



Regional update *Influenza A (H1N1)*

(31 May 2009 – 23 h GMT; 18 h EST)

The data and information are updated daily and are available at:
http://new.paho.org/hq/index.php?option=com_frontpage&Itemid=1&lang=en Data can change as new notifications from countries are received.

The information is obtained from official websites of the Ministries of Health of the countries of the Americas and information submitted by the International Health Regulations (IHR) National Focal Points.

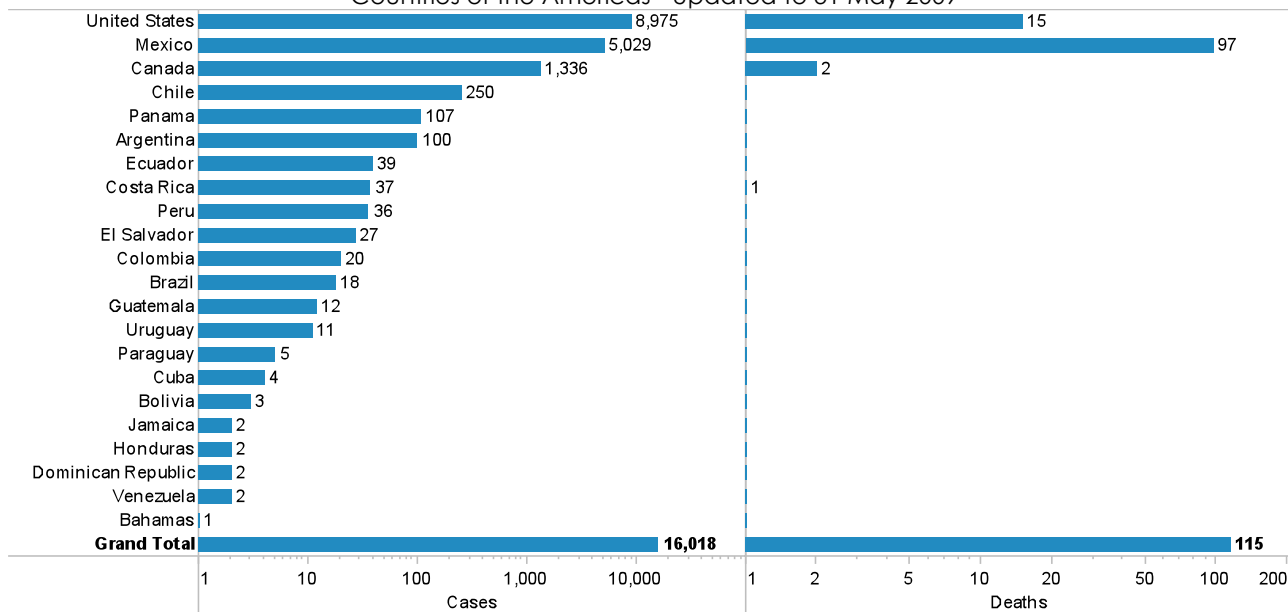
Summary of the current situation

Up to 31 May 2009, **16,018 confirmed cases** of the new virus influenza A (H1N1) infection, including **115 deaths**, have been notified in **22 countries** of the Americas: Argentina, Bahamas, Bolivia, Brazil, Canada, Chile, Colombia, Costa Rica, Cuba, Dominican Republic, Ecuador, El Salvador, Guatemala, Honduras, **Jamaica**, Mexico, Paraguay, Panama, Peru, United States, Uruguay and Venezuela. **(Figure 1)**

In the Americas Region, there were **71 confirmed cases** more than the previous day. No new deaths were notified. **Jamaica** confirmed its first two cases of influenza A (H1N1).

WHO is not recommending any travel restrictions related to the outbreak of the *Influenza A (H1N1)* virus.

Figure 1. Number of confirmed cases and deaths by the new virus *Influenza A (H1N1)*
 Countries of the Americas - Updated to 31 May 2009



Source: Ministries of Health of the countries of the Americas.

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