

Table 9. Foodborne Outbreaks Confirmed in Virginia, 1999

Onset Date	Locality	Number of Cases	Etiologic Agent	Vehicle	Place Where Outbreak Occurred	Factors Contributing to Outbreak
12/21/98	Southwest Region (Multi-county)	12	<i>Salmonella bairdon</i>	tomatoes (suspected)	restaurants & nursing homes	contaminated raw product consumption
1/17/99	Staunton	25	Norwalk-like virus (suspected)	salad (suspected)	restaurant	poor hygienic practices
5/8/99	Danville	49	Norwalk-like virus	mixed fruit	restaurant	poor hygienic practices
5/10/99	Henrico	177	<i>Salmonella enteritidis</i>	multiple (French toast, ham eggs, and bacon)	restaurant	inadequate cooking, improper food handling, and cross-contamination
5/14/99	Newport News	13	<i>Salmonella enteritidis</i>	item from fruit tray (suspected)	restaurant	contaminated raw product consumption
5/21/99	Loudoun	22	<i>Salmonella muenchen</i>	grilled chicken	restaurant	inadequate cooking
6/11/99	Prince William	16	<i>unknown</i>	unknown	private facility	could not be determined
7/12/99	Roanoke City	33	Norwalk-like virus	country ham croissants	private facility	poor hygienic practices
9/6/99	Powhatan	8+	<i>Clostridium perfringens</i> (suspected)	Brunswick stew	private facility	improper holding temperature
10/22/99	Norfolk	22	<i>Staphylococcus aureus</i>	sliced ham	restaurant	poor hygienic practices
11/21/99	Multi-county	8	<i>Salmonella newport</i>	mangoes	private home	contaminated raw product consumption