Reportable and Notifiable Conditions

Mandatory for <u>reportable</u>
<u>cases</u> to be reported to
state and territorial
jurisdictions

Enables states to identify cases where immediate disease control and prevention is needed

Each state has its own laws and regulations, varies among states and over time

Voluntary for notifiable cases to be reported to the CDC for nationwide aggregation and monitoring of data

The list of national notifiable diseases, conditions, and outbreaks is revised periodically

Conditions are added to the list as emerging pathogens, environmental hazards, or conditions emerge as public health concerns

Surveillance <u>case</u>
<u>definitions</u> enable public
health officials to classify
and count cases
consistently across
jurisdictions

Monitor trends, identify high risk populations, inform prevention and control strategies, and formulate public health policies

Updated yearly

Every national notifiable disease is not necessarily reportable in each state.

Not every state reportable condition is national notifiable.