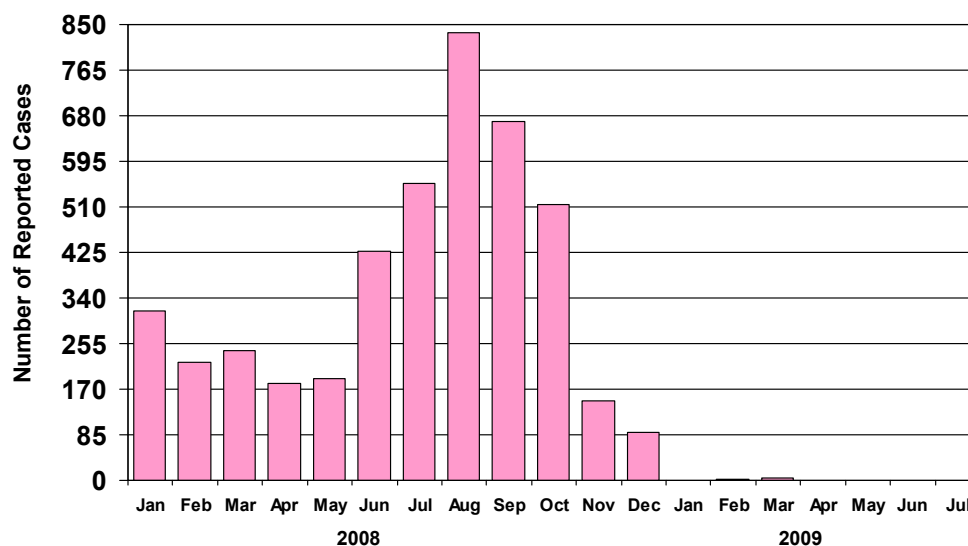




**Confirmed Rubella Cases by Month, The Americas, 2008–2009\***



\*Data as of epidemiological week 28, 2009; provisional 2008 data for Brazil and Mexico.

Source: Country reports to FCH/IM, PAHO.

**Table No.1**  
**Classification of Suspect Measles, Rubella, and Congenital Rubella Syndrome (CRS) Cases for the Period of Weeks 01-28, 2009**

Subregion and Country	Suspect Cases 2009	Measles Confirmed 2009			Year/Week Last Confr. Measles Case	Rubella Confirmed 2009			Year/Week Last Confr. Rubella Case	Diagnosis of Discarded Cases 2009		Congenital Rubella Syndrome		CRI *	
		Clinic.	Lab.	Total		Clinic.	Lab.	Total		Dengue	Other	Suspect	Conf.		
AND	BOL	113	0	0	0	00/40	0	0	0	06/03	0	112	2	...	3
	COL	348	0	0	0	02/39	0	0	0	07/31	1	327	47	...	
	ECU	360	0	0	0	08/21	0	0	0	04/45	58	296	0	0	
	PER	432	0	0	0	08/18	0	0	0	06/45	4	401	...	...	
	VEN	240	0	0	0	07/06	0	0	0	07/34	7	231	...	...	
BRA	BRA	5180	0	0	0	06/48	0	0	0	08/53	252	3901	45	3	
CAP	COR	1	...	...	...	05/22	...	...	...	01/42	0	0	...	...	
	ELS	110	0	0	0	01/19	0	0	0	06/30	2	108	...	...	
	GUT	140	0	0	0	98/05	0	0	0	06/30	0	131	5	0	
	HON	61	0	0	0	97/29	0	0	0	04/11	10	51	30	0	
	NIC	68	0	0	0	94/14	0	0	0	04/19	0	66	0	0	
	PAN	36	0	0	0	95/49	0	0	0	02/48	1	35	1	0	
CAR	CAR	254	0	0	0	08/26	0	0	0	08/18	2	245	0	0	
LAC	CUB	352	0	0	0	93/27	0	0	0	04/06	0	343	0	0	
	DOR	54	0	0	0	01/23	0	0	0	06/44	1	53	...	...	
	FGU	7	0	0	0	...	0	0	0	...	7	0	...	...	
	GUA	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
	HAI	2	0	0	0	01/39	0	0	0	06/47	0	0	1	0	
	MAR	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
	PUR	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
MEX	MEX	1918	0	0	0	06/49	0	0	0	08/20	0	1257	0	0	
NOA	CAN	...	0	13	13 <sup>a</sup>	09/25	0	3	3 <sup>a</sup>	09/19	...	...	...	...	
	USA	...	0	45	45 <sup>a</sup>	09/23	0	2	2 <sup>a</sup>	08/47	...	...	...	...	
SOC	ARG	114	0	3	3 <sup>a</sup>	09/15	0	3	3 <sup>a</sup>	09/04	5	101	5	2	
	CHI	73	0	1	1 <sup>a</sup>	09/07	0	0	0	08/30	0	38	87	0	
	PAR	231	0	0	0	98/44	0	0	0	05/21	17	214	2	0	
	URU	2	0	0	0	99/08	0	0	0	01/37	0	2	...	...	
TOTAL		10096	0	62	62	-	0	8	8	-	367	7912	225	5	3

... No report received; \* Congenital rubella infection; (a) See Table 2 for infection source.



