# **Yersiniosis** (Yersinia enterocolitica, Yersinia pseudotuberculosis)

## Clinical criteria

Any person with at least one of the following five:

- Fever
- Diarrhoea
- Vomiting
- Abdominal pain (pseudoappendicitis)
- Tenesmus

## Laboratory criteria

Isolation of human pathogenic *Yersinia enterocolitica* or *Yersinia pseudotuberculosis* from a clinical specimen

#### **Epidemiological criteria**

At least one of the following two:

- Human to human transmission
- Exposure to a common source

#### **Case classification**

A. Possible case

NA

#### B. Probable case

Any person meeting the clinical criteria and with an epidemiological link

### C. Confirmed case

Any person meeting the clinical and the laboratory criteria