



Week In Review

August 22, 2022

August is National Immunization Awareness Month!

National Immunization Awareness Month (NIAM) is an annual observance held in August to highlight the importance of vaccination for people of all ages. Use these resources to assist you in communicating about vaccinations during August and throughout the year.

- COVID-19 resources ([click](#))
- Encourage routine childhood vaccinations ([click](#))
- Make effective vaccination recommendations ([click](#))
- Toolkit for healthcare providers ([click](#))

Updates

ACIP Meeting ([ACIP](#))

- None listed

COCA Call ([COCA](#))

- None listed

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

- September 22. Discussion on Rebyota (Rebiotix, Inc.).
- October 6. 2023 Southern Hemisphere Influenza vaccine strain selection

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- Progress towards measles elimination - SE Asia
- Safety monitoring of Pfizer-BioNTech COVID-19 vaccine booster doses (age 5-11 years)
- COVID-19 outbreaks and mortality among public transportation workers
- Guidance summary - minimizing the impact of COVID-19 on individuals, communities, and health care systems
- Public health response to a case of paralytic poliomyelitis in an unvaccinated person and detection of poliovirus in wastewater - New York

Continuing Education

In collaboration with Medscape, NFID is offering online CME activities and resources to help increase vaccination rates among adults and adolescents; decrease disparities; and discuss strategies to maximize vaccination opportunities. Each activity is free, half an hour, and offers 0.50 CME.

[Learn more](#)

Coronavirus Updates

Worldwide

Total - 596,238,011

Deaths - 6,453,948

United States

Total - 93,642,099

Deaths - 1,041,149

Delaware (<https://myhealthycommunity.dhss.delaware.gov/locations/state>)

Total - 300,245

Deaths - 3,039

- New Castle - 170,666
- Kent - 58,282
- Sussex - 70,239
- Hospitalizations - 168
- Critical - 22
- Tests Positive: 18.4%
- Vaccines
 - Fully Vaccinated - 625,575 (64.6%)
 - Partially Vaccinated - 91,957
 - Boosted - 407,451

Updates

- [WHO](#) interim statement on COVID-19 vaccination for children
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Monkeypox Updates

- 2022 [US Map & Case Count](#) - 14,115 total confirmed monkeypox/orthopoxvirus cases
 - DPH announces partnerships to expand access to the [monkeypox](#) vaccine for eligible persons
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Outbreak News

[WHO Disease Outbreak News](#)

August 3: Bangladesh - Dengue in camps at Cox's Bazar

August 12: Tanzania - Leptospirosis

[CDC Outbreak List](#)

August

- Unknown Food Source - *E. coli* outbreak

[Travel Notices](#)

COVID-19

- High: Russia, Philippines, Nepal
- Moderate: Sao Tome and Principe, Kyrgyzstan
- Low:
- Unknown: Comoros, Guinea-Bissau

Level 3: Volcanic Eruption in Japan (Kagoshima prefecture)

Level 2: Polio in Africa; Yellow Fever in Kenya, Monkeypox (multiple countries)

Level 1: Marburg in Ghana; Dengue in Asia & the Pacific Islands, Africa, the Middle East, the Americas



IZ Express Weekly news
from immunize.org

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- Clinical considerations for monkeypox vaccination expanded
- Toolkits for vaccination of college students
- Ask the Experts: COVID-19 content updated

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- [Ebola](#): suspected case in DRC
- Pakistan begins third nationwide [polio](#) campaign of the year
- [Polio](#) in US, UK, and Israel reveals rare risk of oral vaccine

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

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