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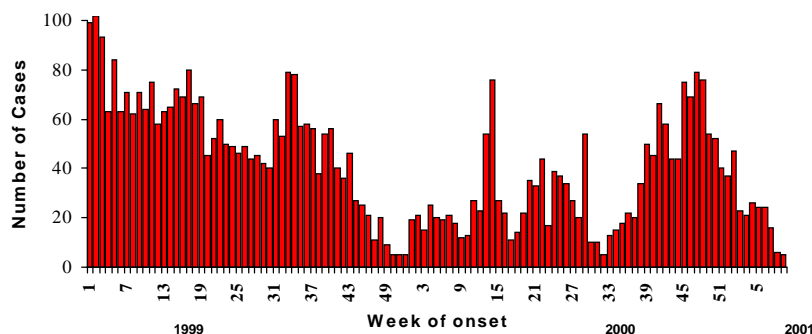


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Measles Surveillance in the Americas

Weekly Bulletin for the week
ending 3 March 2001

Confirmed measles cases by week of onset
 Region of the Americas, 1999-2001*



Source: Country Reports

* Data as of 3 March 2001.

Table No. 1
Classification of Suspected Measles & Rubella Cases
for the period between weeks 01 to 09, 2001

Subregion and Country		Reported Cases 2001		Measles Confirmed 2001		Measles Confirmed 2000		Year/Week of Last Confirmed Case	Rubella Confirmed 2001			Diagnosis of Discarded Cases 2001		
		Total	Under Inv.	Clinic.	Lab.	Total	Week 1-9		Total	Clinic.	Lab.	Total	Dengue	Other
AND	BOL	66	1	0	0	0	37	122	00/40	0	13	13	0	52
	COL	67	7	0	0	0	0	1	00/25	0	2	2	0	58
	ECU	298	12	0	0	0	0	0	96/52	15	96	111	6	169
	PER	23	23	0	0	0	0	1	00/13	0	0	0	0	0
	VEN	199	32	0	0	0	0	22	00/45	0	9	9	15	143
BRA	BRA	4419	2034	0	0	0	14	38	00/50	64	475	539	1	1845
	COR	15	8	0	0	0	0	0	00/23	0	3	3	0	4
CAP	ELS	15	0	0	0	0	0	0	96/11	0	0	0	0	15
	GUT	32	6	0	0	0	0	0	98/05	0	3	3	0	23
HON	HON	39	2	0	0	0	0	0	97/29	0	0	0	3	34
	NIC	86	0	0	0	0	0	0	94/14	0	15	15	1	70
PAN	PAN	45	10	0	0	0	0	0	99/25	0	0	0	3	32
	CAR	43	10	0	0	0	0	0	98/23	0	0	0	0	33
LAC	CUB	167	68	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	99
	DOR	204	26	0	57	57	92	246	01/09	0	0	0	0	121
	FGU	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	GUA	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	HAI	146	0	7	116	123	0	992	01/09	0	0	0	0	23
	MAR	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	PUR	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	...	0	0	0	0	0
MEX	MEX	...	...	...	...	...	0	28	00/31	...	...	...	...	...
	CAN	11	...	0	11	11	...	206	01/05	...	...	...	...	...
NOA	USA	13	...	0	13	13	12	85	01/04	0	3	3	...	...
	ARG	55	1	0	0	0	3	6	00/11	0	1	1	0	53
SOC	CHI	24	13	0	0	0	0	0	99/52	0	0	0	0	11
	PAR	22	1	0	0	0	0	0	98/44	0	2	2	0	19
	URU	1	1	0	0	0	...	...	99/03	0	0	0	0	0
Total		5990	2255	7	197	204	158	1747	---	79	622	701	29	2804

... No report received

Table No. 2
Measles Suspected Cases Under Investigation for the period between weeks 01 to 09, 2001

Region	Country	Pending cases from 2000	Cumulative 2001	Week of Rash Onset							Unknown
				1-4	5	6	7	8	9		
AND	BOL	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
	COL	0	5	1	0	2	1	1	0	0	
	ECU	0	2	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	
	PER	127	2	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	
	VEN	0	15	6	1	4	1	1	1	1	
BRA	BRA	248	591	...	...	...	...	...	...	1
CAP	COR	0	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	591
	ELS	0	0	0	0	...	...	...	...	1
CAR	GUT	0	6	...	1	1	2	2	...	...
	HON	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	2	...	
	NIC	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	...	
	PAN	0	6	0	1	0	1	4	0	...	
	LAC	CAR	0	10	1	1	0	0	4	4	...
		CUB	0	68
	DOR	19	25	4	...	3	...	9	8	1	
	FGU	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	GUA	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	HAI	2	0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
MEX	MAR	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	PUR	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	MEX	118	0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
NOA	CAN	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	USA	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
SOC	ARG	20	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	...	
	CHI	1	13	6	3	1	0	1	2	...	
	PAR	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	...	
	URU	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
TOTAL		535	748	20	8	12	7	22	17	594	

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

Table No. 3
Measles Surveillance Indicators for the period between weeks 01 to 09, 2001

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	96	84	100	66	74	0	
	COL	85	42	100	66	70	0	
	ECU	96	36	100	92	92	0	
	PER	96	0	50	0	0	0	
	VEN	91	91	99	25	88	0	
BRA	BRA	66	8	75	57	85	0	
	CAP	...	0	0	...	...	0
CAR	ELS	61	0	100	100	70	0	
	GUT	...	53	97	61	97	0	
	HON	88	100	100	38	90	0	
	NIC	99	63	99	72	82	0	
	PAN	80	41	94	69	53	0	
	LAC	CAR	95	60	79	29	97	0
		CUB	99	99	100	100	0	0
	DOR	0	53	81	56	75	17	
	FGU	...	...	...	...	...	0
	GUA	...	...	...	...	...	0
HAI	...	0	100	84	72	16		
MEX	MAR	...	...	...	...	...	0
	PUR	...	...	...	...	...	0
	MEX	...	...	...	...	...	0
NOA	CAN	...	...	...	...	...	0
	USA	...	...	...	...	...	0
SOC	ARG	90	44	95	68	94	0	
	CHI	91	75	88	73	95	0	
	PAR	82	32	86	77	86	0	
	URU	...	...	...	...	...	0
Total and Average		82	46	86	63	73	33	

... No report received