Outbreak Summary

Since the last update on July 19, 2016, 1 more ill person was reported from one state in this outbreak.

A total of 25 people infected with the outbreak strain of *Salmonella* Muenster was reported from eight states. The number of ill people identified in each state was as follows: Indiana (3), Kentucky (1), Michigan (5), Missouri (1), New York (1), Ohio (7), Pennsylvania (2), and Tennessee (5).

Among people who reported the date they became ill, illnesses began between March 11, 2016 and July 3, 2016. Ill people ranged in age from younger than 1 year to 74, with a median age of less than one year. Fifty-eight percent were male. Among 20 ill people with available information, 8 (40%) were hospitalized. No deaths were reported.

In interviews, ill people answered questions about contact with animals in the week before they became ill. Of the 20 ill people who were interviewed, 14 (70%) reported contact with live poultry.

Case Count Update

July 19, 2016

Since the last update on June 2, 2016, five more ill people have been reported from four states in this outbreak.

A total of 24 people infected with the outbreak strain of *Salmonella* Muenster was reported from eight states. The number of ill people identified in each state was as follows: Indiana (2), Kentucky (1), Michigan (5), Missouri (1), New York (1), Ohio (7), Pennsylvania (2), and Tennessee (5).

Among people who reported the date they became ill, illnesses began between March 11, 2016 and May 29, 2016. Ill people ranged in age from younger than 1 year to 73, with a median age of less than one year. Fifty-six percent were male. Among 20 ill people with available information, 8 (40%) were hospitalized. No deaths were reported.

In interviews, ill people answered questions about contact with animals in the week before they became ill. Of the 20 ill people who were interviewed, 14 (70%) reported contact with live poultry.

Initial Announcement

June 2, 2016

Nineteen people infected with the outbreak strain of *Salmonella* Muenster were reported from seven states. The number of ill people identified in each state was as follows: Indiana (1), Kentucky (1), Michigan (4), Missouri (1), Ohio (7), Pennsylvania (2), and Tennessee (3).

In interviews, ill people answered questions about contact with animals in the week before they became ill. Of the 15 ill people who were interviewed, 12 (80%) reported contact with live poultry.

Among people who reported the date they became ill, illnesses began between March 11, 2016 and May 9, 2016. Ill people ranged in age from younger than 1 year to 71, with a median age of 3. Of ill people, 58 percent were male. Among the 14 ill people with available information, 6 (43%) were hospitalized. No deaths were reported.

Local health officials in Michigan collected environmental samples from live poultry at feed stores; testing was performed at the state lab and the outbreak strain of *Salmonella* Muenster was isolated.