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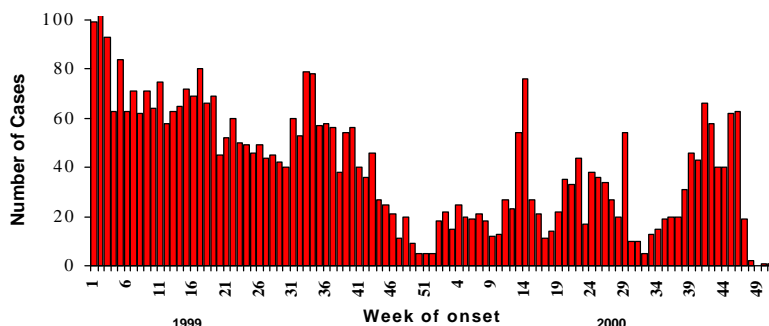


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Division of Vaccines and Immunization
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Weekly Bulletin for the week
ending 23 December 2000

Confirmed measles cases by week of onset
 Region of the Americas, 1999-2000*



Source: Country Reports

* Data as of December 23, 2000 - For 101 cases (Canada) the date of report was used instead.

Table No. 1
Classification of Suspected Measles & Rubella Cases
 for the period between weeks 01 to 51, 2000

Site		Reported Cases 2000		Measles Confirmed 2000				Measles Confirmed 1999		Rubella Confirmed 2000			Diagnosis of Discarded Cases 2000			
		Total	Under Inv.	Clinic.	Lab.	Total	Week of Last Case	Week 1-51	Total	Clinic.	Lab.	Total	Dengue	Other		
AND	BOL	1368	6	60	61	121	00/49	1420	1441	15	377	392	6	843		
	COL	1675	5	0	0	0	00/46	36	37	4	133	137	25	1508		
	ECU	1094	25	0	0	0	00/47	0	0	23	422	445	8	616		
	PER	4099	1574	0	1	1	00/48	11	12	0	1117	1117	2	1405		
VEN	VEN	1285	45	7	16	23	00/49	0	0	0	116	116	14	1087		
	BRA	BRA	48215	7238	4	33	37	00/40	714	797	3031	7884	10915	797	29138	
		CAP	COR	208	91	1	0	1	00/30	24	23	4	22	26	0	90
		ELS	618	0	0	0	0	00/47	0	0	0	52	52	37	529	
GUT		885	1	0	0	0	00/47	0	0	1	274	275	2	607		
HON	HON	563	11	0	0	0	00/48	0	0	19	178	197	50	305		
	NIC	519	0	0	0	0	00/50	0	0	0	101	101	40	378		
	PAN	118	0	0	0	0	00/45	0	0	0	0	0	7	111		
	CAR	CAR	359	58	0	0	0	00/47	0	0	0	7	7	32	262	
LAC	CUB	1846	535	0	0	0	...	0	0	0	0	0	0	1311		
	DOR	3408	152	9	207	216	00/48	206	274	15	794	809	0	2231		
	FGU	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	GUA	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
HAI	HAI	1051	4	13	832	845	00/47	0	0	0	19	19	0	206		
	MAR	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	PUR	0	0	0	0	0	...	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		
	MEX	MEX	1354	955	0	28	28	00/39	0	0	0	90	90	0	281	
NOA	CAN	206	...	...	206	206	00/51	20	20	...	...	...	...	...
	USA	79	...	...	79	79	00/48	83	83	...	151	151	...	...
SOC	ARG	681	35	0	6	6	00/47	251	251	0	16	16	0	623		
	CHI	97	15	0	0	0	00/48	29	29	0	3	3	0	79		
	PAR	763	28	0	0	0	00/47	0	0	0	71	71	75	589		
	URU	1	0	0	0	0	...	34	34	0	0	0	0	1		
Total		70492	10778	94	1469	1563		2828	3001	3112	11827	14939	1095	42200		

... No report received

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Table No. 2
Measles Suspected Cases Under Investigation for the period between weeks 01 to 51, 2000

Region	Country	Pending cases from 1999	Cumulative 2000	Week of Rash Onset																
				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	Unk	
AND	BOL	0	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	1	0	1	2	
	COL	0	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	3	
	ECU	0	23	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	22	...	...	...
	PER	0	139	1	1	2	2	4	1	6	7	26	43	30	15	0	1
	VEN	0	33	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	3	26	3	
BRA	BRA	0	1669	
	CAP	0	11	1	2	8
CAR	ELS	0	0	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	0	1	...	...	...
	HON	0	7	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	7	0	...	...
	NIC	0	0	0	0	0	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	0	0	...	...
	LAC	CAR	0	52	0	0	1	1	1	0	2	2	2	4	30	7	...	0	...	2
		CUB	0	535	
	SOC	DOR	0	118	0	1	0	2	0	0	2	0	16	62	35	...	0	0	0	
		FGU	0	0	
		GUA	0	0	
HAI		0	4	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1	1	...	...	...	1
MAR		0	0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
MEX	PUR	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	MEX	0	83	2	4	17	4	4	8	5	19	14	5	...	...	...	...	...	1
	CAN	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
NOA	USA	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	ARG	0	35	0	2	2	1	1	8	1	8	1	2	4	5	...	...	...
	CHI	0	15	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	3	11	0	0	0	0		
	PAR	0	18	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	7	11	...	...	...
	URU	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
TOTAL		0	2753	3	8	22	10	10	18	15	42	45	72	142	146	3	0	0	13	

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

Table No. 3
Measles Surveillance Indicators for the period between weeks 01 to 51, 2000

Region	Country	% Sites Reporting Weekly	% Cases Adeq. Invest.	% Cases Adeq. Sample	% Lab. Recvd. <=5 days	% Lab. Result <=4 days	Number of Active Municipalities	
AND	BOL	92	56	90	69	73	1	
	COL	87	46	97	72	79	0	
	ECU	95	45	98	81	77	0	
	PER	87	49	96	90	74	0	
	VEN	88	88	94	34	90	2	
BRA	BRA	80	47	74	52	68	1	
	CAP	...	...	...	...	...	0
	ELS	48	4	95	89	79	0	
	GUT	94	52	99	67	72	0	
	HON	88	94	99	53	82	0	
	NIC	100	67	97	59	57	0	
	PAN	87	44	91	77	71	0	
	CAR	CAR	100	57	83	36	95	0
		LAC	99	100	100	99	0	0
	SOC	DOR	46	59	97	51	36	7
FGU		...	...	...	...	...	0
GUA		...	...	...	...	...	0
HAI		...	...	20	76	50	15
MAR		...	...	...	...	...	0
PUR		...	...	...	...	...	0
MEX		MEX	91	67	91	71	18	0
		NOA	0
		USA	0
SOC		ARG	8	32	91	14	77	0
	CHI	95	72	100	60	88	0	
	PAR	84	53	91	72	57	0	
	URU	0	
Total and Average		82	57	90	64	65	26	

... No report received

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<http://www.paho.org>