

**TABLE 4**

**Median Age of persons from whom laboratory confirmed *Shigella* isolates reported to the CDC by Species and Year for 1991-2005**

Species	Year														
	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005
<i>S. boydii</i>	21	21	21	22	14	9	19	21	8	25	25	21	17	21	25
<i>S. dysenteriae</i>	19	26	29	25	30	25	18	35	28	10	28	29	22	9	25
<i>S. flexneri</i>	19	20	18	20	18	22	16	17	10	10	15	21	23	20	20
<i>S. sonnei</i>	8	7	7	7	7	7	7	7	8	8	7	7	7	7	7
Unknown	8	10	7	7	6	7	25	6	7	13	23	6	6	7	8

NOTE:  
\*\* Median Calculation excludes California isolates. Age information unavailable for California prior to 2000

**FIGURE 1**

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