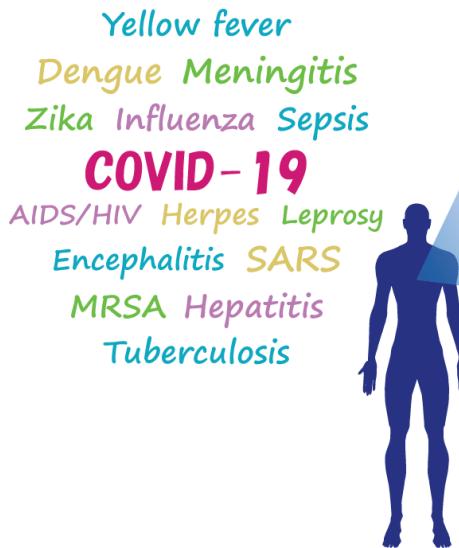


# Bacterial Diseases in Humans



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# Infectious diseases

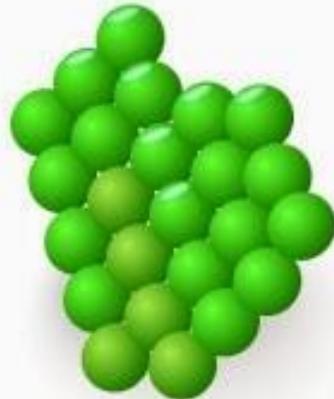
- 1. Bacteria
- 2. Viruses
- 3. Mycetes
- 4. Parasites

# BACTERIA SHAPES

## SPHERES (COCCI)



**Diplococci**  
(*Streptococcus pneumoniae*)



**Staphylococci**  
(*Staphylococcus aureus*)

**Tetrad**



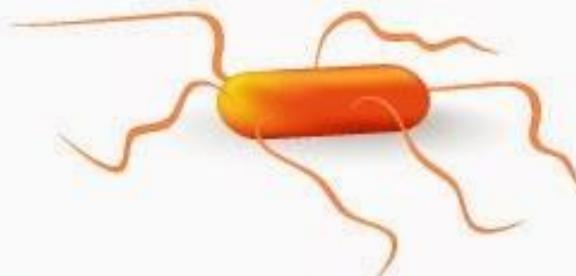
**Sarcina**  
(*Sarcina ventriculi*)

## RODS (BACILLI)



**Streptococci**  
(*Streptococcus pyogenes*)

**Chain of bacilli**  
(*Bacillus anthracis*)



**Flagellate rods**  
(*Salmonella typhi*)



**Spore-former**  
(*Clostridium botulinum*)

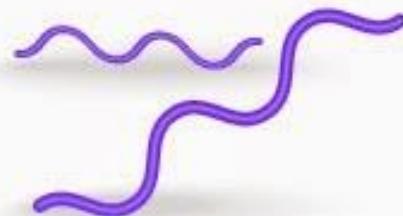
## SPIRALS



**Vibrios**  
(*Vibrio cholerae*)



**Spirilla**  
(*Helicobacter pylori*)



**Spirochaetes**  
(*Treponema pallidum*)

# Bacterial infections

- Toxemia = toxins in blood circulation
- Alimentary tract
  - Botulotoxin (*Clostridium botulinum*)

# *Clostridium botulinum*



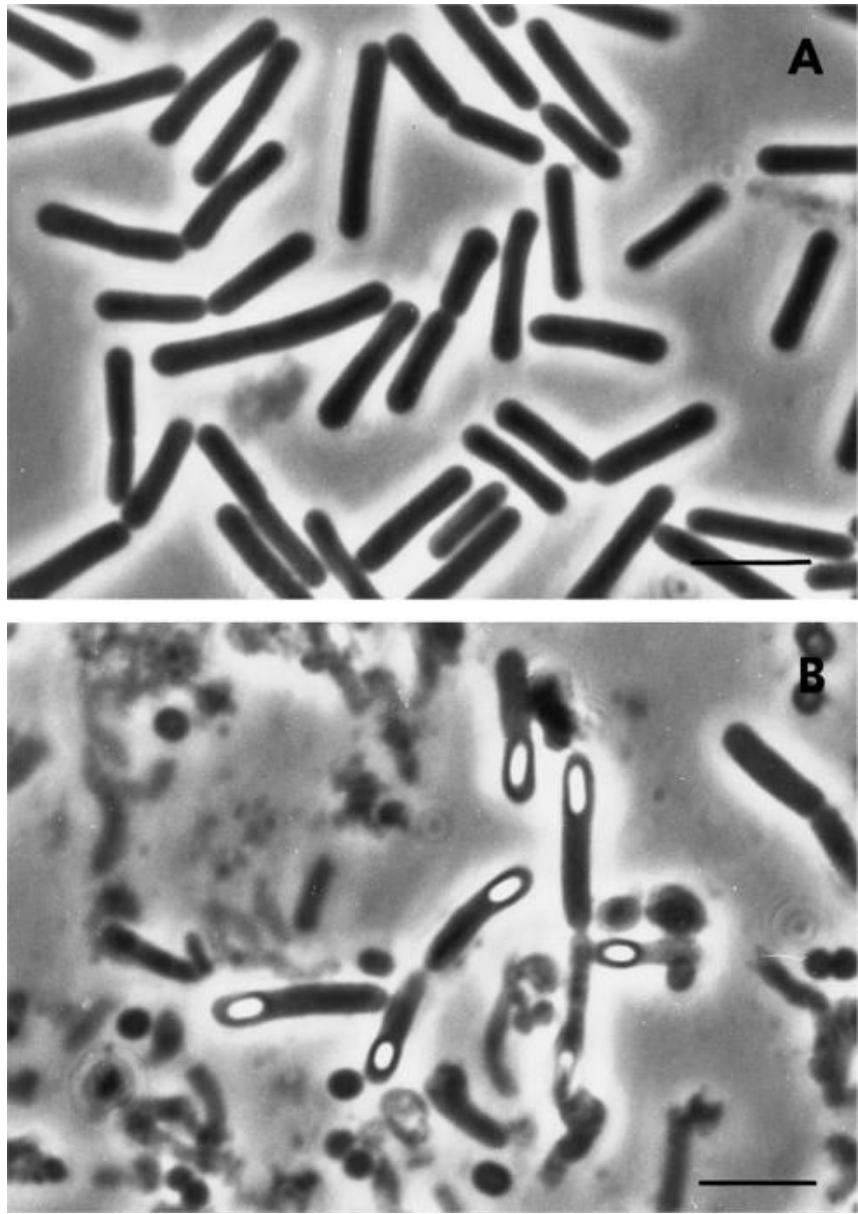
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# Enterotoxin (*Staphylococci*)

