



Acute Flaccid Paralysis Surveillance in the Americas

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Table No.1
Expected and reported AFP cases, 2025

Sub Region	Country	Population <15 years*	Expected AFP cases	Reported AFP cases 2025/38
AND	BOL	3,704,134	37	10
	COL	10,681,345	107	111
	ECU	4,371,097	44	42
	PER	8,164,957	82	71
	VEN	7,105,268	71	57
BRA	BRA	41,257,135	413	248
CAP	CRI	943,432	9	10
	GTM	5,798,095	58	35
	HND	3,330,662	33	41
	NIC	1,984,009	20	8
	PAN	1,121,137	11	11
	SLV	1,552,182	16	22
CAR	CAR	1,798,300	18	6
LAC	CUB	1,643,180	16	0
	DOM	3,018,262	30	9
	HTI	3,665,536	37	15
MEX	MEX	31,787,408	318	357
NOA	CAN	6,011,106	60	7
	USA	59,380,834	594	NR
SOC	ARG	9,635,993	96	0
	CHL	3,286,221	33	14
	PRY	1,989,694	20	24
	URY	605,759	6	0
Total		212,835,746	2129	1098

Table No.2
AFP cases under investigation (All ages)

Country	Total 2024	Cum. 2025	Week									
			1-30	31	32	33	34	35	36	37	38	
BOL	0	15	15	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
COL	0	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	3	
ECU	0	13	3	2	0	1	2	0	2	3	0	
PER	20	17	8	1	2	1	3	0	2	...	...	
VEN	0	57	57	0	0	0	0	0	0	...	...	
BRA	1	52	38	2	2	4	1	1	0	1	3	
CRI	0	10	10	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
GTM	0	17	16	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	
HND	0	26	21	0	1	2	1	0	0	0	1	
NIC	0	4	4	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
PAN	0	10	10	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
SLV	5	6	2	0	0	2	1	0	0	0	1	
CAR	0	3	2	0	0	1	0	0	0	...	...	
CUB	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
DOM	0	6	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	...	...	
HTI	20	15	13	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	
MEX	0	16	3	1	1	4	4	1	0	0	2	
CAN	0	0	0	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	...	
USA	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR	
ARG	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
CHL	0	3	3	0	0	0	0	...	...	...	...	
PRY	0	4	1	0	0	1	1	0	1	0	0	
URY	4	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
Total	51	278	212	6	7	16	13	4	5	5	10	

* 2025 UN, World Population Prospects rev.2024, Online Edition NR - Not Reporting ... - No data Received

Table No.3 Confirmed and compatible polio cases, and AFP surveillance indicators, 2025 and 2024

Sub Region	Country	Polio 2025		AFP Cases and indicators, last 52 weeks (2024/39 - 2025/38)					Polio 2024		AFP Cases and indicators, 2024 (2024/1 - 2024/52)				
		Confirmed	Compatible	Cases	Rate	% Inv. <48 hrs.	% Adeq. spec.*	% Sites reporting	Confirmed	Compatible	Cases	Rate	% Inv. <48 hrs.	% Adeq. spec.*	% Sites reporting
AND	BOL	0	0	22	0.59	95	77	...	0	0	46	1.24	98	83	...
	COL	0	0	136	1.27	87	90	98	0	0	116	1.08	84	92	99
	ECU	0	0	49	1.10	49	55	...	0	0	53	1.19	98	81	...
	PER	0	0	95	1.16	85	72	5	0	0	100	1.22	87	68	3
	VEN	0	0	94	1.30	99	91	...	0	0	105	1.45	99	90	...
BRA	BRA	0	0	348	0.83	99	66	...	0	0	490	1.18	98	69	...
CAP	CRI	0	0	23	2.38	100	83	...	0	0	29	3.01	100	93	...
	GTM	0	0	50	0.86	96	78	74	0	0	74	1.27	99	51	71
	HND	0	0	48	1.44	81	79	84	0	0	37	1.12	86	89	78
	NIC	0	0	11	0.55	91	73	0	0	0	24	1.21	92	88	0
	PAN	0	0	16	1.42	81	69	92	0	0	25	2.22	80	60	90
	SLV	0	0	25	1.59	96	72	79	0	0	28	1.78	96	100	78
CAR	CAR	0	0	7	0.39	29	43	51	0	0	9	0.50	11	56	56
LAC	CUB	0	0	5	0.30	80	80	100	0	0	26	1.55	96	88	100
	DOM	0	0	12	0.40	58	75	...	0	0	24	0.79	38	71	...
	HTI	0	0	19	0.52	95	32	94	0	0	16	0.44	88	44	96
MEX	MEX	0	0	512	1.60	98	82	91	0	0	716	2.23	99	86	95
NOA	CAN	0	0	18	0.30	...	22	...	0	0	45	0.75	...	24	...
	USA	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR
SOC	ARG	0	0	8	0.08	13	75	...	0	0	113	1.14	5	60	...
	CHL	0	0	37	1.10	86	65	69	0	0	78	2.33	88	58	71
	PRY	0	0	33	1.66	91	91	98	0	0	33	1.67	91	91	98
	URY	0	0	0	...	...	...	...	0	0	2	0.32	100	...	...
Total		0	0	1568	1.02	92	76	...	0	0	2189	1.41	88	76	...