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**Table No.2**  
Infection Source of Measles and Rubella Confirmed Cases for the Period of Weeks 01-28, 2009

Subregion and Country		Measles			Rubella			
		I	IR	U	I	IR	U	IN
AND	BOL							
	COL							
	ECU							
	PER							
	VEN							
BRA	BRA							
	CAP							
	COR							
	ELS							
	GUT							
CAR	HON							
	LAC							
	NIC							
	PAN							
	CAR							
LAC	CUB							
	DOR							
	FGU							
	GUA							
	HAI							
MEX	MAR							
	PUR							
	MEX							
	NOA	3	10		1	1	1	
	CAN	17	18	10			2	
SOC	USA							
	ARG	1	2					
	CHI	1						
	PAR							
	URU							
TOTAL		22	30	10	1	1	3	

**Table No.3**  
Measles/Rubella Suspect Cases Under Investigation for the Period of Weeks 01-28, 2009

Country	Pending Cases 2008	Cumulative 2009	Week of Rash Onset						
			1-23	24	25	26	27	28	Unkn.
BOL	0	1	1	0	0	0	...	...	
COL	0	20	16	0	1	2	0	0	1
ECU	0	6	5	0	0	1	0	0	
PER	0	27	14	4	4	1	4	...	
VEN	0	2	2	0	0	0	0	0	
BRA	664	1027	824	62	51	51	39	...	
COR	23	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1
ELS	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
GUT	1	9	6	0	1	1	1	0	
HON	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
NIC	0	1	1	0	...	...	...	...	
PAN	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
CAR	0	7	4	1	2	0	0	0	
CUB	0	9	0	9	0	...	...	...	
DOR	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	...	
FGU	0	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	
GUA	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
HAI	0	2	2	...	...	...	...	...	
MAR	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
PUR	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
MEX	0	658	623	7	20	6	2	0	
CAN	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
USA	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
ARG	0	2	1	0	0	1	0	0	
CHI	0	34	33	0	0	0	0	1	
PAR	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
URU	0	0	0	0	...	...	...	...	
TOTAL	689	1805	1532	83	79	63	46	1	2

I: Imported; IR: Import-related; U: Unknown; IN: Indigenous

... No report received

**Table No.4**  
Indicators of Integrated Measles/Rubella Surveillance for the Period of Weeks 01-28, 2009

Sub-region and Country		% Sites Reporting Weekly	% Cases with Adequate Investigation	% Cases with Adequate Sample	% Lab Received ≤5 days	% Lab Result ≤4 days	% Cases Discarded by Lab	Chains of Transmission With Representative Samples for Viral Isolation		
								Measles	Rubella	
AND	BOL	79	99	100	70	77	100			
	COL	64	67	94	86	93	100			
	ECU	86	66	98	91	92	98			
	PER	95	94	99	65	82	94			
	VEN	0	48	95	72	70	99			
BRA	BRA	74	42	49	...	...	98			
	CAP	...	...	0	0	0	...			
	COR	...	...	0	0	0	...			
	ELS	85	88	99	90	82	99			
	GUT	...	22	95	97	65	96			
CAR	HON	93	97	90	70	95	100			
	LAC	NIC	100	80	94	96	93	98		
	PAN	86	89	97	86	89	100			
	CAR	99	67	97	36	97	98			
	LAC	CUB	100	100	100	100	100	100		
LAC	DOR	84	48	96	69	38	96			
	FGU	...	...	...	...	...	...			
	GUA	...	...	...	...	...	...			
	HAI	100	0	100	50	50	...			
	MAR	...	...	...	...	...	...			
MEX	PUR	...	...	...	...	...	...			
	MEX	93	99	98	82	86	100			
	NOA	CAN	...	...	...	...	...			
	USA	...	...	...	...	...	...			
	SOC	ARG	75	80	100	82	97	100		
SOC	CHI	100	0	74	70	85	92			
	PAR	89	67	99	89	100	100			
	URU	81	50	50	100	0	50			
	Total and Average		85	62	72	80	87	98		

... No report received.