Contamination of food during food production, food transfer, and food chain

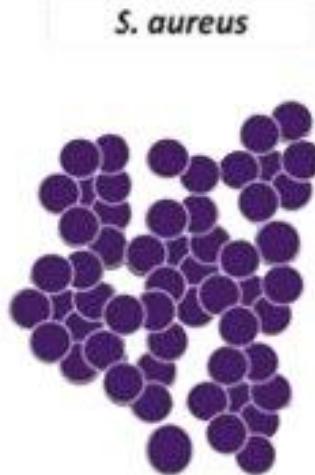
Environmental sources  
(air, dust, and surfaces, etc.)

Skin and nose of humans and animals

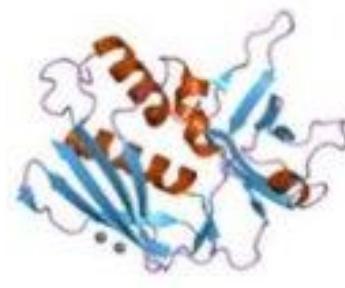
Animals (dairy products, sheep, goats, etc.)

Disregard for hygiene rules from farm to fork

FOOD SAFETY FAILURE



*S. aureus*



Enterotoxins

CONSUMPTION



INTOXICATIONS-SYMPOMTS

Nausea,  
Vomiting,  
Abdominal Pains,  
Diarrhoea, etc.

# Wound (แผล)

## Tetanotoxin (*Clostridium tetani*)

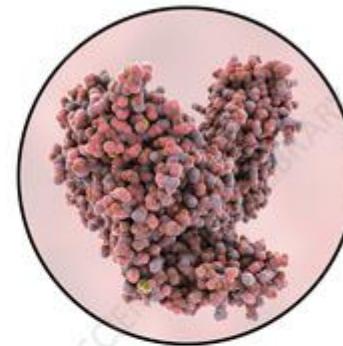
### TETANUS (บาดทะยัก)



Contaminated wound



*Clostridium tetani* bacteria



Tetanus neurotoxin



Severe hyperextension and spasticity caused by neurotoxin of *C. tetani*

# *Clostridium*



- ***Cl. tetani* – tetanus**
- wound → toxins (blood, nerves) → spinal cord → spasms of striated muscles (necroses)
- risus sardonicus + opisthotonus
- 10-50% mortality
- ***Cl. botulinum* - botulism**
- meal from tins (toxin)
- visual disturbances, muscle paralysis → respiratory insufficiency + arrhythmias → **death**

# Diphtheratoxin (*Clostridium diphtheriae*)



<https://www.sciencephoto.com/media/1237727/view/corynebacterium-diphtheriae-illustration>

# Bacterial infections

- **sepsis** = bacteria > immune system
- fever + splenomegaly + lymphadenopathy
- *streptococci, staphylococci*
- **metastasizing sepsis (septicemia)**
- nasopharynx → menings (*Neisseria meningitidis*)
- pulmonary abscess → brain abscess
- furuncle → bones + kidney (*Staphylococci*)

# Bacterial infections

- **pyemia** (septicopyemia) = thrombi + bacteria in blood circulation
- sequela: septic infarction → metastatic abscess
- 1. central – infective endocarditis
  - brain, kidney, skin, ...
- 2. peripheral – purulent thrombophlebitis (p.t.)
  - lungs
- 3. portal – of portal vein branch
  - liver
- 4 . umbilical – of umbilical vein (newborn)

