

**EPIDEMIC'S OF THE PAST!****1650-1918**

1657 Boston Measles  
 1687 Boston Measles  
 1690 New York Yellow Fever  
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 1729 Boston Measles  
 1732-3 Worldwide Influenza  
 1738 South Carolina Smallpox  
 1739-40 Boston Measles  
 1747 CT, NY, PA, SC Measles  
 1759 N. America Measles: areas inhabited by white people  
 1761 N. America and West Indies Influenza  
 1772 N. America Measles  
 1775 N. America Unknown epidemic: especially hard in NE  
 1775-6 Worldwide Influenza: one of the worst epidemics  
 1783 Dover, DE "Extremely fatal" bilious disorder  
 1788 Philadelphia and New York Measles  
 1793 Vermont A "putrid" fever and Influenza  
 1793 Virginia Influenza: killed 500 in 5 counties in 4 weeks  
 1793 Philadelphia Yellow Fever: one of the worst epidemics  
 1793 Harrisburg, PA Many unexplained deaths  
 1793 Middletown, PA Many unexplained deaths  
 1794 Philadelphia, PA Yellow Fever  
 1796-7 Philadelphia, PA Yellow Fever  
 1798 Philadelphia, PA Yellow Fever: one of the worst  
 1803 New York Yellow Fever  
 1820-3 Nationwide "Fever" - started Schuylkill River and spread  
 1831-2 Nationwide Asiatic Cholera: brought by English emigrants  
 1832 NY City and other major cities Cholera  
 1833 Columbus, OH Cholera  
 1834 New York City Cholera  
 1837 Philadelphia Typhus  
 1841 Nationwide Yellow Fever: especially severe in the south  
 1847 New Orleans Yellow Fever  
 1847-8 Worldwide Influenza  
 1848-9 North America Cholera  
 1849 New York Cholera  
 1850 Nationwide Yellow Fever  
 1850 Alabama, New York Cholera  
 1850-1 North America Influenza  
 1851 Coles Co., IL, The Great Plains, and Missouri Cholera  
 1852 Nationwide Yellow Fever: 8,000 die in New Orleans  
 1855 Nationwide Yellow Fever  
 1857-9 Worldwide Influenza: one of the greatest epidemics  
 1860-1 Pennsylvania Smallpox  
 1865-73 Philadelphia, NY, Boston, New Orleans, Baltimore, Memphis, Washington DC Smallpox, Cholera :A series of recurring epidemics of, Typhus, Typhoid, Scarlet Fever, Yellow Fever  
 1873-5 N. America and Europe Influenza  
 1878 New Orleans Yellow Fever: last great epidemic  
 1885 Plymouth, PA Typhoid  
 1886 Jacksonville, FL Yellow Fever  
 1918 Worldwide Influenza: more people were hospitalized in WWI from this epidemic than wounds. US Army training camps became death camps, with 80% death rate in some camps.

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