

UW-Madison/Extension Plant Disease Diagnostic Clinic (PDDC) Update

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In 2022, the PDDC continues to provide diagnoses through examination of digital photographs, as well as physical samples. Click here for the PDDC's current submission policy, as well as information on the PDDC's current fee structure. Digital diagnoses will be included in the Wisconsin Disease Almanac and when a digital diagnosis would normally require a lab confirmation, the disease/disorder will be labeled as "suspected". The following diseases/disorders have been identified at the PDDC from January 29, 2022 through February 4, 2022.

PLANT/SAMPLE TYPE	DISEASE/DISORDER	PATHOGEN	COUNTY
BROAD-LEAFED WOODY ORNAMENTALS			
Honeylocust	White Rot	Irpex lacteus	Dane
Maple (Unspecified)	Coryneum Canker (Suspected)	Coryneum sp.	Dane
Oak (Bur)	Bur Oak Blight	Tubakia iowensis	Dane
HOUSEPLANTS			
Dracena	Bacterial Leaf Spot	Unspecified leaf spot bacterium	Dane
Fig (Banyan)	Chlorosis	None	Dane
	Phomopsis Canker	Phomopsis sp.	Dane
Fig (Weeping)	Phlyctema Leaf Spot	Phyctema sp.	Dane
NEEDLED WOODY ORNAMENTALS			
Arborvitae	Phyllosticta Needle Blight	Phyllosticta sp.	Dane
VEGETABLE CROPS			
Cabbage	Edema	None	Waushara

To learn more about plant diseases and their control, as well as PDDC educational resources and activities, visit the PDDC website at pddc.wisc.edu, follow the clinic on Facebook and Twitter @UWPDDC or email pddc@wisc.edu to subscribe to the PDDC listserv "UWPDDCLearn".