# *Staphylococci*

- Gram+, common
- normally on skin + mucosa
- skin abscesses x sepsis
- nosocomial infections
- secondary infections (influenza)
- *Staph. aureus + Staph. epidermidis*



<https://www.medicalnewstoday.com/articles/staph-infection#gallery-open>





# *Staphylococci*

- 1. skin lesions (wounds)
  - furuncle → carbuncle
  - impetigo
  - paronaritium
- 2. mastitis (breast feeding woman)
- 3. osteomyelitis + arthritis
- 4. enterocolitis + alimentary enterotoxicosis
- 5. acute infective endocarditis
- 6. toxic shock syndrome

# *Streptococci*

- Gram+, common
- β-hemolytic (A-D, G)
  - *Str. pyogenes (A)*
  - *Str. agalactiae (B)* – mother's vagina → newborn's meningitis
- α-viridans (H)
  - subacute infective endocarditis
  - *Str. mutans* – caries, pulpitis
- *anaerobic (Peptostreptococci)* – oral cavity

# *Streptococci*

- *Str. pyogenes* (A)
  - 1. local inf. – phlegmone, impetigo, wound inf.
  - 2. angina (tonsilitis) → otitis, sinusitis
  - 3. scarlet fever (erythrogenic toxin)
    - angina + oral exanthema (raspberry tongue) + skin exanthema (face, trunk)
  - 4. erysipelas
    - skin erythema (lower limbs, face) + toxemia
    - lymphatic + blood vein thrombosis → lymphostasis → edema → elephantiasis



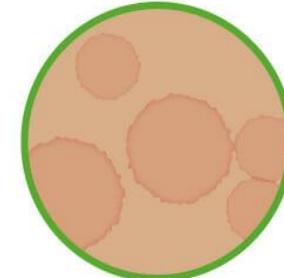
<https://www.nhs.uk/conditions/scarlet-fever/>

# *Streptococci*

- sequelae (*Streptococcus A*)
  - cross reaction (immune)
  - **acute glomerulonephritis**
  - **rheumatic fever**



Narrowed mitral valve  
causing heart murmur



Erythema marginatum  
(non-itchy rash)



Painful joints



Fever of  
 $38.2\text{--}38.8^{\circ}\text{C}$   
( $100.8\text{--}102.0^{\circ}\text{F}$ )

# Pneumococci

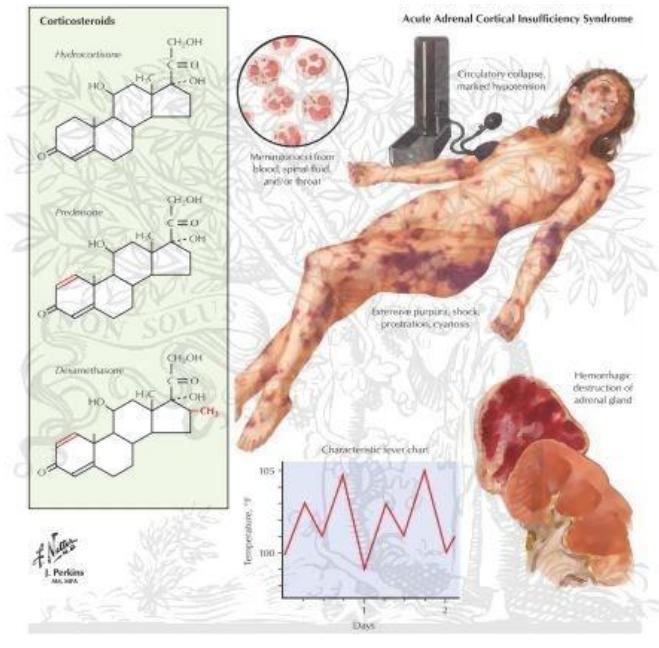
- *Streptococcus pneumoniae*
- Gram+ diplococci
- children
  - rhinitis, nasopharyngitis, sinusitis, otitis
- adults
  - lobar pneumonia → meningitis



