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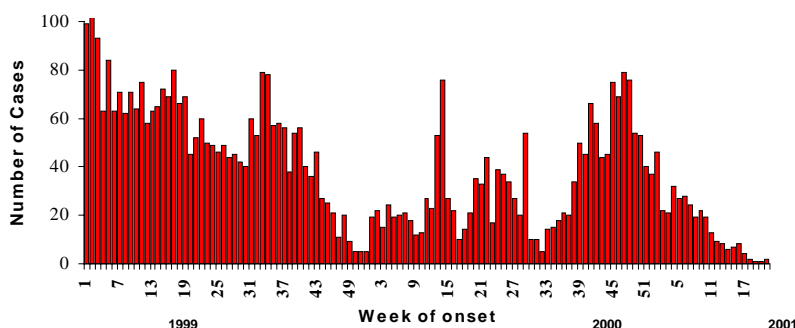


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Measles Surveillance in the Americas

Weekly Bulletin for the week
ending 26 May 2001

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



Source: Country Reports

* Data as of 26 May 2001.

Table No. 1
Classification of Suspected Measles & Rubella Cases
for the period between weeks 01 to 21, 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 1-21	Total		Clinic.	Lab.	Total	Dengue	Other
AND	BOL	197	1	0	0	0	91	122	00/40	0	33	33	0	163
	COL	352	1	0	0	0	0	1	00/25	0	14	14	0	337
	ECU	728	14	0	0	0	0	0	96/52	14	229	243	18	453
	PER	812	113	0	0	0	1	1	00/13	0	232	232	0	467
	VEN	702	70	0	0	0	0	22	00/45	0	54	54	19	559
BRA	BRA	12524	3574	0	0	0	29	36	00/50	332	1022	1354	145	7451
	CAP	COR	65	34	0	0	0	0	00/23	0	16	16	0	15
	ELS	184	0	0	2	2	0	0	01/19	0	12	12	19	151
	GUT	159	16	0	0	0	0	0	98/05	0	26	26	0	117
	HON	110	4	0	0	0	0	0	97/29	0	5	5	11	90
	NIC	215	1	0	0	0	0	0	94/14	0	22	22	23	169
	PAN	98	6	0	0	0	0	0		0	0	0	3	89
CAR	CAR	134	28	0	0	0	0	0	98/23	0	0	0	0	106
	LAC	CUB	425	194	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	231
	DOR	675	9	0	113	113	147	254	01/17	0	24	24	0	529
	FGU	...	...	...	...	...	...	...		...	...	...	...	...
	GUA	...	...	...	...	...	...	...		...	...	...	...	...
	HAI	186	0	7	139	146	177	992	01/16	0	0	0	0	40
	MAR	...	...	...	...	...	...	...		...	...	...	...	...
	PUR	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		0	0	0	0	0
MEX	MEX	29	28	0	3	3	12	28	00/31	0	0	0	0	1
	NOA	CAN	20	...	0	20	20	...	01/21	...	...	...	...	...
	USA	44	...	0	44	44	30	85	01/17	0	7	7	...	...
SOC	ARG	130	1	0	0	0	6	6	00/11	0	1	1	0	128
	CHI	42	4	0	0	0	0	0	99/52	0	0	0	0	38
	PAR	80	0	0	0	0	0	0	98/44	0	2	2	0	78
	URU	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	99/03	0	0	0	0	3
Total		17914	4098	7	321	328	493	1753	---	346	1699	2045	238	11215

... No report received

Table No. 2
Measles Suspected Cases Under Investigation for the period between weeks 01 to 21, 2001

Region	Country	Pending cases from 2000	Cumulative 2001	Week of Rash Onset									
				1-4	5-8	9-12	13-16	17	18	19	20	21	Unknown
AND	BOL	0	1	0	0	0	0	...	...	1	...	...
	COL	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	
	ECU	0	7	0	0	3	4	0	0	0	0	0	
	PER	0	5	1	1	1	2	0	0	0	...	...
	VEN	0	27	5	6	4	3	3	3	3	...	...
BRA	BRA	196	769	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
CAP	COR	0	4	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	ELS	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
	GUT	0	16	...	...	...	1	...	...	7	8	...
	HON	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	
	NIC	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
	PAN	0	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	
CAR	CAR	0	27	0	2	2	3	2	5	7	6	0	
LAC	CUB	0	194	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	DOR	4	7	...	2	1	1	...	...	1	1	1
	FGU	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	GUA	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	HAI	2	0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	MAR	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	PUR	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
MEX	MEX	85	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
NOA	CAN	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	USA	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
SOC	ARG	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
	CHI	0	4	0	0	0	0	0	1	2	1	0	
	PAR	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
	URU	0	0	...	...	0	0	...	...	...	...	...
TOTAL		287	1071	7	11	11	14	5	9	22	16	8	774

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

Table No. 3
Measles Surveillance Indicators for the period between weeks 01 to 21, 2001

Region	Country	% Sites Reporting Weekly	% Cases Adequately Investigated	% Cases Adequate Sample	% Lab. Received <= 5 days	% Lab. Result <= 4 days	% Cases Discarded by Lab	Number of Active Municipalities
AND	BOL	95	100	98	60	82	97	0
	COL	85	75	100	67	74	99	0
	ECU	98	100	85	85	98	83	0
	PER	94	100	88	98	93	82	0
	VEN	91	100	96	24	92	91	0
BRA	BRA	83	40	74	56	76	60	0
CAP	COR	...	100	0	...	...	20	0
	ELS	75	16	98	93	90	99	1
	GUT	...	99	99	65	83	90	0
	HON	88	100	99	42	90	97	0
	NIC	100	91	97	68	83	100	0
	PAN	85	84	93	63	56	94	0
CAR	CAR	99	100	75	16	96	76	0
LAC	CUB	98	100	100	100	100	0	0
	DOR	0	100	93	65	93	81	14
	FGU	...	...	...	...	...	...	0
	GUA	...	...	...	...	...	...	0
	HAI	...	0	100	84	72	8	7
	MAR	...	...	...	...	...	...	0
	PUR	...	...	...	...	...	...	0
MEX	MEX	...	...	100	0	0	0	0
NOA	CAN	...	...	...	...	...	...	4
	USA	...	...	...	...	...	...	0
SOC	ARG	95	...	97	79	82	98	0
	CHI	93	...	98	64	90	90	0
	PAR	84	...	94	71	91	97	0
	URU	53	100	100	100	75	100	0
Total and Average		87	48	77	58	79	64	26

... No report received