Week In Review
June 27, 2022

Updates

ACIP Meeting (ACIP)
• None listed

COCA Call (COCA)
• June 29 - Monkeypox: Updates about clinical diagnosis and treatment

Vaccines and Related Biological Products Advisory Committee (VRBPAC)
• June 28: Discussion on whether/how the SARS-CoV-2 strain composition of COVID-19 vaccines should be modified

MMWR Weekly (No 25)
• HIV testing before and during the COVID-19 pandemic
• Dispensing of oral antiviral drugs for treatment of COVID-19 by zip-code
• Hospitalization and ED encounters for COVID-19 after Paxlovid treatment

Continuing Education

Although the flu season is "over," the flu is WIDESPREAD in Delaware.

This week, there were 43 confirmed flu cases statewide (New Castle - 23, Kent - 8, Sussex - 9). This brings the seasonal total to 2,748. There have been 152 hospitalizations and 3 deaths.

Please note: the 2021-2022 vaccine formulation expires on June 30

Coronavirus Updates

Worldwide
United States
Total - 86,967,842
Deaths - 1,015,938

Delaware (https://myhealthycommunity.dhss.delaware.gov/locations/state)
Total - 283,632
Deaths - 2,983

- New Castle - 161,103
- Kent - 55,043
- Sussex - 66,507
- Hospitalizations - 107
- Critical - 12
- Tests Positive: 12.9%
- Vaccines
  - Fully Vaccinated - 620,532 (64.8%)
  - Partially Vaccinated - 88,809
  - Boosted - 382,183

Updates
- The CDC has endorsed the ACIP recommendation that all children aged 6 months through 5 years receive a COVID-19 vaccine.

Outbreak News

WHO Disease Outbreak News
June 23: Mozambique - Wild poliovirus type 1 (WPV1)
June 24: Multi-Country - Severe acute hepatitis of unknown etiology in children

CDC Outbreak List
June
- Backyard Poultry - Salmonella infections
- Meningococcal disease - Florida

Travel Notices
COVID-19
- High: Cape Verde
- Moderate: Romania
- Low: Tanzania, Sint Eustatius
- Unknown: Comoros, Ghana

CDC Travel Notices
June 8: Hajj (Saudi Arabia) - will take place between July 7-12
Issue 1639: June 22, 2022

- COVID-19 vaccines for children age 6 months through 5 or 6 years
- Monkeypox outbreak - updated case-finding guidance
- Influenza - virus continues to circulate; 2021-2022 vaccine formulation expires on June 30

Read Issue

- Flu vaccination linked to 40% reduced risk of Alzheimer's
- Pakistan: 11th wild Polio case reported
- WHO notes that Monkeypox does not currently constitute a PHEIC
- WHO: 32nd Polio IHR Emergency Committee

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

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