

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 February 19, 2022 through February 25, 2022.

PLANT/SAMPLE TYPE	DISEASE/DISORDER	PATHOGEN	COUNTY
BROAD-LEAFED WOODY ORNAMENTALS			
Oak (Red)	Sphaeropsis Canker	Sphaeropsis sp.	Dane
Oak (Unspecified)	Oak Wilt (Suspected)	Bretziella fagacearum	Kenosha
FRUIT CROPS			
Fruit Trees (Miscellaneous)	Herbicide Damage (Suspected)	None	Calumet
HERBACEOUS ORNAMENTALS			
Peony	Gray Mold/Botrytis Blight	Botrytis cinerea	Rock
	Root Rot (Suspected)	Unspecified root rot fungi/water molds	Rock
VEGETABLE CROPS			
Tomato	Edema (Suspected)	None	Unspecified (GA)

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".