

*"Campylobacter is usually spread from feces, he said. It's common among chickens because of the way they're raised -- all crammed together. It's possible that the same thing happens among puppies from puppy mills and pet stores, where the animals are in close contact with each other, Siegel suggested." CDC Sep 20, 2018*

### ***A local man is hospitalized after purchasing an infected puppy at***

#### ***Petland Novi***

<https://www.fox47news.com/news/local-news/a-local-man-is-hospitalized-after-purchasing-an-infected-puppy-at-petland-novi>

### ***CDC: Multi-state Outbreak of Multidrug-Resistant Campylobacter Infections Linked to Contact with Pet Store Puppies***

<https://www.cdc.gov/campylobacter/outbreaks/puppies-9-17/index.html>

#### ***Excerpts form the article:***

*A total of 113 people with laboratory-confirmed infections or symptoms consistent with Campylobacter infection were linked to this outbreak. Illnesses were reported from [17 states](#). Illnesses started on dates ranging from [January 12, 2016 to January 7, 2018](#). Ill people ranged in age from less than 1 year to 86.*

*Difficult to treat these infections with the antibiotics usually prescribed for Campylobacter infections. Antibiotic resistance may be associated with increased risk of hospitalization, development of a bloodstream infection, or treatment failure in patients.*

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