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West Nile Virus - Public Health Update #11

No change in the number of human cases in Clark County

October 15, 2004

For the second week in a row, the Clark County Health District noted no change in the numbers of confirmed and probable human West Nile virus cases. The current case counts are listed below.

2004 Human West Nile Virus Cases in Clark County, Nevada

Total Confirmed	Current Probable Cases*
18	5

** The term "probable cases" describes patients with positive preliminary test results, plus symptoms and history compatible with West Nile virus infection. When a case is confirmed, it is removed from the probable count.*

NOTE TO MEDIA:

The health district will discontinue its weekly updates on human West Nile cases on Thursday, October 28, 2004. (Mosquito season ends in Clark County at the end of October). Current information on geographic case distribution will continue to be available on the health district website at <http://www.cchd.org>. Additionally, any significant developments in West Nile activity will be released to the media.

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