Week In Review

January 8, 2024

2024 Quarterly Meetings

The 2024 ICD Quarterly Meetings will be held from 2:00 - 3:30 pm on:

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

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

Updates

ACIP Meeting (ACIP)
- February 28-29, 2024
- June 26-27, 2024
- October 23-24, 2024

COCA Call (COCA)
- None listed.

Vaccines and Related Biological Products Advisory Committee (VRBPAC)
- None listed.

MMWR Weekly (No 52-53)
- Second nationwide tuberculosis outbreak caused by bone allografts containing live cells - United States, 2023
- Supply interruptions of first- and second-line oral drugs to treat tuberculosis during the previous 12 months - California

Food & Drug Administration (Announcements)
- None

2023-2024 Respiratory Disease
**Influenza**

**Week 52 (ending December 30)**
- 17.5% positivity
- Most frequent virus: A(H1N1)
- Outpatient Respiratory Illness: 6.9%

**Preliminary In-Season Estimates**
- Illnesses: 10-19 M
- Medical Visits: 4.6-9.1 M
- Hospitalizations: 110,000 - 230,000
- Deaths: 6,500-19,000

**Delaware ILI Activity Level: Low**
- Hospitalizations: 72 (YTD)
- Percentage Vaccinated: 29.0%

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**COVID-19**

As of January 04, 2024
- Positive cases: 2206
- Current hospitalizations: 121.7
- Current critical hospitalizations: 19.0
- Total vaccinated with updated 2023-2024 dose: 14.9%

**Cases By County**
January 2024
Volume 30, Issue 1
Fastidious Bacteria

Outbreak News

WHO Disease Outbreak News
December 21: Global - Dengue
December 28: Western Equine Encephalitis - Argentina

CDC Outbreak List
December
- Lead poisoning outbreak - linked to cinnamon applesauce pouches

Travel Notices
Warning, Level 2
- Diphtheria - Guinea, Niger, Nigeria, Vietnam
- Mpox - Democratic Republic of the Congo
Watch, Level 1
- Rocky Mountain Spotted Fever - Mexico
- Dengue - Americas, Africa, Middle East, Asia & Pacific Islands

Issue 1733: December 20, 2023
- Health Alert Network: increase use of immunizations and therapeutics for influenza, COVID-19, and RSV
- Skills Checklist for Vaccine Administration

Community Mobile Health Units
DPH Mobile Health Units provide HIV testing, counseling, and referral; COVID-19 testing and vaccines; blood lead testing; flu vaccines; and educational and resource connections. Click for weekly mobile unit times and locations.
• CDC: JN.1 accounts for about 62% of COVID cases in US
• Brazilian city begins first mass vaccination against dengue

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

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