



**POLIO HAS BEEN ERADICATED FROM THE AMERICAS**  
The last wild poliovirus was detected on September 5 1991, in Peru

**Poliovirus Surveillance in the Americas**

**Table No.1**  
**Status of Case Stool Sample Analysis**  
**Last 52 Weeks (2008/02- 2008/53)**

Lab.	Country	Total*	WITHOUT RESULTS			ENTEROVIRUS ISOLATION					
			Not yet in lab.	<28 days	>28 Days	% Isolation	Negative	Other Enterovirus	Pending	Poliovirus Vaccine	Wild
CAR	BLZ	2	0	0	0	0.0	2	0	0	0	0
	DOR	12	0	0	0	41.7	7	3	0	2	0
	GUY	10	1	0	0	0.0	9	0	0	0	0
	HAI	2	0	0	0	0.0	2	0	0	0	0
	HON	62	4	0	12	17.4	38	8	0	0	0
	JAM	8	1	0	0	0.0	7	0	0	0	0
	NIC	4	0	0	0	0.0	4	0	0	0	0
	PAN	13	0	0	0	15.4	11	2	0	0	0
	SUR	6	1	0	0	20.0	4	1	0	0	0
CDC	ELS	33	0	0	0	39.4	20	13	0	0	0
	GUT	41	0	0	0	22.0	32	9	0	0	0
FIO	BRA	373	136	0	9	11.0	203	21	0	4	0
	PER	71	6	0	3	9.7	56	6	0	0	0
IEC	BRA	93	15	1	5	15.3	61	10	0	1	0
INDRE	MEX	377	0	0	25	14.2	302	48	0	2	0
INH	VEN	30	0	0	0	6.7	28	2	0	0	0
INS	COL	130	0	0	0	13.8	112	15	0	3	0
	COR	3	0	0	2	0.0	1	0	0	0	0
	ECU	40	6	0	0	11.8	30	4	0	0	0
IPK	CUB	16	16	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0
ISP	CHI	68	0	3	0	7.7	60	5	0	0	0
MAL	ARG	129	0	1	3	17.6	103	7	0	15	0
	BOL	29	2	0	0	7.4	25	2	0	0	0
	PAR	21	6	0	0	6.7	14	1	0	0	0
	URU	2	0	0	0	50.0	1	1	0	0	0
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>1575</b>	<b>194</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>59</b>	<b>14.0</b>	<b>1132</b>	<b>158</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>27</b>	<b>0</b>

\* Each sample relates to an individual

Case samples only

**Table No.2**  
**Status of Poliovirus Pending Intratypic Differentiation**  
**Last 52 Weeks (2008/02- 2008/53)**

LAB	COUNTRY	POLIOVIRUS												TOTAL
		NOT YET IN LAB				IN LAB < 4 Weeks				IN LAB > 4 Weeks				
		P1	P2	P3	MIX	P1	P2	P3	MIX	P1	P2	P3	MIX	
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>

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# Acute Flaccid Paralysis Surveillance

**Table No.1**  
**CASES OF ACUTE FLACCID PARALYSIS UNDER INVESTIGATION**  
**BY WEEK OF REPORT**

SITE	TOTAL	CUM.	Weeks																
			2007	2008	1-4	5-8	9-12	13-16	17-20	21-24	25-28	29-32	33-36	37-40	41-44	45-48	49	50	51
ARG	0	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	4	0	0	0	0	0
BOL	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
BRA	0	134	0	3	5	12	2	10	11	15	21	12	13	18	3	4	3	2	0
CAN	0	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR
CAR	0	8	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	1	0	2	1	1	0	0	1	0	0
CHI	0	19	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	3	7	1	1	2	1	2
COL	0	15	0	1	0	3	1	2	0	1	0	2	2	3	0	0	0	0	0
COR	0	3	1	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
CUB	0	18	1	2	2	2	4	1	2	2	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0
DOR	0	8	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	2	1	1	1	2	0	0	0	0	0
ECU	0	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	0	0	0	0	0
ELS	0	28	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	5	6	13	4	0	0	0	0	0
GUT	0	17	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	10	1	3	1	0	1	0	0
HAI	0	4	0	1	2	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
HON	0	16	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	5	3	4	2	2	0	0	0
MEX	0	131	1	2	3	1	4	3	9	15	13	23	32	21	3	1	0	0	0
NIC	0	10	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	2	4	3	0	0	0	0	0
PAN	0	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	3	0	0
PAR	0	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	0	0	0	1	0
PER	0	22	1	1	2	2	2	1	3	0	1	1	5	3	0	0	0	0	0
URU	0	6	0	0	0	0	2	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	1	0
USA	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR
VEN	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Total	0	461	4	12	14	21	15	19	29	36	48	64	78	83	11	10	10	5	2

