



August is National Immunization Awareness Month!

Week In Review

August 3, 2026

August Quarterly Meeting

When: Thursday, August 27, 2026

Time: 2:00 - 3:30 pm

[Register Here](#)



Measles 2025

[Nationwide](#) (CDC, 7/30/26)

In 2026:

2,371 Confirmed Cases, 45 Jurisdictions (including **Delaware (8)**, District of Colombia (1), Maryland (12), New Jersey (1), Pennsylvania (167), and Virginia (176))

- 37 new outbreaks reported in 2026
- 2,219 of confirmed cases are outbreak-associated
- 16 cases reported among international visitors
- Vaccination Status
 - Unvaccinated/Unknown: 93%
 - One MMR Dose: 3%
 - Two MMR Doses: 4%

Age	Cases	Hospitalizations
Under 5	469 (20%)	49 (10%)
5-19 years	1,161 (49%)	40 (3%)
20+ years	734 (31%)	72 (10%)
Unknown	7 (1%)	0

Johns Hopkins [Measles Tracker](#) and [Dashboard](#): 2,370 cases in 2026

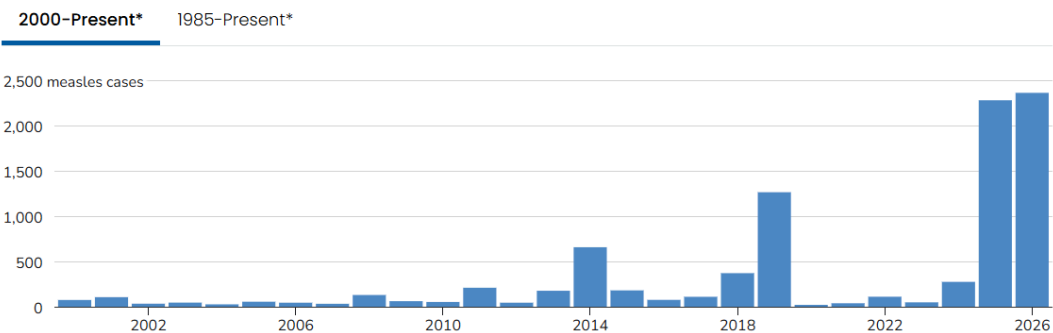
[ICD's Measles Update Page](#) for more granular information.

In the News

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Yearly measles cases

as of July 30, 2026



Delaware Declares Measles Outbreak

The Division of Public Health is now reporting **eight positive measles cases** in the state. The CDC defines an outbreak as three or more cases connected by time and location.

The cases identified to date are 7 adults, and 1 child under age 10, all in Kent County.

Read More

- Delaware Declares a [Measles Outbreak](#)
- DPH [measles](#) information page

From the Experts

Worldwide

WHO Disease Outbreaks

August 1 Update: Ebola Disease (Bundibugyo Virus) - DRC

- DRC
 - 3,605 confirmed cases, 1,587 deaths (CFR 44%)
 - 5 provinces: Ituri, North Kivu, South Kivu, Haut-Uele, Tshopo
 - 49 health zones affected
 - Now the largest Ebola outbreak ever reported in the DRC
- Uganda
 - Outbreak declared over on July 28
 - 20 cases, 2 deaths (+1 probable case & death).

WHO News

- Integration, innovation, and [community leadership](#) key to ending HIV, hepatitis, and STIs

CDC Travel Notices

Level 3: Reconsider Nonessential Travel

- **Ebola Bundibugyo Virus Disease - DRC**

Level 2: Practice Enhanced Precautions

- Ebola Bundibugyo Virus Disease - Uganda
- Chikungunya - Mauritius, French Guiana, Costa Rica
- Malaria - Yemen, Mayotte

Level 1: Practice Usual Precautions

- Diphtheria - Haiti, Sub-Saharan Africa
- Andes Virus (Hantavirus) in South America
- Global - Dengue, Measles
- Vanuatu - Ciguatera Fish Poisoning
- Hepatitis A - Canada

From the CDC

ACIP Meeting ([ACIP](#))

- Next meeting scheduled for October 21-23

COCA Call

- None scheduled.

Emerging Infectious Disease ([EID](#)):

- August 2026: Foodborne and Other Enteric Diseases

FluView Update

- Pediatric deaths reported, total: 190 ([week 29](#))

Health Alert Network

- 7/14/26: Domestically acquired cyclosporiasis cases in multiple US states, 2026 ([learn more](#))

MMWR Weekly Report (Vol 75, No [29](#))

- West Nile Virus and other nationally notifiable arboviral diseases - United States, 2024
- Effect of diagnostic test type on detection of *Salmonella* infections - Foodborne diseases active surveillance network, 2004-2024

Outbreak List ([CDC](#)):

- July
 - *Cyclosporiasis* - linked to iceberg lettuce
 - *E. coli* - linked to frozen blueberries
 - *Salmonella* - linked to shell eggs

Pertussis Outbreak ([CDC Stacks](#)):

- YTD Cases: 6,883
- Delaware Cases: 0

FDA

- No vaccine preventable disease news

Immunize.org



Issue [1885](#): July 29, 2026

- Published in MMWR: "Progress toward rubella and congenital rubella syndrome elimination - Worldwide, 2012-2024"
- Q&A resources on diphtheria, tetanus, and pertussis updated
- "Notification of Immunization Letter" template updated
- Social media materials encouraging back-to-school vaccination

Ask the Experts: [2025-26 Season COVID-19 Vaccination](#)

In the News

- COVID is still here. Is the pandemic? ([CIDRAP](#))
- First volunteer vaccinated in Bundibugyo ebolavirus vaccine trial ([Univ Oxford](#))
- Nominees to lead CDC & pandemic preparedness office move forward in Senate committee vote ([CIDRAP](#))
- Parents' role as advocates for and against childhood vaccination: Findings from a nationally representative survey ([PLOS One](#))
- State Department to reinstate funding for GAVI ([CIDRAP](#))

Continuing Education

Helpful Links

- Common Health Coalition: [Vaccine Resources](#)
- Moderna Atlas: [Educational Resources](#)

For Our Members



Shot in the Arm

The Immunization Coalition of Delaware is pleased to offer this opportunity to view **"SHOT IN THE ARM"** – from Academy Award-Nominated filmmaker Scott Hamilton Kennedy and Executive Producer Neil deGrasse Tyson.

This skeptical and hopeful film explores vaccine hesitancy historically and in the context of our modern pandemic. Can we replace cynicism with healthy curiosity and bridge the political divides that make us sick?

Featuring: Tony Fauci, Paul Offit, and Robert Kennedy, Jr.

This film is being offered free of charge for Immunization Coalition of Delaware Members throughout 2026. Please register below to receive login credentials.

[Register](#)

ICD's May Quarterly Meeting

Missed the Quarterly meeting? We've got you covered.

Minutes ([click here](#))

Slide Deck ([click here](#))

2026 ICD Quarterly Meetings

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

- August 27, 2026 ([register](#))
- November 19, 2026 ([register](#))

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

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<https://www.immunizedelaware.org/>

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