

in Indonesia

Outbreak -

Shell Eggs

2018

* Salmonella Outbreak -

October

* Super Typhoon Yutu in Northern Mariana Islands

* Salmonella Outbreak -Raw Chicken November 2018

December 2018

- * Salmonella Outbreak -Kratom
- * Salmonella Outbreak -Dried Coconut
- * Shiga-Toxin E. Coli Outbreak -Romaine Lettuce Yuma Region
- * Ebola Outbreak
 - * Democratic Republic of the Congo (DRC) -May 8
 - Cereal * Salmonella Outbreak -Live Poultry in Backyard Flocks

* Salmonella

Kellogg's

Honey

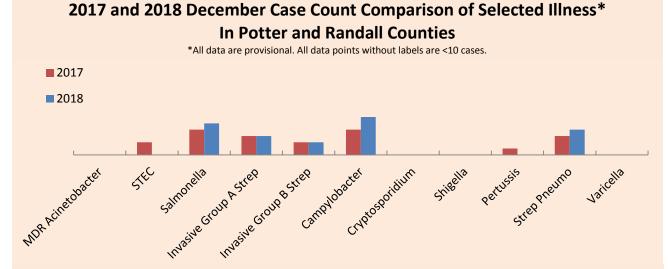
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Outbreak -

* Fresh Cut Melon Recalled for Salmonella

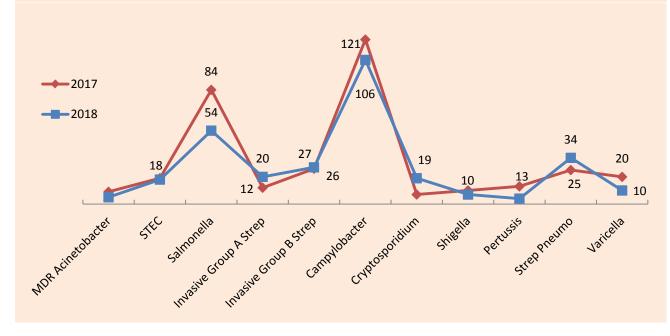
- * Multidrug-Resistant Salmonella Infections -Raw Turkey
- * End of DRC Ebola Outbreak July 24
- * New DRC Ebola Outbreak Began One Week Later

- * Listeria Outbreak -
- Ground Beef Pork Products
- * Romaine Lettuce Recalled for Shiga-Toxin E. coli



2017 and 2018 January – December Case Count Comparison of Selected Illness* In Potter and Randall Counties

*All data are provisional. All data points without labels are <10 cases.



Communicable Disease Reporting
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Additional 2018 U.S. Outbreak Stats Reported on CDC.gov

Salmonella

- Outbreaks: 18
- Notable Exposures: Coconut, Raw Sprouts, Cake Mix

E. coli (Shiga-Toxin Producing)

- Outbreaks: 3
- Notable Exposures: Romaine Lettuce and Ground Beef

Measles

- Outbreaks: 17
- Notable Outbreaks: New York State, New York City, New Jersey
- Primary Source of Cases Unvaccinated population

Campylobacter

- Outbreaks: 1
- Notable Exposure: Pet Store Puppies
- Campy outbreaks are not commonly reported.

