

# Week In Review

**November 25, 2024** 

# **Upcoming ICD Events**

## 2024 Immunization Summit

The Immunization Coalition of Delaware, in partnership with the Delaware Division of Public Health, is pleased to invite you to the 2024 Immunization Summit!

Topics of discussion will include:

- Immunizations and Refugees
- Influenza Update
- Vaccines for Pregnant People
- Vaccines for Cancer
- Vaccine Confidence
- Vaccine Updates

Where: The Ammon Education Center, at Christiana Hospital

4755 Ogletown-Stanton Road, Newark DE 19718

When: Thursday, December 12, 2024

**From:** 12:30 - 5:40 pm

The Medical Society of Delaware designates this live activity for a maximum of **5.25 AMA PRA Category 1 Credits**™. Physicians should claim only the credit commensurate with the extent of their participation in the activity.

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# Have a happy and healthy Thanksgiving!

ACIP Meeting (ACIP): February 26-27, 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)

- December 12, 2024, 8:30 am 5:30 pm
- Topic 1: Considerations for RSV vaccine safety in pediatric populations
- Topic 2: Overview of LI and LR research programs

## MMWR Weekly (No 46)

- Influenza, COVID-19, and RSV Vaccination coverage among adults
- Influenza, COVID-19, and RSV Vaccination coverage among nursing home residents
- Detection of real-time changes in direction of COVID-19 transmission using national- and state-level epidemic trends

Food & Drug Administration (Announcements)

None

# 2024-2025 Respiratory Disease

# Influenza

Week 46 (MyHealthyCommunity.gov)

|            | This Week | Total |
|------------|-----------|-------|
| New Castle | 10        | 25    |
| Kent       | 3         | 16    |
| Sussex     | 3         | 14    |
| Total      | 16        | 55    |

## COVID-19

Updated: 11/16/2024 (MyHealthyCommunity.gov)

|            | This Week (total) | Rate (per 100,000) |  |
|------------|-------------------|--------------------|--|
| New Castle | 37                | 6.5                |  |
| Kent       | 21                | 11.7               |  |
| Sussex     | 26                | 11.1               |  |
| Delaware   | 84                | 8.6                |  |

## Avian-Bovine-Human Flu Transmission

Updated: 11/22/2024 (CDC.gov)

| State      | Cattle | Poultry | Unknown | Total |
|------------|--------|---------|---------|-------|
| California | 28     | 0       | 1       | 29    |
| Colorado   | 1      | 9       | 0       | 10    |
| Michigan   | 2      | 0       | 0       | 2     |
| Missouri   | 0      | 0       | 1       | 1     |
| Oregon     | 0      | 1       | 0       | 1     |
| Texas      | 1      | 0       | 0       | 1     |
| Washington | 0      | 11      | 0       | 11    |
|            |        |         |         |       |
| Total      | 32     | 21      | 2       | 55    |

## Human Cases (Table Above)

- Current public health risk: LOW
- CDC flu surveillance systems are monitoring for H5 influenza activity in people, and show no indicators of unusual influenza activity.

#### Birds

- Wild birds: 10,604Poultry: 109,668,208
- Jurisdictions with Bird Flu in Wild Birds: 50
- States with Poultry Outbreaks: 49 (Includes DE in New Castle and Kent)

#### Cattle

- States with Cattle Outbreaks: 15
- Dairy Herds Affected: 616

### In the News

- CDC confirms H5N1 bird flu infection in a child in California
- CDC provides a situation <u>update</u> for the A(H5N1) Bird Flu Response
- USDA confirms domestic flock infected with bird flu in Hawaii

# From the Experts

# EMERGING INFECTIOUS DISEASES®

# **Emerging Infectious Disease**

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### Read More

## **Outbreak News**

## WHO Disease Outbreak News

November 13: Rwanda - Marburg Virus Disease

October 31: Ethiopia - Malaria

### **CDC Outbreak List**

November 2024

- Organic Carrots E. Coli
- McDonalds Onions E. Coli

#### **Travel Notices**

Level 2: Practice Enhanced Precautions

- Marburg Rwanda
- Chikungunya India
- Oropouche Cuba
- Clade I Mpox Central and Eastern Africa

Level 1: Practice Usual Precautions

- Oropouche Fever Americas
- Dengue Global
- Measles Global





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- Standing Orders for Administering Pneumococcal Vaccines to Adults updated
- Ask the Experts section updated to reflect new adult pneumococcal recommendations

**Ask the Experts:** <u>Vaccination against Respiratory Viruses for Fall and Winter</u> 2024

# In the News

## In The News

- CDC HAN: First Case of Clade I <a href="Mpox">Mpox</a> Diagnosed in the US (California)
- CDC expects COVID and RSV levels to increase in coming weeks
- Top FDA official sees more vaccine <u>scrutiny</u> in Trump's Presidency
- WHO adds <u>LC16m8</u> mpox vaccine to Emergency Use listing

## 2025 ICD Quarterly Meetings

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

- February 27, 2025
- May 22, 2025
- August 28, 2025
- November 20, 2025 (third Thursday)

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

Immunization Coalition of Delaware <a href="https://www.immunizedelaware.org/">https://www.immunizedelaware.org/</a>

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