+ Taken within 14 days of onset of paralysis

NR - Not reporting

... - No data

CAR includes reports from all CARPHA member countries

Only data for AFP cases in children < 15 years shown on Table 1 and 3

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Table No.1
Virus isolation results and indicators, last 52 weeks
Epidemiological weeks 2024/39 - 2025/38

Lab.	Country	Number of specimens from AFP cases	Virus Isolation Test												
			Pending results			With results						% Positive specimens for NPEV	Timing of isolation results		
			Not yet in lab.	Received ≤14 Days	Received >14 Days	Only poliovirus	Poliovirus & NPEV	Only NPEV	Negative	Others	Inadequate		Total specimens with results	Total with reception & result dates	% Results ≤ 14 days
CAR	BLZ	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	1	100
	BOL	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	HND	3	2	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	1	100
	HTI	24	14	0	0	0	0	0	10	0	0	0	10	10	0
	NIC	12	5	0	0	0	0	0	7	0	0	0	7	7	100
	PAN	14	9	0	0	0	0	1	4	0	0	20	5	5	60
	TTO	3	1	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	2	2	25
CDC	BOL	38	28	0	0	0	0	0	10	0	0	0	10	10	100
	CRI	21	2	0	5	0	0	0	14	0	0	0	14	12	46
	DOM	6	0	0	0	0	0	2	4	0	0	33	6	6	100
	GTM	49	10	0	3	0	0	0	36	0	0	0	36	35	76
	HND	33	4	0	0	0	0	1	28	0	0	3	29	29	86
	PRY	26	0	0	0	0	0	1	25	0	0	4	26	26	100
	SLV	20	0	0	5	0	0	0	15	0	0	0	15	15	0
FIO	BRA	244	6	0	5	0	0	4	229	0	0	2	233	232	73
	PER	71	0	0	0	0	0	0	71	0	0	0	71	71	67
IEC	BRA	43	4	0	2	1	0	1	35	0	0	5	37	35	71
INDRE	MEX	445	0	10	1	0	0	40	394	0	0	9	434	434	99
INH	VEN	91	37	0	4	0	0	4	46	0	0	8	50	50	94
INS	COL	136	4	4	0	0	0	10	118	0	0	8	128	128	96
INS	ECU	38	1	0	0	0	0	0	37	0	0	0	37	35	50
IPK	CUB	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	5	0	0	0	5	5	100
	PER	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	1	
ISP	ARG	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	1	100
	CHL	28	0	0	0	0	0	0	28	0	0	0	28	28	59
MAL	ARG	7	0	0	0	0	0	0	7	0	0	0	7	7	90
(no lab. name)	BOL	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	CAN	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	5	0	0	0	5	0	0
	CRI	2	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	1	100
	DOM	5	4	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	0
	HND	15	14	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	1	0
	JAM	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	1	100
	PER	13	13	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	PRY	8	8	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Total		1411	169	14	25	1	0	64	1138	0	0	5	1203	1189	84

... No data

Only stool specimens from AFP cases < 15 years shown

Table No.2
Status of Intratypic Differentiation (ITD) testing for specimens with isolated poliovirus, last 52 weeks
Epidemiological weeks 2024/39 - 2025/38

Lab.	Country	Number of poliovirus Isolated	Poliovirus Intratypic Differentiation Results									ITD Indicators					
			Sabin			VDPV			Wild			Pending ITD results	Number of specimens with ITD results	ITD Results w/ reception or detection and results dates	% ITD results ≤ 7 days of reception or detection	% ITD results ≤ 45 days of onset of paralysis	% ITD results ≤ 60 days of onset of paralysis
			P1	P2	P3	P1	P2	P3	P1	P2	P3						
IEC	BRA	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	100	100	100
Total		1	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	100	100	100