# Neisseria



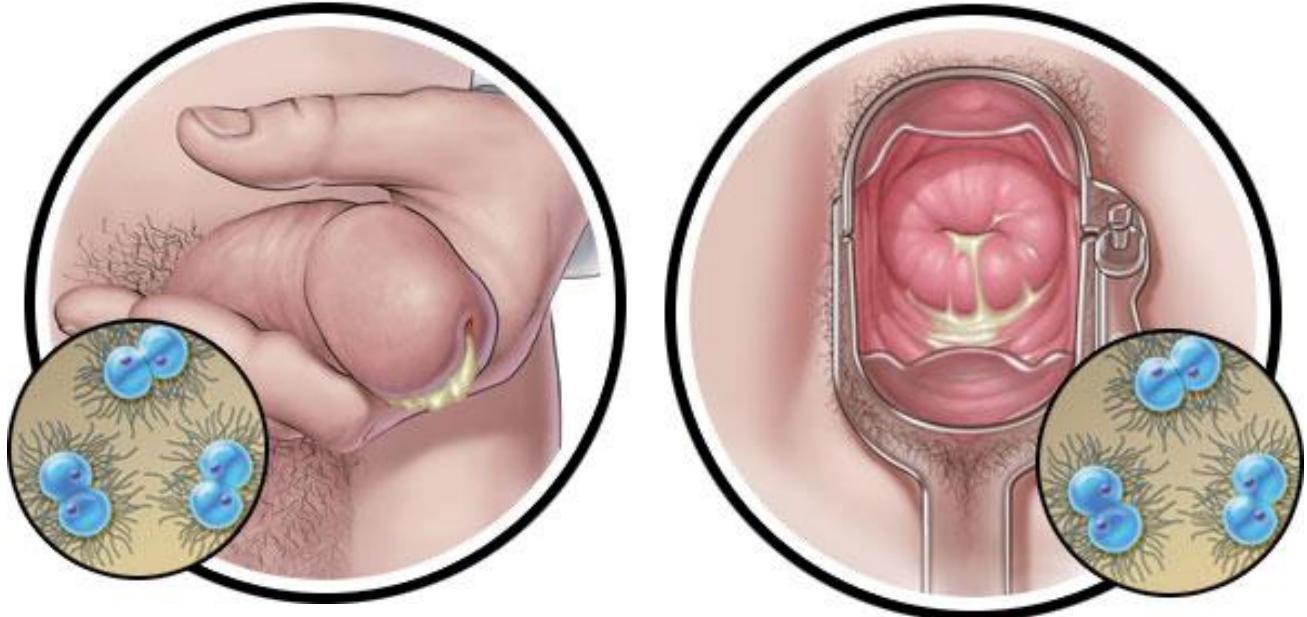
- Gram- diplococci
- *N. meningitidis*
- sporadic x endemic
- children, young adults, soldiers
- nasopharynx → menings
- !!! rapid course → death (hours) !!!
- meningeal syndrom + skin purpura + DIC
- **Waterhouse-Fridrichsen syndrome**
  - meningococcal sepsis + DIC + bleeding in adrenals (insufficiency)



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# *Neisseria*



- *N. gonorrhoeae* (หนองใน)
- gonorrhoea
- purulent inflammation + discharge
- M: urethritis → prostate, vesicles
- F: kolpitis, cervicitis → endometritis → salpingo-oophoritis → sterility
- distant complication: arthritis (knee)

# *Escherichia coli*



- Gram- rod
- normal in colon x other location - pathogenic
- *enteropathogenic* – diarrhoea (newborn)
- *enteroinvasive* – diarrhoea (adults)
- *enterotoxigenic* – travellers' diarrhoea
- *enterohemorrhagic* - verotoxin
  - hemorrhagic colitis
  - hemolytic-uremic syndrome (children)

# *Salmonella*



- *S. typhi* – typhoid fever
- food → bowel → liver → gallbladder → bowel
- ileum
- 1. hyperplasia of RES in ileum – typhoid cells
- 2. mucosal necroses upon Peyer patches
- 3. ulcerations
- 4. reparation → scar
- complications
  - bowel perforation/hemorrhage
  - chronic carriage (gallbladder)

# Shigella

## Shigella

- *S. dysenteriae*, *S. sonnei*, *S. flexneri*
- bacillary dysentery
- „dirty hands“ + alimentary
- hemorrhagic colitis + ulcers +
- pseudomembranes

Gram-negative, non-motile, rod-shaped bacteria that causes Shigellosis.



Children (1-4), the elderly, and people with compromised immune systems are at risk.



14,000

cases of Shigellosis per year in the US

10-200

organisms is the infective dose

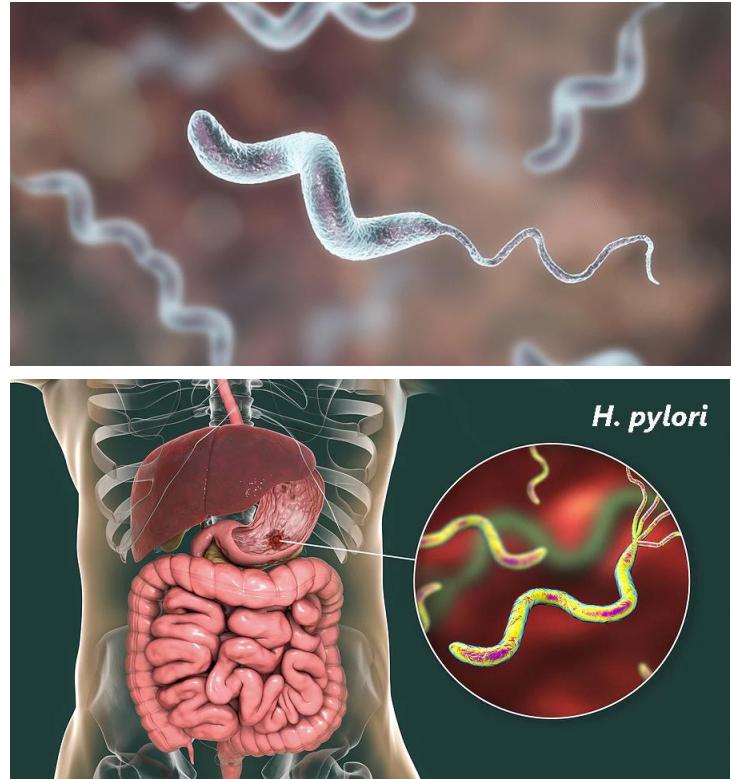
Found in vegetables, all kinds of salads, dairy products



