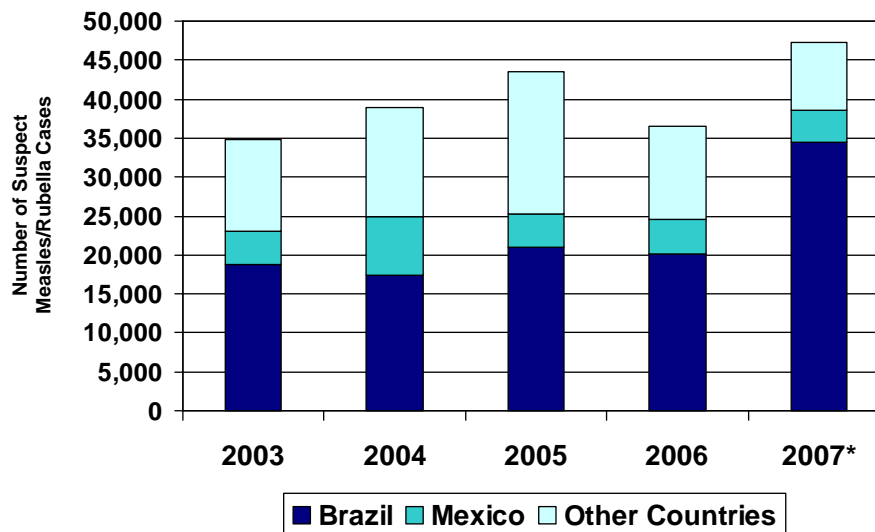




Suspect Measles/Rubella Cases Reported in Latin American and Caribbean Countries, 2003-2007*



* Provisional data.

Source: Country reports and Measles Elimination Surveillance System (MESS).

Table No.1
Classification of Suspected Measles, Rubella, and Congenital Rubella Syndrome (CRS) Cases for the Period of Weeks 01-02, 2008

Subregion and Country	Suspect Cases 2008	Measles Confirmed 2008			Year/Week Last Confr. Measles Case	Rubella Confirmed 2008			Year/Week Last Confr. Rubella Case	Diagnosis of Discarded Cases 2008		Congenital Rubella Syndrome		CRI *
		Clinic.	Lab.	Total		Clinic.	Lab.	Total		Dengue	Other	Suspect	Conf.	
AND														
BOL	5	0	0	0	00/40	0	0	0	06/03	0	4	...	...
COL	1	0	0	0	02/39	0	0	0	07/31	0	1	0	0	
ECU	3	0	0	0	01/14	0	0	0	04/45	0	2	0	0	
PER	29	0	0	0	00/13	0	0	0	06/45	0	3	...	...
VEN	...	...	...	...	07/06	...	...	...	07/34	...	...	...	...
BRA	51	0	0	0	06/48	0	1	1	08/01	0	2	0	0	
CAP	0	0	0	0	05/22	0	0	0	01/42	0	0	...	...
ELS	...	...	...	...	01/19	...	...	...	06/43	...	...	...	...
GUT	3	0	0	0	98/05	0	0	0	06/30	0	1	0	0	
HON	0	0	0	0	97/29	0	0	0	04/11	0	0	0	0	
NIC	...	...	...	...	94/14	...	...	...	04/19	...	...	...	...
PAN	3	0	0	0	95/49	0	0	0	02/48	0	2	0	0	
CAR	4	0	0	0	98/23	0	0	0	01/27	0	0	0	0	
LAC	0	0	0	0	93/27	0	0	0	04/06	0	0	0	0	
DOR	0	0	0	0	01/23	0	0	0	06/44	0	0	...	...
FGU	0	0	0	0	...	0	0	0	...	0	0	...	...
GUA	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
HAI	0	0	0	0	01/39	0	0	0	06/47	0	0	0	0	
MAR	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
PUR	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
MEX	11	0	0	0	06/49	0	0	0	07/45	0	0	0	0	
NOA	...	0	0	0	07/40	0	0	0	07/15	...	...	...	...
USA	...	0	0	0	07/47	0	0	0	07/36	...	...	...	...
SOC	3	0	0	0	00/11	0	0	0	07/50	0	0	...	...
CHI	0	0	0	0	03/19	0	0	0	08/01	0	0	4	0	
PAR	2	0	0	0	98/44	0	0	0	05/21	0	2	0	0	
URU	0	0	0	0	99/08	0	0	0	01/37	0	0	...	...
TOTAL	115	0	0	0	-	0	1	1	-	0	17	4	0	

... No report received; * Congenital rubella infection.



