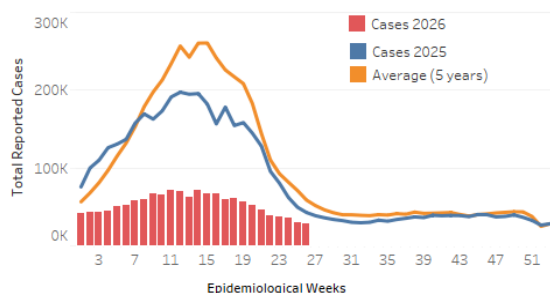


Report on the epidemiological situation of dengue in endemic countries of the Americas

As of epidemiological week 26, 2026. Update: Jul 23 2026 11:14AM (GTM-5)

In the epidemiological week (EW) 26 of 2026, a total of 1,373,756 suspected cases of dengue were reported, resulting in a cumulative incidence of 133 cases por 100,000 population. This represents a decrease of 61% compared to the same period in 2025 and 67% compared to the average of the last 5 years. Figure 1 shows the trend of suspected dengue cases as of EW 26.

Figure 1. Suspected dengue cases as of EW 26 in 2026, 2025 and average of the last 5 years. Region of the Americas.



Source. Health Information Platform for the Americas (PLISA). Data reported by the Ministries and Institutes of Health of the countries and territories of the Region.

Out of the 1,373,756 reported dengue cases in the Region, 396,500 cases (28%) were laboratory-confirmed, and 2,578 (0.2%) were classified as severe dengue. A total of 388 deaths have been recorded, resulting in a case fatality rate (CFR) of 0.028%.

16 countries and territories within the region reported dengue cases in epidemiological week (EW) 26, accounting for 28,925 new suspected cases. Of these, 64 were classified as severe dengue (0.2%), and 15 deaths reported, yielding a case fatality rate of 0.052%. The distribution of cases by country is detailed in Table 1.

Indicators corresponding to EW 26, 2026

- 28,925 suspected cases
- 6,356 lab confirmed cases (22.0%)
- 64 severe dengue cases
- 15 deaths
- 0.052% case fatality rate (CFR)
- 16 countries reporting cases

Indicators as of weeks 1 - 26, 2026

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- 0.028% case fatality rate (CFR)
- 44 countries reporting cases

Table 1. Dengue cases by countries and territories of the Americas reporting to PAHO in EW 26, 2026.

Country	Cumulative Cases	Cases for the Week
Argentina	55	0
Barbados	26	0
Bolivia	51,360	163
Brazil	1,091,806	20,479
Colombia	56,797	2,359
Ecuador	20,978	1,135
El Salvador	2,460	107
Grenada	88	3
Guatemala	15,679	135
Honduras	5,167	632
Mexico	31,800	1,823
Peru	34,820	1,816
Saint Lucia	6	0
Saint Vincent and the Gre..	3	0
Venezuela	8,273	273
Virgin Islands (US)	0	0
Total	1,319,318	28,925

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Analysis by subregion

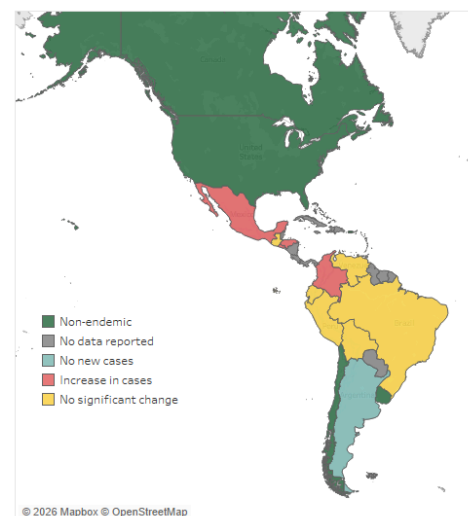
Central America and Mexico Sub-region. A total of 2,697 new suspected dengue cases were registered in EW 26. As of this week, the subregion exhibits an decrease of 43% compared to the same week in 2025 and 51% compared to the average of the last five years (Figure 3). The cases reported this week by Honduras represent an increase of 163%, México of 29% compared to the previous four epidemiological weeks (Figure 2).

Caribbean Sub-region. 3 new suspected dengue cases were registered in EW 26. As of this week, the subregion exhibits an decrease of 63% compared to the same week in 2025 and 67% compared to the average of the last five years (Figure 4).

Andean Sub-region. In EW 26, 5,746 new suspected dengue cases were registered. As of this week, the subregion exhibits an decrease of 11% compared to the same week in 2025 and 27% compared to the average of the last five years (Figure 5). The cases reported this week by Colombia represent an increase of 12% compared to the previous four epidemiological weeks (Figure 2).

Southern Cone Sub-region. 20,479 new suspected dengue cases were reported in EW 26. As of this week, the subregion exhibits an decrease of 66% compared to the same week in 2025 and 71% compared to the average of the last five years (Figure 6).

Figure 2. Countries with an increase or decrease in dengue cases in EW 26, compared to the average of the last four weeks of 2026.



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