Resource: vector from shutterstock

# *Campylobacter + Helicobacter*

- *Campylobacter jejuni*
- infants
- diarrhoea
- *Helicobacter pylori*
- asymptomatic
- etiology of:
  - chronic gastritis
  - peptic ulcer of stomach and duodenum
  - gastric carcinoma
  - gastric MALT-lymphoma



<https://badgut.org/information-centre/health-nutrition/campylobacter/>

<https://www.avivahealth.com/blogs/articles/helicobacter-pylori>

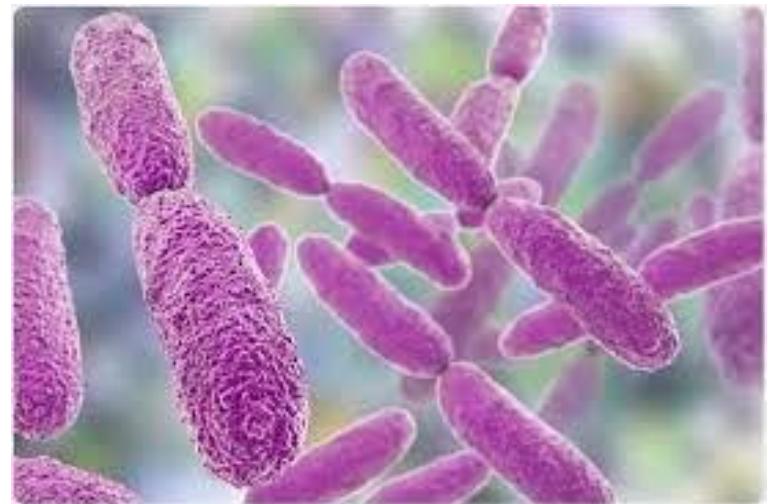
# Vibrio

- ***V. cholerae* – cholera**
  - water, food, ill man
  - massive watery diarrhoea
  - **NO** inflammation x enterotoxin
  - dehydration → collapse
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- **cholera nostras** - enterotoxins



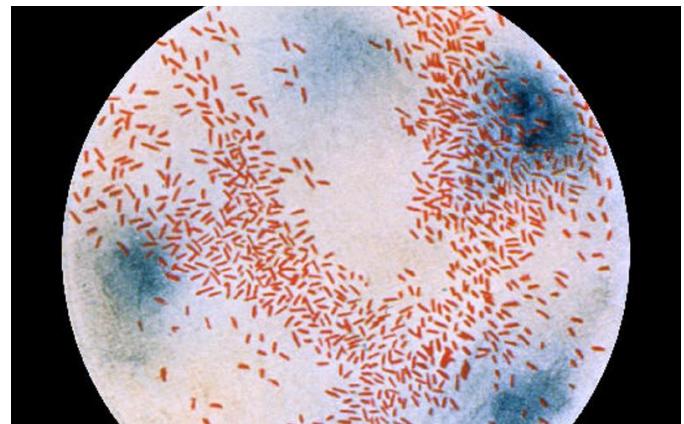
# *Klebsiella*

- *K. pneumoniae*
- pneumonia
- lung + liver abscesses
- *K. rhinoscleromatis*
- ulcerations of upper airways



<https://advancedfunctionalmedicine.com.au/treatment-of-klebsiella-bacteria-and-its-symptoms/>

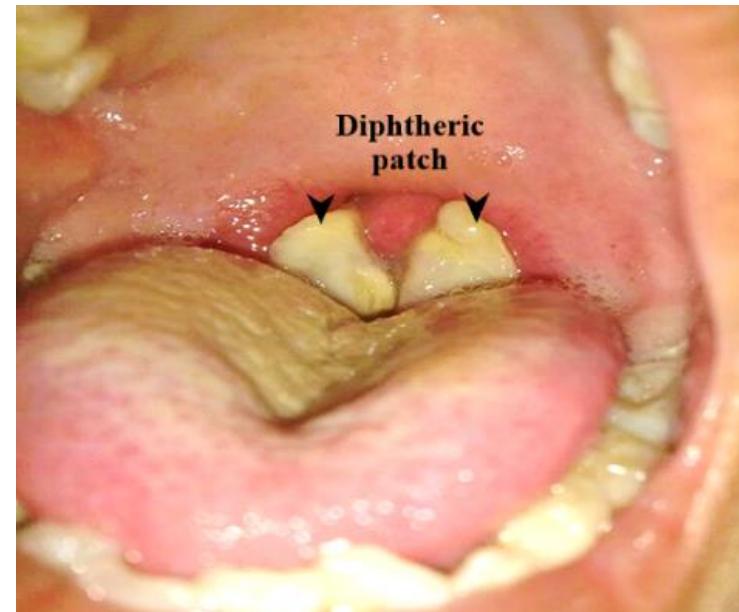
# *Haemophilus*



- *H. influenzae*
- superinfection of viral infections
- children – **epiglottitis, meningitis, pneumonia**
- adults - otitis, sinusitis, bronchitis
  