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Table No.2
Infection Source of Measles and Rubella Confirmed
Cases for the Period of Weeks 01-02, 2008

Subregion and Country		Measles			Rubella			
		I	IR	U	I	IR	U	IN
AND	BOL							
	COL							
	ECU							
	PER							
	VEN							
BRA	BRA						1	
CAP	COR							
	ELS							
	GUT							
	HON							
	NIC							
CAR	PAN							
	CAR							
	LAC	CUB						
	DOR							
	FGU							
GUA	GUA							
	HAI							
	MAR							
	PUR							
	MEX	MEX						
NOA	CAN							
	USA							
	ARG							
SOC	CHI							
	PAR							
	URU							
	TOTAL							1

Table No.3
Measles/Rubella Suspected Cases Under Investigation
for the Period of Weeks 01-02, 2008

Country	Pending Cases 2007	Cumulative 2008	Week of Rash Onset					
			01	02				Unkn.
BOL	8	1	0	1				
COL	17	0	0	...				
ECU	2	1	0	1				
PER	388	26	20	6				
VEN	10	...	...	...	
BRA	3707	48	48	...				
COR	78	0	0	0				
ELS	0	...	...	...	
GUT	0	2	0	2				
HON	1	0	0	0				
NIC	0	...	...	...	
PAN	1	1	0	1				
CAR	70	4	3	1				
LAC	CUB	0	0	0				
DOR	86	0	0	0				
FGU	0	0	0	0				
GUA	...	...	...	...
HAI	0	0	0	0				
MAR	...	...	...	...
PUR	...	...	...	...
MEX	511	11	7	4				
CAN	...	...	...	...
USA	...	...	...	...
ARG	3	3	2	1				
CHI	1228	0	0	0				
PAR	0	0	0	0				
URU	21	0	0	0				
TOTAL	6131	97	80	17				

I: Imported; IR: Import-related; U: Unknown; IN: Indigenous

... No report received

Table No.4
Indicators of Integrated Measles/Rubella Surveillance for the Period of Weeks 01-02, 2008

Sub-region and Country		% Sites Reporting Weekly	% Cases with Adequate Investigation	% Cases with Adequate Sample	% Lab Received ≤5 days	% Lab Result ≤4 days	% Cases Discarded by Lab	Chains of Transmission With Representative Samples for Viral Isolation	
								Measles	Rubella
AND	BOL	...	100	100	100	100	100		
	COL	100	0	100	100	100	100		
	ECU	94	100	100	100	67	100		
	PER	...	100	90	92	0	0		
	VEN	...	...	...	...	...	...
BRA	BRA	87	...	...	...	...	...
	COR	...	...	...	...	...	...
	ELS	...	...	...	...	...	...
	GUT	...	100	100	100	33	100		
	HON	91	...	...	...	...	...
CAR	NIC	...	...	...	...	...	...
	PAN	86	33	100	100	100	100		
	CAR	99	50	100	...	...	...
	LAC	CUB	97	...	...	...	...
	DOR	...	...	...	...	...	...
GUA	FGU	...	...	...	...	...	...
	GUA	...	...	...	...	...	...
	HAI	...	...	...	...	...	...
	MAR	...	...	...	...	...	...
	PUR	...	...	...	...	...	...
MEX	MEX	91	91 ^a	100	22	0	0		
NOA	CAN	...	...	...	...	...	...
	USA	...	...	...	...	...	...
	ARG	100	0	100	100	100	...		
SOC	CHI	100	...	...	...	...	...
	PAR	86	0	100	100	50	100		
	URU	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Total and Average	95	91	95	82	80	100		

... No report received; (a) Also includes information on active case-searches.