**Week In Review**

**January 9, 2023**

**2022 Communicable Disease & PrEP Summit**

Did you miss the 2022 Communicable Disease & PrEP Summit? All recordings and slide decks are now available online at our website.

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**Updates**

ACIP Meeting ([ACIP](#))

COCA Call ([COCA](#))
- None listed.

Vaccines and Related Biological Products Advisory Committee ([VRBPAC](#))
- January 26, 2023: Potential [modification](#) of the composition for primary COVID-19 vaccines

MMWR Weekly ([No 1](#))
- Racial and ethnic differences in COVID-19 vaccination and coverage among children and adolescents, and parental intent to vaccinate
- Mpox cases among cisgender women and pregnant persons

Food & Drug Administration
- None.

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**2022-2023 Flu Season**

Week 52 (week ending December 31)
Clinical Lab positivity: 15.0%
Public Health Lab: Most frequently reported viruses: A(H3N2)
Outpatient respiratory illness: 5.4%

Burden Estimates
- Illnesses: 22 M - 43 M
- Medical Visits: 10 M - 21 M
- Hospitalizations: 230,000 - 490,000
- Deaths: 14,000 - 43,000

Delaware Flu Cases
- Year to Date: 8,211
- New Castle: 3,730
- Kent: 2,074
- Sussex: 2,409

- This Week: 516
  - New Castle: 221
  - Kent: 121
  - Sussex: 175
- ILI Rate: 3.1%

- Hospitalizations this Week: 0
- Deaths: 1
- Vaccines Administered: 298,562 (30.9%)

Updates

Coronavirus Updates
**Delaware (MyHealthyCommunity)**
Total - 323,151
Deaths - 3,218

- New Castle - 183,077
- Kent - 62,939
- Sussex - 76,005
- Hospitalizations - 220
- Critical - 17
- Tests Positive: 17.1%
- Vaccines
  - Fully Vaccinated - 643,390 (66.5%)
  - Partially Vaccinated - 94,779
  - Bivalent - 170,117

**Updates**
- CDC revises XBB.1.5 estimates; still spreading quickly
- COVID-19 vaccine for children after MIS-C appears safe
- Monitoring variant proportions (CDC)

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**Mpox Updates**

- 2022 US Map & Case Count: 29,913 total confirmed mpox/orthopoxvirus cases
  - Delaware - 43
  - Maryland - 739
  - New Jersey - 764
  - Pennsylvania - 864
  - Virginia - 564

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**Outbreak News**

[WHO Disease Outbreak News](http://www.who.int)
January 3: African Region - Yellow Fever

[CDC Outbreak List](https://www.cdc.gov)
December
- Raw Oysters - Norovirus

**Travel Notices**

- Alert, Level 2
  - Polio - Global
  - COVID-19 - China, Hong Kong, Macau
- Japanese Encephalitis - Australia
- Watch, Level 1
  - Measles - Africa
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- New webinar ("Improving the Vaccination Experience: Accessible Vaccination for Neurodiverse People at Any Age") now available
- Early estimates of bivalent mRNA vaccine effectiveness at preventing COVID-19

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.

- Malaria vaccine shows promise in Burkina Faso adults
- Measles outbreak reported in Samara region of Russia
- Officials in Nebraska, South Dakota, and Oklahoma look at how prisons treat hepatitis C

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

If you have something you'd like to see added to the ICD's Week in Review, please let us know!

The next ICD Quarterly Meeting will be held on February 16, 2023

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