- *H. ducreyi*
- **ulcus molle (chancroid, soft chancre)** - STD

# *Corynebacterium*

- *C. diphtheriae* – diphtheria
- children
- pseudomembranous tonsilitis + laryngitis
- airway obstruction
- diphtherotoxin - myocarditis



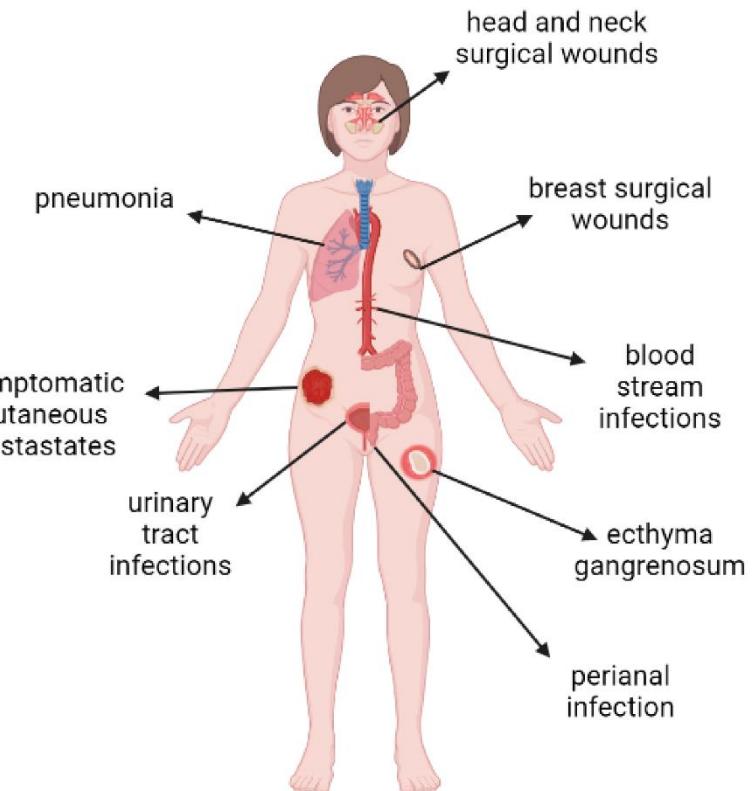
# *Bordetella*

- *B. pertussis* – whooping cough
- children
- acute inflammation of upper airways
- cough + vomiting + face edema



CDC - <http://phil.cdc.gov/phil/home.asp>

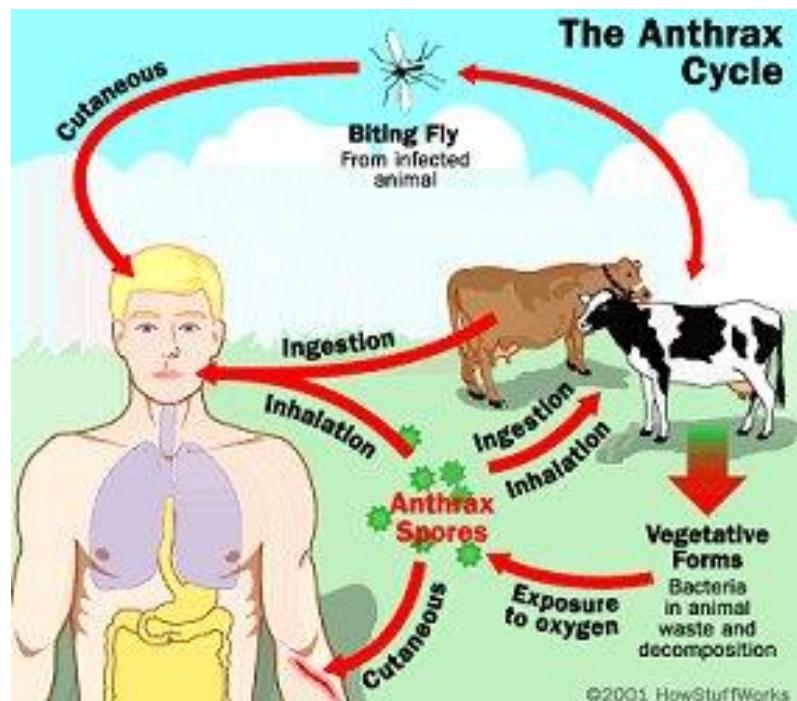
# *Pseudomonas*



- *P. aeruginosa*
- colonization of respiratory and urinary tract
- immunocompromised patients
- plastic, catheters
- serious nosocomial infection
- pneumonia, enterocolitis, meningitis, sepsis

# Bacillus

- *B. anthracis* – anthrax
- animal products + dust
- hemorrhagic necrotising lesions
- skin – *pustula maligna*
- lungs, GIT, ...



