

Week In Review

May 27, 2025

Updates

ACIP Meeting (ACIP):

• Next meeting: June 25-26, 2025

COCA Call (COCA). COCA Calls are held from 2:00 - 3:00 pm ET.

None listed

Vaccines and Related Biological Products Advisory Committee (VRBPAC)

None listed

MMWR Weekly (<u>No 18</u>)

• Estimated current and future congenital rubella syndrome incidence with and without rubella vaccine introduction - 19 countries, 2019-2055

Food & Drug Administration (Announcements)

• None

Upcoming Webinars

Measles Communication Strategies: How to Prepare Your Jurisdiction to Respond

Tuesday, May 27, 2:00 pm EST

Experts from the Public Health Communication Collaborative will address the complexities of public health and healthcare messaging, focusing on trust, vaccine hesitance, clear and actionable communications, resource mobilization, and coordinated response.

Responding to Measles Outbreaks in Priority Populations

Tuesday, June 17, 2:00-3:00pm EST

Based on feedback from Part I, this AIM webinar will focus on strategies and engagement with Somali, Russian, and Ukrainian communities. Speakers will share examples and lessons learned from their experience addressing vaccine hesitancy in close- knit communities. This webinar will include 40 minutes of speaker presentations followed by a Q&A.

<u>Register Here</u>

Correlation aand Causation: Understanding and Debunking Claims Linking Vaccines and Autism

Tuesday, June 24, 2:00-3:00pm EST

Join AIM Chief Medical Officer Michelle Fiscus, MD, FAAP, for an overview of autism spectrum disorder and how the vaccine-autism claim emerged, gained traction, and why it remains persistent. Dr. Fiscus will summarize key studies that have debunked the claim and share practical communication tools that immunization programs and health care providers can use to engage families and communities in informed conversations about vaccines.

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Measles 2025

Nationwide (5/22/25)

1,046 Confirmed Cases, 31 Jurisdictions

 Alaska, Arkansas, California, Colorado, Florida, Geogia, Hawai'i, Illinois, Indiana, Kansas, Kentucky, Louisiana, Maryland, Michigan, Minnesota, Missouri, Montana, New Jersey, New Mexico, New York City, New York State, North Dakota, Ohio, Oklahoma, Pennsylvania, Rhode Island, Tennessee, Texas, Vermont, Virginia, Washington

14 Confirmed Outbreaks (3+ related cases)

- 961 of confirmed cases are outbreak-associated
- Age Ranges
 - 0-4: 311 (30%)
 - 5-19: 389 (38%)
 - 20+: 336 (32%)
 - Unknown: 10 (1%)
- Vaccination Status
 - Unvaccinated/Unknown: 96%
 - One MMR dose: 1%
 - Two MMR doses: 2%
- Hospitalizations: 127 (13%)
- Deaths: 3

Texas (5/23/25)

- 728 cases, 94 hospitalizations
- 2 deaths (unvaccinated school-aged children)
- 34 counties (Gaines Co: 406, 56.5% of cases)

New Mexico (5/23/25)

- 78 cases, 7 hospitalizations
- 1 death (unvaccinated adult)
- 6 counties

Kansas (5/21/25)

- 58 cases, 1 hospitalization
- 10 counties

Ohio (5/16/25)

- 41 cases
- 10 counties

Oklahoma (5/23/25)

• 17 cases

<u>Illinois</u> (5/23/2025)

• 10 cases

Indiana (5/16/2025)

- 8 cases
- 1 county

Michigan (5/16/2025)

- 9 cases
- 6 counties

Montana (5/23/2025)

- 11 cases
- 1 county

CDC Health Alert Network: <u>Expanding Measles Outbreak in the United</u> <u>States and Guidance for the Upcoming Travel Season</u>

News:

From the Experts

EMERGING INFECTIOUS DISEASES

Emerging Infectious Disease May 2025 Volume 31, Issue 5 Fungal Infections

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Outbreak News

WHO Disease Outbreak News

May 16: Americas - Yellow Fever May 20: Papua New Guinea - Circulating vaccine-derived poliovirus type 2

CDC Outbreak List

May 2025:

- Backyard Poultry Salmonella
- Ready-to-Eat Foods Listeria
- Whole cucumbers Salmonella

Travel Notices

Level 2: Practice Enhanced Precautions

- Chikungunya Indian Ocean Region
- Polio Global
- Yellow Fever South America

Level 1: Practice Usual Precautions

- Global Dengue, Measles
- Oropouche Fever Americas



Issue <u>1814</u>: May 21, 2025

- HHS makes recent ACIP chikungunya virus vaccine recommendations official
- Six standing orders templates updated
- "Vaccine Storage Troubleshooting Record" updated
- Confirmed measles cases rise to 1,024 across 30 states

Ask the Experts: Measles and MMR Vaccination

In the News

In The News

- FDA-Updated COVID-19 vaccine <u>guidance</u> faces backlash
- <u>Oropouche</u> virus resources from the AMA
- VRBPAC split on Thursday on whether drugmakers need to update their <u>COVID</u>-19 vaccines for next season

2025 ICD Quarterly Meetings

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

- August 28, 2025 (register)
- November 20, 2025 (<u>register</u>)
 - Please note, the November meeting will be held on the third Thursday

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

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

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