

LEVEL 8

The diseases caused by microbes in humans are given below. Name the microbes that cause the disease and the method of spread.

Disease caused	Microbes	Method of Spread
Cholera		
Tuberculosis		
Diarrhoea		
Common cold		
Typhoid		
Malaria		

Answer key for the worksheet

Disease caused	Microbes	Method of Spread
Cholera	Bacteria	Water or food contaminated by an infected person, houseflies
Tuberculosis	Bacteria	Droplet infection, drinking milk from infected cattle
Diarrhoea	Bacteria	Water or food-borne
Common cold	Large variety of viruses	Droplet infection
Typhoid	Bacteria	Water or food contaminated by an infected person, houseflies
Malaria	Protozoan	Transmitted by the bite of infected mosquitoes