# *Yersinia*

- *Y. pestis* - plague
- rodents → rats → flea (*Xenopsylla cheopis*) → man
- *bubonic plague*
  - skin bite → LN (groin) → hemorrhagic necrosis (black color) + fistulas
- *pneumonic plague*
  - lung abscesses
- ↑ mortality
- WHO report



Bubonic plague



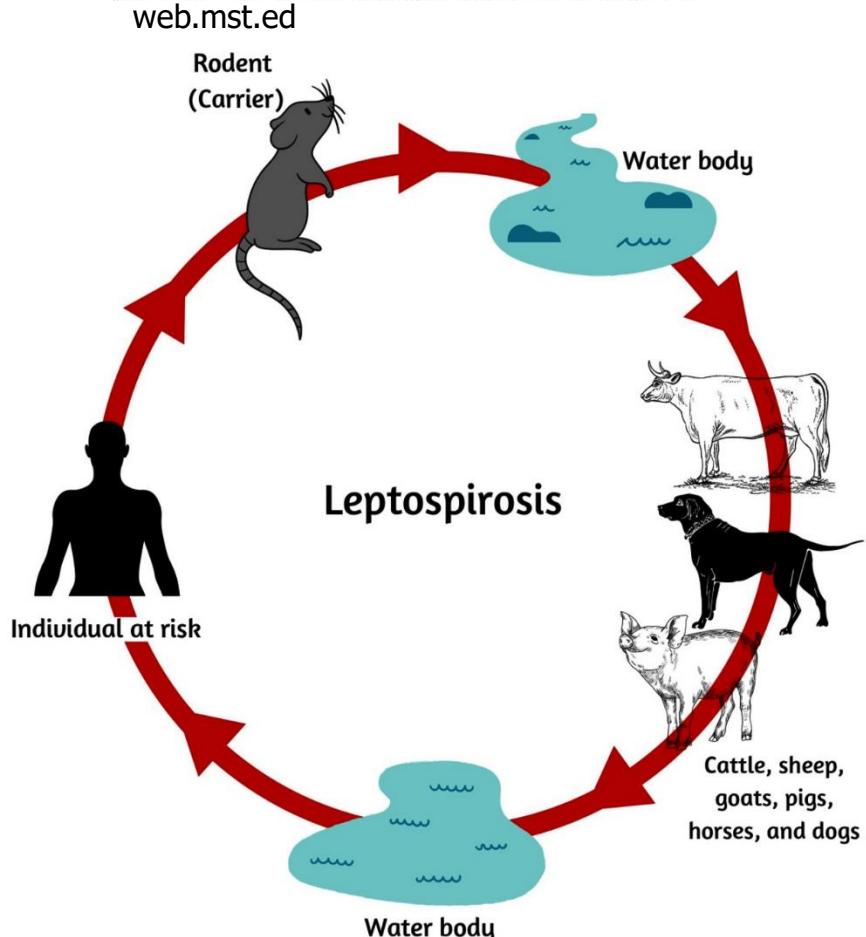
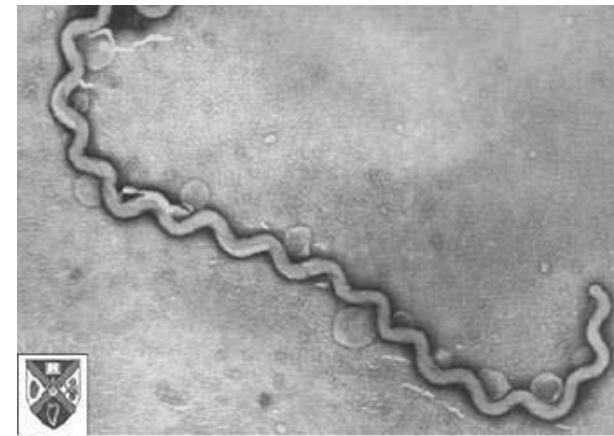
Septicemic plague



Pneumonic plague

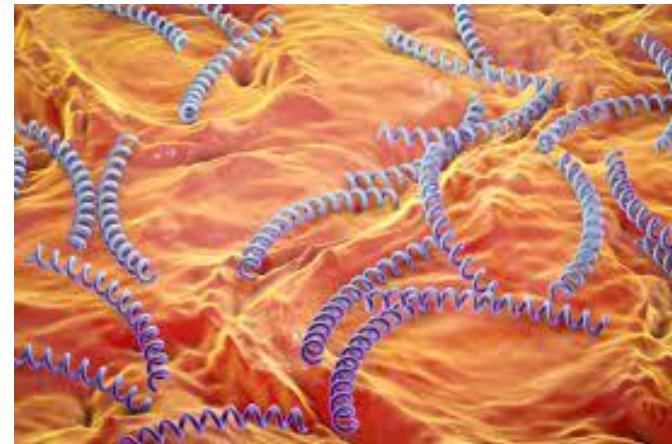
# *Leptospira*

- *L. interrogans* – (โรคฉี่หนอง)
- rodents' urine + skin wound
- fever + jaundice + anuria
- liver - necroses + nephritis
- muscle necroses + myocarditis