**Table No.2**  
**CASES OF AFP REPORTED, RATE PER 100,000 <15 yrs.,**  
**% INVESTIGATED WITHIN 48 hrs., % WITH 1 ADEQUATE**  
**SAMPLE AND % OF SITES REPORTING WEEKLY**

SITE	Total 2007		Last 52 weeks (2008/02- 2008/53)				
	CASES	RATE	CASES	RATE	% INV. <48 hrs.	%1 Sam-ple+	% Sites Report-ing
ARG	133	1.30	136	1.33	77	73	95
BOL	22	0.60	29	0.79	97	86	76
BRA	636	1.16	512	0.94	98	73	95
CAN	33	0.59	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR
CAR	42	2.08	28	1.39	96	54	100
CHI	83	2.10	78	1.99	77	78	99
COL	149	1.17	154	1.21	89	80	80
COR	33	2.68	4	0.33	75	50	...
CUB	21	0.96	17	0.78	100	88	100
DOR	17	0.54	19	0.60	58	74	76
ECU	39	0.91	43	1.00	95	77	84
ELS	50	2.14	61	2.61	98	87	86
GUT	85	1.87	59	1.30	88	80	...
HAI	13	0.32	4	0.10	100	75	83
HON	56	1.87	62	2.07	100	97	94
MEX	485	1.54	424	1.34	98	79	77
NIC	27	1.32	17	0.83	82	71	100
PAN	11	1.10	17	1.70	94	94	92
PAR	20	1.00	21	1.05	71	81	89
PER	91	1.08	83	0.98	89	75	93
URU	12	1.47	8	0.98	25	25	80
USA	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR
VEN	58	0.69	34	0.41	100	82	88
Total§	2116	1.23	1810	1.09	93	77	86

**Table No.3**  
**CONFIRMED POLIO CASES**  
**BY WEEK OF ONSET**

**AS OF WEEK 53**

SITE	TOTAL 2007	Cumulative	
		2007	2008
ARG	0	0	0
BOL	0	0	0
BRA	0	0	0
CAN	0	0	0
CAR	0	0	0
CHI	0	0	0
COL	0	0	0
COR	0	0	0
CUB	0	0	0
DOR	0	0	0
ECU	0	0	0
ELS	0	0	0
GUT	0	0	0
HAI	0	0	0
HON	0	0	0
MEX	0	0	0
NIC	0	0	0
PAN	0	0	0
PAR	0	0	0
PER	0	0	0
URU	0	0	0
USA	0	0	0
VEN	0	0	0
Total	0	0	0

**Table No.4**  
**POLIO COMPATIBLE CASES**  
**BY WEEK OF ONSET**

**AS OF WEEK 53**

SITE	TOTAL 2007	Cumulative	
		2007	2008
ARG	0	0	0
BOL	0	0	0
BRA	0	0	0
CAN	0	0	0
CAR	0	0	0
CHI	0	0	0
COL	0	0	0
COR	0	0	0
CUB	0	0	0
DOR	0	0	0
ECU	0	0	0
ELS	0	0	0
GUT	0	0	0
HAI	0	0	0
HON	0	0	0
MEX	0	0	0
NIC	0	0	0
PAN	0	0	0
PAR	0	0	0
PER	0	0	0
URU	1	1	0
USA	0	0	0
VEN	0	0	0
Total	1	1	0

+ Taken within 14 days of onset of paralysis  
§ Excluding USA in 2007; Canada and USA in 2008

... - No data  
NR - No reporting

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