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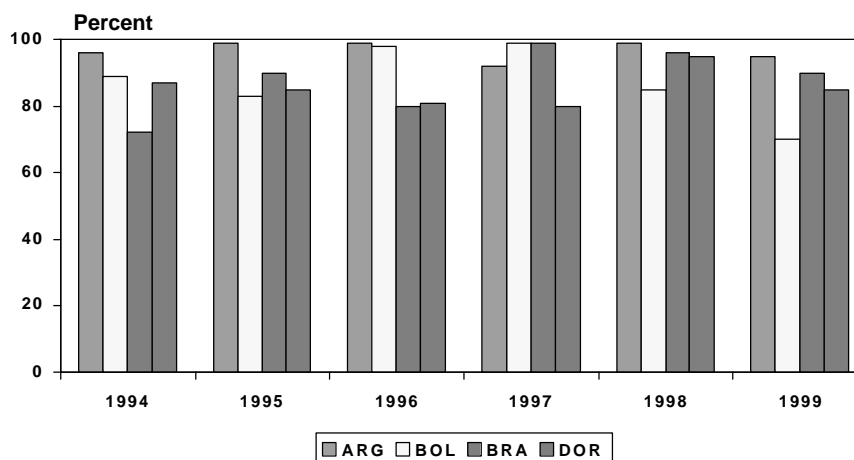


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Division of Vaccines and Immunization
Expanded Program on Immunization
Measles Surveillance in the Americas

Weekly Bulletin for the week
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Measles coverage in selected countries*, 1994-1999**



* Argentina, Bolivia, Brazil and Dominican Republic

** Provisional data

Table No. 1
 Classification of Suspected Measles & Rubella Cases
 for the period: 00/01 - 00/11

Site	Reported		Measles Confirmed			Rubella Confirmed			Discarded		Measles Confirmed Prev. Year			
	Cases	In Inv.	Clinic.	Lab.	Total	Clinic.	Lab.	Total	Dengue	Other				
AND	BOL	111	10	5	30	35	0	13	13	0	53	1,461		
	COL	115	4	0	0	0	0	19	19	1	91	37		
	ECU	167	47	0	0	0	0	43	43	0	77	0		
	PER	334	4	0	0	0	0	139	139	0	191	12		
VEN	VEN	77	12	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	63	0		
	BRA	BRA	3,255	2,040	0	14	14	32	247	279	0	922	789	
		CAP	COR	5	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	24
			ELS	70	0	0	0	0	0	7	7	8	55	0
GUT			134	52	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	82	0	
HON	78		14	0	0	0	20	5	25	2	37	0		
NIC	NIC	114	0	0	0	0	0	31	31	7	76	0		
	PAN	3	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	2	0		
	CAR	CAR	40	28	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	12	0	
		LAC	CUB	69	56	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	13	0
DOR			739	307	0	22	22	0	102	102	0	308	220	
FGU			0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
GUA	0		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		
HAI	27	2	0	17	17	0	0	0	0	0	0			
MAR	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0			
PUR	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0			
MEX	MEX	80	60	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	20	0		
	NOA	CAN	1	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	20	
USA		3	0	0	3	3	0	0	0	0	0	86		
SOC	ARG	18	8	0	4	4	0	0	0	0	6	247		
	CHI	13	5	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	7	31		
	PAR	150	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	71	74	0		
	URU	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	34		
Total		5,614	2,656	5	63	96	52	608	660	91	2,101	2,961		

... No report received

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Table No. 2
Measles Suspect Cases Under Investigation for the period: 00/01 - 00/11

Region	Country	Pending cases from 1999	Cumulative 2000	Week of Rash Onset							
				1-4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11
AND	BOL	10	10	5	...	...	1	2	2	...	...
	COL	0	4	0	1	0	0	0	1	2	0
	ECU	0	47	6	6	6	9	11	6	3	0
	PER	0	3	2	1	0	0	0	0	0	...
	VEN	0	12	0	1	1	1	2	3	2	2
BRA	BRA	120	0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	CAP										
CAR	COR	1	0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	ELS	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	...	0	...
	GUT	0	52	...	...	...	3	3	17	28	1
	HON	0	5	1	0	1	0	2	0	1	0
	NIC	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	PAN	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	LAC	CAR	0	28	19	5	4	0	...	...	...
	CUB	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	DOR	1	307	2	5	15	36	143	77	29	...
	FGU	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
MEX	GUA	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	HAI	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	MAR	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	PUR	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	NOA	MEX	0	5	2	1	2	...	...	...	...
	CAN	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	USA	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
SOC	ARG	69	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	...	...
	CHI	1	5	1	0	0	1	2	0	0	1
	PAR	0	5	0	0	5	0	0	0	0	0
	URU	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
TOTAL		201	483	38	21	34	51	165	106	65	4

... No report received through the Measles Elimination Surveillance System

Table No. 3
Measles Surveillance Indicators for the period: 00/01 - 00/11

Region	Country	% Sites Reporting Weekly	% Cases Investigated ≤48 Hours	% Cases W/Complete Inves. Form	% Cases W/Adequate Sample	% Lab. Results ≤7 Days	
AND	BOL	...	97	22	25	80	
	COL	86	85	54	99	95	
	ECU	95	95	1	16	68	
	PER	89	99	67	98	98	
	VEN	85	89	96	92	98	
BRA	BRA	...	...	...	...	...
	CAP						
CAR	COR	...	...	...	...	...
	ELS	100	89	33	100	100	
	GUT	...	88	4	60	95	
	HON	100	95	85	100	60	
	NIC	99	93	92	97	100	
	PAN	...	100	0	100	100	
	LAC	CAR	99	65	58	98	100
	CUB	0
	DOR	0	97	1	97	40	...
	FGU
MEX	GUA	...	...	...	...	...
	HAI	...	...	...	...	...
	MAR	...	...	...	...	...
	PUR	...	...	...	...	...
	NOA	MEX	95	100	50	100	25
	CAN
	USA
SOC	ARG	100	100	0	0	...	
	CHI	100	85	15	92	100	
	PAR	87	89	36	89	36	
	URU	...	...	...	...	...
TOTAL		91	94	24	81	62	

... No report received