# *Spirochetes*

- *Treponema pallidum* – syphilis



<https://www.rcpjournals.org/content/clinmedicine/16/2/184>

<https://www.drugtargetreview.com/news/32711/success-culturing-treponema-pallidum/>

# Borrelia



- ***B. recurrentis* – febris recurrens**

- ill man → louse → infection
- mucosal hemorrhages + microabscesses
- liver + spleen necroses

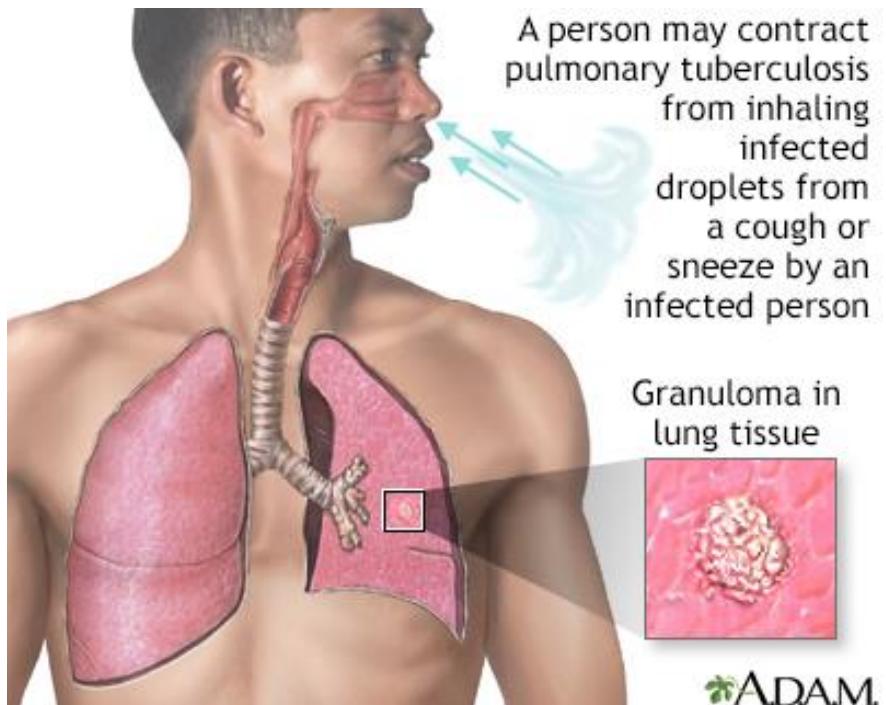
- ***B. burgdorferi* – Lyme disease**

- rodents → tick (*Ixodes*) → man
- 1. erythema migrans (skin)
- 2. multiple EM + CNS + heart + joints
- 3. acrodermatitis chronica atrophicans + CNS



# Mycobacterium

- ***M. tuberculosis* – TBC (ວັນໂຮກ)**
- ***M. leprae* – leprosy (ໂຮກເຮືອນ)**



<https://emedicine.medscape.com/art>

<https://www.mountsinai.org/health-library/diseases-conditions/pulmonary-tuberculosis>

# *Mycoplasma*

- NO cellular wall
- children + young adults
- *M. pneumoniae*
  - pneumonia, otitis, sinusitis
- *M. hominis*
  - non-gonococcal urethritis
- *Ureaplasma urealyticum*
  - non-gonococcal urethritis

# Rickettsia



- intracellular
- ***R. prowazekii* – spotted fever** (typhus exanthematicus)
- ill man → louse (*Pediculus h. corporis*) → skin wound
- endothelium (+ vasculitis) → blood circulation
- skin exanthema + petechiae
- encephalitis + myocarditis
- ↑ mortality (20-70%)
- recurrence (20 years) – **Brill-Zinser disease (LN)**

# Sexually transmitted diseases (STD)

## • 1. Bacteria

- *Neisseria gonorrhoeae* - gonorrhoea
- *Treponema pallidum* - syphilis
- *Haemophilus ducreyi* – chancroid
- *Chlamydia trachomatis* – lymphogranuloma venereum
- *Calymmatobacterium granulomatis* – granuloma inguinale

## • 2. Viruses

- *HSV* - herpes
- *HBV* – hepatitis B
- *HPV* – condyloma acuminatum + cervical cancer
- *HIV* - AIDS

## • 3. Parasites

- *Trichomonas vaginalis* – kolpitis (vaginitis)
- *Sarcoptes scabiei* - scabies

