

# New York State Acute Hepatitis Surveillance Summary

## Cases Reported January 1, 2006 through December 31, 2006<sup>1</sup>

### Acute Hepatitis B

Number of confirmed cases <sup>2</sup>	82
NYS rate per 100,000 population	0.75
U.S. rate per 100,000 population <sup>3</sup>	1.78

Age (years)	N	%
≤ 1	0	0.0
2-5	0	0.0
6-10	0	0.0
11-20	2	2.4
21-30	13	15.9
31-40	26	31.7
41-50	25	30.5
50+	16	19.5

Mean Age: 42.6 years

Gender	N	%
Male	63	76.8
Female	19	23.2

Race	N	%
White	56	68.3
Black	7	8.5
Alaskan Native/Amer Ind	1	1.2
Asian/Pac Islander	2	2.4
Other	2	2.4
Unknown	14	17.1

Ethnicity	N	%
Non-Hispanic	55	67.1
Hispanic	8	9.8
Unknown	19	23.2

### Reported Cases by County<sup>4</sup>

Albany	4	Delaware	1	Montgomery	1	Rensselaer	3	Warren	1
Broome	4	Dutchess	2	Nassau	8	Rockland	4	Westchester	5
Cayuga	1	Erie	4	Niagara	1	Saratoga	4		
Chemung	1	Fulton	1	Oneida	1	Schenectady	2		
Chenango	1	Jefferson	1	Onondaga	3	Steuben	2		
Clinton	1	Madison	1	Orange	3	Suffolk	14		
Columbia	1	Monroe	5	Putnam	1	Ulster	1		

### FOOTNOTES:

<sup>1</sup> Represents cases reported to the NYSDOH by local health departments during 2006, excluding New York City.

<sup>2</sup> Case Definition: 1) A discrete onset of symptoms and jaundice or elevated liver enzymes; and, 2) IgM anti-HBc or HBsAg positive test result. Confirmed case classification: Meets both the clinical and laboratory criteria.

<sup>3</sup> Source: Centers for Disease Control and Prevention National Notifiable Disease Surveillance System, 2005.

<sup>4</sup> Includes only counties that reported at least one case of acute hepatitis B in 2006.

Note: Percentages may not equal 100 due to rounding



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