

Table 1: Potential Agents of Bioterrorism

Category A	Category B	Category C
<p>Variola major (small pox)</p> <p><i>Bacillus anthracis</i> (anthrax)</p> <p><i>Yersinia pestis</i> (plague)</p> <p><i>Clostridium botulinum</i> toxin (botulism)</p> <p><i>Francisella tularensis</i> (tularemia)</p> <p>Filoviruses,</p> <p> Ebola hemorrhagic fever</p> <p> Marburg hemorrhagic fever</p> <p>Arenaviruses,</p> <p> Lassa (Lassa fever)</p> <p> Junin (Argentine hemorrhagic fever)</p> <p> And related viruses</p>	<p><i>Coxiella burnetii</i> (Q fever)</p> <p><i>Brucella</i> species (brucellosis)</p> <p><i>Burkholderia mallei</i> (glanders)</p> <p><i>Burkholderia pseudomallei</i> (Meloidosis)</p> <p>*alphaviruses,</p> <p> Venezuelan encephalomyelitis</p> <p> Eastern and Western equine</p> <p> Encephalomyelitis</p> <p>Ricin toxin from <i>Ricinus communis</i></p> <p> (Castor beans)</p> <p>Epsilon toxin of <i>Clostridium perfringens</i></p> <p><i>Staphylococcal</i> enterotoxin B</p> <p>T2 - Mycotoxins</p> <p>Food- or waterborne pathogens include</p> <p>but are not limited to</p> <p> <i>Salmonella</i> species</p> <p> <i>Shigella dysenteriae</i></p> <p> <i>Escherichia coli</i> 0157:H7</p> <p> <i>Vibrio cholerae</i>, and</p> <p> <i>Cryptosporidium parvum</i></p> <p>*<i>Rickettsia prowazekii</i> (Typhus fever)</p> <p><i>Chlamydia psittaci</i> (Psittacosis)</p>	<p>Nipah virus</p> <p>Hantaviruses</p> <p>Tickborne hemorrhagic fever viruses</p> <p>Tickborne encephalitis viruses</p> <p>Yellow Fever</p> <p>Multidrug resistant tuberculosis</p>