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

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In 2023, 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 September 9, 2023 through September 15, 2023.

| PLANT/SAMPLE TYPE | DISEASE/DISORDER | PATHOGEN | COUNTY |
|---------------------------------------|---|----------------------------|--------|
| BROAD-LEAFED WOODY ORNAMENTALS | | | |
| Mountain-Ash | Gymnosporangium Rust | <i>Gymnosporangium</i> sp. | Door |
| NEEDED WOODY ORNAMENTALS | | | |
| Pine (White) | White Pine Blister Rust | <i>Cronartium ribicola</i> | Grant |

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".