



**Trends in reported measles and rubella cases
Region of the Americas, 1982-2004***

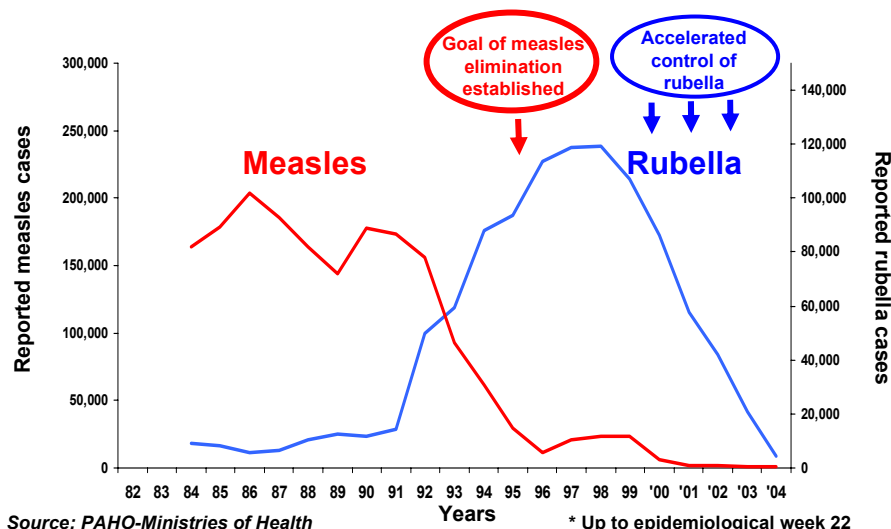


Table No. 1
Classification of Suspected Measles & Rubella Cases for the Period between Weeks 01-23, 2004

Subregion and Country	Reported Cases 2004		Measles Confirmed 2004			Measles Confirmed 2003		Year/Week of Last Confir. Case	Rubella Confirmed 2004			Diagnosis of Discarded Cases 2004	
	Total	Under Inv.	Clinic.	Lab.	Total	Weeks 1-23	Total		Clinic.	Lab.	Total	Dengue	Other
AND	BOL	429	5	0	0	0	0	00/40	0	4	4	130	290
	COL	507	3	0	0	0	0	02/39	1	5	6	6	492
	ECU	263	3	0	0	0	0	01/14	22	39	61	10	189
	PER	521	26	0	0	0	0	00/13	3	72	75	0	420
	VEN	615	41	0	0	0	0	02/47	0	18	18	60	496
BRA	BRA	5226	946	0	0	0	2*	03/49	16	45	61	1	4218
CAP	COR	19	1	0	0	0	1*	03/47	0	0	0	1	17
	ELS	85	0	0	0	0	0	01/19	0	0	0	22	63
	GUT	276	3	0	0	0	0	98/05	0	0	0	0	273
	HON	81	0	0	0	0	0	97/29	0	1	1	12	68
	NIC	143	0	0	0	0	0	94/14	0	6	6	3	134
	PAN	80	0	0	0	0	0	95/49	0	0	0	1	79
CAR	CAR	125	15	0	0	0	0	98/23	0	0	0	6	104
LAC	CUB	317	78	0	0	0	0	93/27	0	0	0	0	239
	DOR	120	0	0	0	0	0	01/23	0	4	4	0	116
	FGU	18	0	0	0	0	0		...	...	...	...	18
	GUA	...	...	...	...	...	...		...	...	...	...	...
	HAI	...	...	...	...	0	0	01/39	...	...	...	...	...
	MAR	...	...	...	...	...	...		...	...	...	...	...
	PUR	0	0	0	0	0	0		0	0	0	0	0
MEX	MEX	2991	1492	2	62	64*	9	04/18	0	10	10	0	1425
NOA	CAN	6	...	0	6	6*	8	04/22	...	...	...	...	...
	USA	27	...	0	15	15†	24	04/22	0	12	12	...	...
SOC	ARG	146	22	0	0	0	0	00/11	0	2	2	0	122
	CHI	112	9	0	0	0	1	03/19	0	1	1	0	102
	PAR	213	0	0	0	0	0	98/44	0	2	2	0	211
	URU	2	0	0	0	0	0	99/07	0	0	0	0	2
Total		12322	2644	2	83	85	42	---	42	221	263	252	9078

... No report received during 2004 * Due to importation † 5 cases imported § 11 cases imported



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Table No. 2

Measles Suspected Cases Under Investigation for the Period between Weeks 01-23, 2004

Region	Country	Pending cases from 2003	Cumulative 2004	Week of Rash Onset												Unkn.			
				1-4	5-8	9-12	13-16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23					
AND	BOL	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0				
	COL	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0				
	ECU	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	0				
	PER	0	2	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0				
	VEN	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	0				
BRA	BRA	107	98	13	4	10	18	9	12	6	7	9	10	...					
	COR	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0					
CAP	ELS	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0					
	GUT	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1					
	HON	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0					
	NIC	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0					
	PAN	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0					
	CAR	CAR	0	15	0	2	0	2	0	2	0	2	3	2		2			
		CUB	0	78	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		0			
	LAC	DOR	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		0	78		
		FGU	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		0			
		GUA	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		0			
		HAI	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		0			
		MAR	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		0			
		PUR	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		0			
		MEX	MEX	0	1492	29	70	214	333	276	233	187	128	18		4		0	
			CAN	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		0		0	
NOA		USA	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0				
		ARG	7	9	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	1	1	2	0				
	CHI	0	5	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	3					
SOC	PAR	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3				
	URU	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0					
	Total	117	1705	43	76	224	354	286	250	194	139	32	20	6		81			

... No report received

Table No. 3

Measles Surveillance Indicators for the period between Weeks 01-23, 2004

Region	Country	% Sites reporting Weekly	% Cases timely Home Visit	% Cases adequate Sample	% Lab received <=5 days	% Lab Result <=4 days	% Cases discarded by Lab	Number of active Municipalities		
AND	BOL	...	100	94	88	71	100	0		
	COL	91	55	97	69	87	98	0		
	ECU	91	46	99	85	95	99	0		
	PER	96	90	98	86	72	94	0		
	VEN	85	97	99	53	89	100	0		
BRA	BRA	92	79	67	39	49	90	0		
	COR	51	90	100	80	100	90	0		
CAP	ELS	74	27	97	92	95	100	0		
	GUT	72	99	98	85	77	93	0		
	HON	94	96	96	70	96	99	0		
	NIC	100	77	100	70	95	100	0		
	PAN	92	83	98	70	90	100	0		
	CAR	CAR	100	100	88	25	99	91	0	
		CUB	100	100	100	75	0	
	LAC	DOR	92	100	100	53	89	97	0	
		FGU	100	0	
		GUA	0	
		HAI	0	
		MAR	0	
		PUR	0	
		MEX	MEX	88	98	98	72	47	95	31
			CAN
NOA		USA	
		ARG	86	13	90	76	84	100	0	
	CHI	98	63	89	87	90	100	0		
SOC	PAR	86	73	100	87	100	100	0		
	URU	23	50	100	100	50	100	0		
	Total and Average	91	84	82	55	55	92	31		

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