

**Table. Foodborne Outbreaks in Alaska, 2004–2008**

Month/Year	Region	Event	Agent	Number Ill	Implicated Food	Deficiency
Apr 2004	Southwest	Home	Botulism	1	Seal oil	Toxin in food
May 2004	Southwest	Home	Botulism	1	Seal oil / Dried pike	Toxin in food
Jun 2004	Gulf Coast	Cannery	<i>Clostridium perfringens</i>	30	Potatoes with sauce	Temperature abuse
Jul 2004	Gulf Coast	Cruise ship/Rd stand	<i>Vibrio parahaemolyticus</i>	62	Oysters	Toxin in food
Jun 2005	Anch/Mat-Su	Home	Trichinosis	3	Bear meat	Inadequate cooking
Sep 2005	Southwest	Home	Botulism	4	Fermented fish	Toxin in food
Sep 2005	Southwest	Home	Botulism	4	Stink heads	Toxin in food
Sep 2005	Southwest	Home	Botulism	1	Fermented seal flipper	Toxin in food
Oct 2005	Anch/Mat-Su	Farm	Campylobacter	18	Peas	Contaminated at source
Sep 2006	Southwest	Home	Botulism	1	Seal oil	Toxin in food
Sep 2006	Gulf Coast	Conference/Hotel	Norovirus	44	Crab stuffed halibut	Inappropriate food handling
Oct 2006	Anch/Mat-Su	Conference/Hotel	Epi link – no specimens	32	Unknown	Unknown
Nov 2006	Southwest	Home	Botulism	5	Fermented fish eggs	Toxin in food
Dec 2006	Southwest	Home (multistate)	Salmonella	1	Peanut butter	Contaminated at source
Feb 2007	Northern	Funeral /Potluck	Salmonella	18	Eggs	Inappropriate food handling
Mar 2007	Southwest	Home	Botulism	2	Fermented beaver tail/seal flippers	Toxin in food
Jun 2007	Southeast	Restaurant	<i>Vibrio parahaemolyticus</i>	1	Oysters	Toxin in food
Jun 2007	Southwest	Home	Botulism	2	Seal oil	Toxin in food
Jul 2007	Southwest	Home	Botulism	1	Fermented muktuk	Toxin in food
Jul 2007	Southeast	Restaurant	PSP	1	Scallops	Toxin in food
Aug 2007	Anch/Mat-Su	Home (multistate)	<i>E. coli</i> O157:H7	1	Ground beef	Contaminated at source
Aug 2007	Southwest	Home	Botulism	1	Muktuk	Toxin in food
Aug 2007	Southwest	Home	Botulism	1	Fermented fish	Toxin in food
Sep 2007	Southwest	Home	Botulism	1	Stink heads	Toxin in food
Oct 2007	Northern	Home	Botulism	1	Seal blubber	Toxin in food
Oct 2007	Anch, Interior, Gulf Coast	Homes (multistate)	Salmonella	5	Pot pies	Inadequate cooking
Jan 2008	Anch/Mat-Su	Cafeteria	Scromboid	3	Mahi-mahi	Inadequate cooking
Mar 2008	Southwest	Restaurant	Epi link-no specimens	6	Unknown	Unknown
May 2008	Southwest	Home	Botulism	1	Seal meat/oil	Toxin in food
Jun 2008	Southwest	Home	Botulism	2	Seal meat/oil	Toxin in food
Jul 2008	Gulf Coast	Home	Botulism	1	Unknown	Unknown
Jul 2008	Gulf Coast	Boarding House	<i>E. coli</i> O157:H7	3	Ground beef	Temperature abuse
Aug 2008	Southwest	Home	Botulism	2	Seal oil	Toxin in food
Aug 2008	Anch/Mat-Su	Homes	Campylobacter	103	Peas	Contaminated at source
Nov 2008	Interior	Home	Botulism	1	Muktuk	Toxin in food
Nov 2008	Southwest	Home	Botulism	2	Seal Oil	Toxin in food