

Acute Flaccid Paralysis Surveillance in the Americas

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Table No.1

Expected and reported AFP cases, 2022

Sub Region	Country	Population <15 years+	Expected AFP cases	Reported AFP cases 2022/29
AND	BOL	3,530,417	35	8
	COL	11,121,585	111	75
	ECU	4,880,846	49	13
	PER	8,247,308	82	21
	VEN	7,603,501	76	53
BRA	BRA	43,505,408	435	215
CAP	CRI	1,053,428	11	4
	GTM	6,033,767	60	35
	HND	3,026,923	30	21
	NIC	1,946,204	19	15
	PAN	1,156,102	12	9
	SLV	1,704,629	17	14
CAR	CAR	1,798,300	18	0
LAC	CUB	1,766,424	18	9
	DOM	2,973,499	30	4
	HTI	3,707,407	37	4
MEX	MEX	33,108,878	331	312
NOA	CAN	6,016,679	60	2
	USA	60,604,372	606	NR
SOC	ARG	11,095,716	111	0
	CHL	3,626,085	36	28
	PRY	2,070,528	21	20
	URY	703,696	7	0
Total		221,281,702	2212	862

Table No.2

AFP cases under investigation (All ages)

Country	Total 2021	Cumm. 2022	Week										
			1-21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29		
BOL	0	8	7	1	0	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	...
COL	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	1	0	0
ECU	2	10	9	0	1	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	...
PER	1	19	18	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	...
VEN	1	22	17	1	2	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
BRA	0	69	37	10	7	5	9	1	0	0	0	0	...
CRI	0	3	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	...	...	...
GTM	10	19	4	2	5	1	4	2	1	0	0	0	0
HND	1	9	5	2	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0
NIC	0	9	1	0	1	0	1	3	3	0	0	0	0
PAN	0	6	4	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
SLV	0	5	2	0	0	1	1	1	0	0	0	0	0
CAR	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
CUB	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	...
DOM	1	4	2	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0
HTI	11	4	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
MEX	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0
CAN	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
USA	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR
ARG	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
CHL	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
PRY	0	11	2	1	1	3	2	1	1	0	0	0	0
URY	0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Total	28	203	115	17	20	14	17	11	7	2	0	0	0

* 2022 UN population estimated Rev.2019 NR - No reporting ... - No data

Table No.3 Confirmed and compatible polio cases, and AFP surveillance indicators, 2022 and 2021

Sub Region	Country	Polio 2022		AFP Cases and indicators, last 52 weeks (2021/30 - 2022/29)					Polio 2021		AFP Cases and indicators, 2021 (2021/1 - 2021/52)				
		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	15	0.42	100	80	...	0	0	18	0.51	100	89	...
	COL	0	0	152	1.35	77	90	94	0	0	133	1.19	72	87	33
	ECU	0	0	31	0.64	81	61	...	0	0	30	0.62	73	53	...
	PER	0	0	35	0.42	57	54	6	0	0	35	0.43	40	51	5
	VEN	0	0	103	1.35	100	83	...	0	7	105	1.38	99	75	...
BRA	BRA	0	0	340	0.78	99	61	88	0	0	285	0.65	99	58	91
CAP	CRI	0	0	9	0.85	78	78	100	0	0	10	0.95	70	80	100
	GTM	0	0	57	0.94	100	68	83	0	0	48	0.80	100	56	93
	HND	0	0	43	1.42	72	88	87	0	0	46	1.52	74	89	92
	NIC	0	0	22	1.13	86	86	...	0	0	13	0.67	92	92	...
	PAN	0	0	16	1.38	44	75	...	0	0	10	0.87	60	80	90
	SLV	0	0	27	1.57	67	100	12	0	0	26	1.52	62	92	6
CAR	CAR	0	0	1	0.06	...	...	60	0	0	3	0.17	...	67	59
LAC	CUB	0	0	20	1.12	55	90	100	0	0	19	1.07	95	84	85
	DOM	0	0	9	0.30	...	...	...	0	0	5	0.17	...	...	...
	HTI	0	0	9	0.24	100	56	95	0	0	10	0.27	80	60	94
MEX	MEX	0	0	565	1.70	100	84	20	0	0	517	1.56	99	81	23
NOA	CAN	0	0	6	0.10	...	...	...	0	0	8	0.13	...	...	...
SOC	USA	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR
	ARG	0	0	58	0.52	...	41	...	0	0	110	0.99	...	43	...
	CHL	0	0	45	1.23	89	73	70	0	0	47	1.29	96	47	65
	PRY	0	0	38	1.84	95	84	95	0	0	26	1.26	96	81	93
	URY	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	0	0	0	...	...	...	...
Total §		0	0	1601	1.00	88	76	...	0	7	1504	0.93	84	71	...

+ Taken within 14 days of onset of paralysis

... - No data

CAR includes reports from all CARPHA member countries

§ Excluding USA

NR - No reporting

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 2021/30 - 2022/29

Lab.	Country	Number of specimens from AFP cases	Virus Isolation Test											Timing of isolation results		
			Pending results			With results						% Positive specimens for NPEV	Total specimens with results	Total with reception & result dates	% Results ≤ 14 days	
			Not yet in lab.	Received ≤14 Days	Received >14 Days	Only poliovirus	Poliovirus & NPEV	Only NPEV	Negative	Others	Inadequate					
CAR	GTM	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	HND	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	1	100
	HTI	9	2	0	0	0	0	0	7	0	0	0	0	7	5	100
	NIC	20	7	0	0	0	0	0	2	11	0	0	15	13	13	100
	PAN	15	5	0	0	0	2	0	1	7	0	0	30	10	10	100
CDC	BOL	11	0	0	0	0	0	0	11	0	0	0	11	11	0	0
	CRI	9	0	0	3	0	0	0	6	0	0	0	6	6	0	0
	GTM	54	16	2	7	0	0	0	29	0	0	0	29	29	3	3
	HND	33	0	0	0	0	0	0	33	0	0	0	33	33	100	100
	PRY	38	11	0	0	0	0	0	27	0	0	0	27	27	52	52
	SLV	40	0	0	3	0	0	0	37	0	0	0	37	37	0	0
FIO	BRA	228	13	0	14	2	0	5	194	0	0	3	201	200	73	73
	PER	12	0	0	0	0	0	0	12	0	0	0	12	12	100	100
IEC	BRA	43	3	0	0	0	0	0	40	0	0	0	40	39	46	46
INDRE	MEX	496	1	24	6	0	0	46	419	0	0	10	465	464	100	100
INH	VEN	98	41	0	1	1	0	3	52	0	0	7	56	55	29	29
INS	COL	150	0	3	0	0	0	5	142	0	0	3	147	147	96	96
INS	ECU	18	1	0	0	0	0	0	17	0	0	0	17	17	88	88
	VEN	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
IPK	CUB	20	0	0	1	0	0	0	19	0	0	0	19	14	100	100
ISP	CHL	39	0	0	0	0	0	1	38	0	0	3	38	38	87	87
MAL	ARG	51	1	0	0	0	0	2	48	0	0	4	50	29	76	76
(no lab. name)	BOL	4	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	ECU	9	9	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	HND	9	9	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	PER	15	14	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	1	0	0
Total		1424	138	29	36	5	0	65	1151	0	0	6	1220	1188	80	80

... 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 2021/30 - 2022/29

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						
CAR	PAN	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	-	-	-
FIO	BRA	2	2	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	2	100	100	100
INH	VEN	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	100	100
Total		5	3	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	3	3	67	100	100