



**POLIO HAS BEEN ERADICATED FROM THE AMERICAS**  
The last wild poliovirus was detected on September 5 1991, in Peru

## Poliovirus Surveillance in the Americas

**Table No.1**  
**Status of Case Stool Sample Analysis**  
**Last 52 Weeks (2008/03- 2009/01)**

Lab.	Country	Total*	WITHOUT RESULTS			ENTEROVIRUS ISOLATION					
			Not yet in lab.	<28 days	>28 Days	% Isolation	Negative	Other Enterovirus	Pending	Poliovirus Vaccine	Wild
CAR	BLZ	2	0	0	0	0.0	2	0	0	0	0
	DOR	12	0	0	0	41.7	7	3	0	2	0
	GUY	10	1	0	0	0.0	9	0	0	0	0
	HAI	2	0	0	0	0.0	2	0	0	0	0
	HON	61	6	0	1	16.7	45	9	0	0	0
	JAM	8	1	0	0	0.0	7	0	0	0	0
	NIC	4	0	0	0	0.0	4	0	0	0	0
	PAN	11	0	0	0	9.1	10	1	0	0	0
SUR	5	1	0	0	25.0	3	1	0	0	0	
CDC	ELS	33	0	0	0	39.4	20	13	0	0	0
	GUT	40	0	0	0	22.5	31	9	0	0	0
FIO	BRA	366	134	0	9	10.8	199	20	0	4	0
	PER	73	9	0	2	9.7	56	6	0	0	0
IEC	BRA	93	15	1	5	15.3	61	10	0	1	0
INDRE	MEX	362	0	0	25	14.8	287	48	0	2	0
INH	VEN	29	0	0	0	6.9	27	2	0	0	0
INS	COL	130	0	0	0	13.8	112	15	0	3	0
	COR	2	0	0	1	0.0	1	0	0	0	0
	ECU	40	2	0	0	10.5	34	4	0	0	0
IPK	CUB	17	17	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0
ISP	CHI	69	0	3	1	7.7	60	5	0	0	0
MAL	ARG	126	0	0	4	16.4	102	6	0	14	0
	BOL	27	2	0	0	8.0	23	2	0	0	0
	PAR	21	7	0	0	7.1	13	1	0	0	0
	URU	2	0	0	0	50.0	1	1	0	0	0
TOTAL		1545	195	4	48	14.0	1116	156	0	26	0

\* Each sample relates to an individual

Case samples only

**Table No.2**  
**Status of Poliovirus Pending Intratypic Differentiation**  
**Last 52 Weeks (2008/03- 2009/01)**

LAB	COUNTRY	POLIOVIRUS												TOTAL
		NOT YET IN LAB				IN LAB < 4 Weeks				IN LAB > 4 Weeks				
		P1	P2	P3	MIX	P1	P2	P3	MIX	P1	P2	P3	MIX	
TOTAL		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

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# Acute Flaccid Paralysis Surveillance

**Table No.1  
CASES OF ACUTE FLACCID PARALYSIS UNDER INVESTIGATION  
BY WEEK OF REPORT**

SITE	Total	Cum.	Week
	2008	2009	1
ARG	6	0	0
BOL	2	0	0
BRA	133	0	0
CAN	NR	NR	NR
CAR	8	0	0
CHI	19	2	2
COL	30	3	3
COR	3	0	0
CUB	19	0	0
DOR	8	0	0
ECU	0	0	0
ELS	28	0	0
GUT	18	0	0
HAI	4	0	0
HON	11	0	0
MEX	132	1	1
NIC	10	1	1
PAN	4	0	0
PAR	5	2	2
PER	23	0	0
URU	6	0	0
USA	NR	NR	NR
VEN	1	0	0
Total	470	9	9

**Table No.2  
CASES OF AFP REPORTED, RATE PER 100,000 <15 yrs.,  
% INVESTIGATED WITHIN 48 hrs., % WITH 1 ADEQUATE  
SAMPLE AND % OF SITES REPORTING WEEKLY**

SITE	Total 2008		Last 52 weeks (2008/03- 2009/01)				
	CASES	RATE	CASES	RATE	% INV. <48 hrs.	%1 Sam-ple+	% Sites Report-ing
ARG	139	1.36	133	1.30	77	72	95
BOL	29	0.79	27	0.74	96	85	76
BRA	517	0.95	504	0.92	98	73	94
CAN	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR
CAR	29	1.44	27	1.34	96	56	100
CHI	83	2.12	81	2.07	78	77	99
COL	181	1.43	172	1.36	91	72	78
COR	4	0.33	3	0.24	67	33	...
CUB	19	0.87	18	0.83	100	89	100
DOR	19	0.60	19	0.60	58	74	76
ECU	43	1.00	43	1.00	95	77	84
ELS	61	2.61	61	2.61	98	87	86
GUT	61	1.34	59	1.30	88	80	...
HAI	4	0.10	4	0.10	100	75	85
HON	65	2.17	62	2.07	98	95	94
MEX	443	1.40	419	1.33	98	78	93
NIC	18	0.88	18	0.88	83	72	100
PAN	18	1.80	15	1.50	93	93	92
PAR	22	1.10	21	1.05	76	81	89
PER	91	1.08	84	0.99	88	75	93
URU	8	0.98	8	0.98	25	25	80
USA	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR
VEN	36	0.43	33	0.39	100	82	89
Total§	1890	1.14	1811	1.09	93	76	90

**Table No.3  
CONFIRMED POLIO CASES  
BY WEEK OF ONSET**

**AS OF WEEK 1**

SITE	TOTAL 2008	Cumulative	
		2008	2009
ARG	0	0	0
BOL	0	0	0
BRA	0	0	0
CAN	0	0	0
CAR	0	0	0
CHI	0	0	0
COL	0	0	0
COR	0	0	0
CUB	0	0	0
DOR	0	0	0
ECU	0	0	0
ELS	0	0	0
GUT	0	0	0
HAI	0	0	0
HON	0	0	0
MEX	0	0	0
NIC	0	0	0
PAN	0	0	0
PAR	0	0	0
PER	0	0	0
URU	0	0	0
USA	0	0	0
VEN	0	0	0
Total	0	0	0

**Table No.4  
POLIO COMPATIBLE CASES  
BY WEEK OF ONSET**

**AS OF WEEK 1**

SITE	TOTAL 2008	Cumulative	
		2008	2009
ARG	0	0	0
BOL	0	0	0
BRA	0	0	0
CAN	0	0	0
CAR	0	0	0
CHI	0	0	0
COL	0	0	0
COR	0	0	0
CUB	0	0	0
DOR	0	0	0
ECU	0	0	0
ELS	0	0	0
GUT	0	0	0
HAI	0	0	0
HON	0	0	0
MEX	0	0	0
NIC	0	0	0
PAN	0	0	0
PAR	0	0	0
PER	0	0	0
URU	0	0	0
USA	0	0	0
VEN	0	0	0
Total	0	0	0

+ Taken within 14 days of onset of paralysis  
§ Excluding Canada and USA

... - No data  
NR - No reporting

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