



## *Week In Review*

**April 21, 2025**

### *National Infant Immunization Week*

April 21-28  
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#### *Updates*

ACIP Meeting ([ACIP](#)):

- Next meeting: June 25-26, 2025

COCA Call ([COCA](#)). COCA Calls are held from 2:00 - 3:00 pm ET.

- None scheduled.

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

- None

MMWR Weekly ([No 13](#))

- No vaccine preventable disease articles this week

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

- FDA prioritizes and elevates the role of patients and caregivers on [FDA advisory committees](#), limiting pharmaceutical companies and others employed at companies regulated by the FDA

Continuing Education

- [Measles in America: Causes, Risks & Responses](#) (Johns Hopkins Bloomberg School of Public Health, April 30, 4:00-5:00pm)

### *Measles 2025*

[Nationwide](#) (4/18/25)

- 10 Confirmed Outbreaks (3+ related cases)
- 94% of confirmed cases are outbreak-associated
- 800 Confirmed Cases, 25 Jurisdictions
  - Alaska, Arkansas, California, Colorado, Florida, Georgia, Hawai'i, Indiana, Kansas, Kentucky, Maryland, Michigan, Minnesota, New Jersey, New Mexico, New York City, New York State, Ohio, Oklahoma, Pennsylvania, Rhode Island, Tennessee, Texas, Vermont, Washington

- Age Ranges
  - 0-4: 249 (31%)
  - 5-19: 304 (38%)
  - 20+: 231 (29%)
  - Unknown: 16 (2%)
- Vaccination Status
  - Unvaccinated/Unknown: 96%
  - One MMR dose: 1%
  - Two MMR doses: 2%
- Hospitalizations: 85 (11%)
- Deaths: 3

#### Texas (4/18/25)

- 597 cases, 62 hospitalizations
- 2 deaths (unvaccinated school-aged children)
- 25 counties affected (Gaines Co: 371, 62.1% of cases)
- Age Ranges:
  - 0-4: 182
  - 5-17: 219
  - 18+: 172
  - Pending: 24
- Vaccination Status:
  - Unknown/Unvaccinated: 575
  - Vaccinated with at least one dose: 10
  - Vaccinated with 2+ doses: 12

#### New Mexico (4/18/25)

- 63 cases, 6 hospitalizations
- 1 death (unvaccinated adult)
- 4 counties affected
- Age Ranges:
  - 0-4: 17
  - 5-17: 19
  - 18+: 27
  - Pending: 0
- Vaccination Status:
  - Not vaccinated: 46
  - Unknown: 11
  - Vaccinated with at least one dose: 6

#### Kansas (4/16/25)

- 37 cases
- 8 counties
- Age Ranges
  - 0-4: 11
  - 5-17: 19
  - 18+: 7
  - Pending: 0
- Vaccination Status
  - Not vaccinated: 30
  - Age-Appropriate Vaccination: 4
  - Not age-appropriately vaccinated: 1
  - Pending: 0

#### Ohio (4/8/25)

- 30 cases
- 4 counties

#### Oklahoma (4/18/25)

- 12 cases
- Vaccination status unknown/unvaccinated: 12

#### Indiana (4/18/2025)

- 6 cases

[Michigan](#) (4/18/2025)

- 8 cases
- 3 counties

[Montana](#) (4/17/2025)

- 5 cases
- 1 county

**CDC Health Alert Network:** [Expanding Measles Outbreak in the United States and Guidance for the Upcoming Travel Season](#)

**News:**

- Three more states report their first [measles](#) case of 2025

## *From the Experts*

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### *Outbreak News*

[WHO Disease Outbreak News](#)

April 11: Invasive meningococcal disease - Saudi Arabia

April 17: Avian Influenza A(H5N1) - Mexico

[CDC Outbreak List](#)

March 2025: Geckos - *Salmonella*

February 2025: Supplement Shakes - *Listeria*

[Travel Notices](#)

Level 2: Practice Enhanced Precautions

- Yellow Fever - South America
- Ebola - Uganda
- Clade I Mpox - Central and Eastern Africa

Level 1: Practice Usual Precautions

- Global - Dengue, Measles
- Oropouche Fever - Americas



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- HPV patient handouts updated with case counts and URLs
- PBS and YouTube offer free streaming of documentary *Virulent: The Vaccine War*
- National Infant Immunization Week is April 21-28

## In the News

### In The News

- CDC considers narrowing [COVID-19](#) vaccine recommendations
- COVID-19 information page overhauled, focus on the [lab leak](#) theory
- Rapid geographic expansion of local [dengue](#) community transmission in Peru
- Skeptics misuse studies to [discredit](#) vaccines
- What the newest [mRNA](#) vaccines could do beyond COVID
- Why is [TB](#) on the rise in the UK?

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### 2025 ICD Quarterly Meetings

2:00 - 3:30 pm on the fourth Thursday.

- May 22, 2025 ([register](#))
- August 28, 2025 ([register](#))
- November 20, 2025 ([register](#))
  - Please note, the November meeting will be held on the third Thursday

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

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