



Week In Review

April 01, 2024

Mpox Educational Series: Standard Components of Care for People Affected by HIV



Part II. Wednesday, April 24, 12:00p - 1:00p
Deb Kahal, MD.

[Register](#)

Part III. Wednesday, May 8, 12:00p - 1:00p
Marshala Lee-McCall, MD.

[Register](#)

Updates

ACIP Meeting ([ACIP](#))

- June 26-28

COCA Call ([COCA](#))

- None Scheduled.

Vaccines and Related Biological Products Advisory Committee ([VRBPAC](#))

- May 16, 2024, 8:30 am - 4:30 pm.

MMWR Weekly ([No 12](#))

- Implications of measles inclusion by commercial syndromic polymerase chain reaction panels - United States
- Tuberculosis - United States, 2023
- Interim effectiveness of updated 2023-2024 (monovalent XBB.1.5) COVID-19 vaccines against COVID-19-associated hospitalization among adults aged 18+ years with immunocompromising conditions

Food & Drug Administration ([Announcements](#))

- None.

2023-2024 Respiratory Disease

Influenza

Week 12 (ending March 23)

- Seasonal influenza activity remains elevated nationally but is decreasing.
- 10.5% positivity
- Most frequent virus: A(H1N1)pdm09, A(H3N2), B viruses
- Outpatient Respiratory Illness: 3.1%

Preliminary In-Season Estimates

- Illnesses: 31-58 M
- Medical Visits: 14-27 M
- Hospitalizations: 350,000-720,000
- Deaths: 22,000-63,000

Delaware ILI Activity Level: Minimal

- Hospitalizations, YTD: 72
- Deaths, YTD: 6
- Percentage Vaccinated: 32.1%

Location	Week 12	Year to Date
Delaware	318	8,145
New Castle	167	4,141
Kent	81	1,988
Sussex	70	2,016

COVID-19

As of March 23, 2024

- Positive cases this week: 144
- Current daily hospital admissions: 7.9
- Current COVID-19 deaths this season: 153
- Total vaccinated with updated 2023-2024 dose: 14.9%

From the Experts

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Outbreak News

[WHO Disease Outbreak News](#)

March 5: Europe - Psittacosis

March 20: African Region - Yellow Fever

[CDC Outbreak List](#)

February - *Listeria* outbreak, linked to Queso Fresco and Cotija Cheese

[Travel Notices](#)

Warning, Level 2

- Chikungunya - Timor-Leste
- Diphtheria - Guinea, Niger, Nigeria, Vietnam
- Mpox - Democratic Republic of the Congo
- Polio - Global
- Yellow Fever - Nigeria

Watch, Level 1

- Measles - Global
- Dengue - Asia, Pacific Islands, Africa, Middle East, Americas
- Western Equine Encephalitis - Argentina
- Rocky Mountain Spotted Fever - Mexico



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- Updated suite of vaccine storage and excursion response materials (i.e., temperature logs, emergency response worksheets)
- Updates to website: ("Ask the Experts: COVID-19", "Meningococcal B Vaccine Recommendation by Age and Risk Factor", "DTaP, Tdap, and Td Catch-Up Vaccination Recommendations", "Key Vaccination Resources for Healthcare Professionals")

Ask the Experts: [RSV Vaccination \(Part I\)](#)

Ask the Experts: [RSV Vaccination \(Part II\)](#)

In the News

In The News

- CDC Alerts healthcare providers of increase in [meningococcal](#) disease
- PAHO drives evidence-generation on the burden of [influenza](#)
- WHO: 2023 Outbreaks of [Swine](#) Flu and [Avian](#) Influenza
- WHO: Promoting a risk-based approach for the regulatory oversight of [vaccines](#) used in pandemics

2024 ICD Quarterly Meetings

2:00 - 3:30 pm

- Thursday, May 23
- Thursday, August 22
- Thursday, November 21

The meetings will be held on zoom, unless otherwise specified.

Immunization Coalition of Delaware
<https://www.immunizedelaware.org/>

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