



## Week In Review

March 25, 2024

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### ***Mpox Educational Series: Standard Components of Care for People Affected by HIV***



Delaware regional partners of the MidAtlantic AIDS Education and Training Center along with collaborative partners are hosting a 3-part educational series on mpox and people affected by HIV.

Part I. Wednesday, March 27, 12:00p - 1:00 p.

Marci Drees, MD, MS.

[Register here.](#)

Part II. Wednesday, April 24, 12:00p - 1:00p

Deb Kahal, MD.

[Register](#)

Part III. Wednesday, May 8, 12:00p - 1:00p

Marshala Lee-McCall, MD.

[Register](#)

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### ***Updates***

ACIP Meeting ([ACIP](#))

- June 26-28

COCA Call ([COCA](#))

- None Scheduled.

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

- May 16, 2024, 8:30 am - 4:30 pm.

MMWR Weekly ([No 11](#))

- Tuberculosis Preventative Treatment Update - US President's Emergency Plan for AIDS Relief
- Notes: Expanded laboratory testing for varicella, Minnesota

Food & Drug Administration ([Announcements](#))

- Issued an EUA for [Pemgarda](#) for pre-exposure prophylaxis of COVID-19



New Castle	259	3,961
Kent	117	1,904
Sussex	92	1,949

## COVID-19

As of March 16, 2024

- Positive cases this week: 171
- Current daily hospital admissions: 7.7
- Current COVID-19 deaths this season: 144
- Total vaccinated with updated 2023-2024 dose: 14.8%

## From the Experts

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## Outbreak News

### [WHO Disease Outbreak News](#)

March 5: Europe - Psittacosis

March 20: African Region - Yellow Fever

### [CDC Outbreak List](#)

February - *Listeria* outbreak, linked to Queso Fresco and Cotija Cheese

### [Travel Notices](#)

Warning, Level 2

- Chikungunya - Timor-Leste
- Diphtheria - Guinea, Niger, Nigeria, Vietnam
- Mpox - Democratic Republic of the Congo
- Polio - Global

Watch, Level 1

- Measles - Global
- Dengue - Asia, Pacific Islands, Africa, Middle East, Americas
- Western Equine Encephalitis - Argentina
- Rocky Mountain Spotted Fever - Mexico



- CDC's Health Alert Network advisory urges clinicians to ensure children in the US and those travelling internationally are up to date with MMR vaccination
- Measles Outbreak - Cook County, IL, Oct-Nov 2023

**Ask the Experts: [RSV Vaccination \(Part I\)](#)**  
**Ask the Experts: [RSV Vaccination \(Part II\)](#)**

## *In the News*

### *In The News*

- CDC: [Measles](#) cases in US rise to 62 as of Thursday
- NIH: Severe lung infection during [COVID-19](#) can cause damage to the heart

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### *2024 ICD Quarterly Meetings*

2:00 - 3:30 pm

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

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

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