**Causative Agent:** *Campylobacter* spp. bacteria

**Mode of Transmission:** Ingestion (contaminated food/water, fecal-oral); direct contact; insect vectors; contact with objects capable of harboring bacteria

**Incubation Period:** Human: 1-11 days most common (3-5 days most common)

Animals: Short; possibly less than 72 hours

 **Clinical Signs Human:** Acute diarrhea +/-blood; vomiting; abdominal pain; fever; headache; general sense of ill-being; immunocompromised patients are extremely susceptible

 **Clinical Signs Animal:** Newly hatched chicks can have acute enteritis with rapid onset of diarrhea and death. Infections are clinically innocuous in older chickens, turkeys and waterfowl

**Control and Prevention:** Good personal hygiene; cook poultry thoroughly

**Comments:** Person to person transmission has been observed.