



Week In Review

October 31, 2022

ICD Quarterly Meeting

The November Quarterly meeting will be held on **Thursday, November 10, 2022** from **10:30 am - 12:00 pm**.

Join Zoom Meeting

<https://delamed-org.zoom.us/j/89337329843?pwd=eEFod1dnZjhYdFNwYkNmUEZFRDBoQT09>

Meeting ID: 893 3732 9843

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[Email](#) with questions.

Save the Date!

Monday, December 12, 2022.

This year, the Communicable Disease Summit and the Delaware HIV Consortium's PrEP Summit will be held concurrently, in a virtual environment.

One day, one conference:
a range of topics and prevention strategies

2022 Communicable Disease Summit
and PrEP Conference

12/12/2022

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Updates

ACIP Meeting ([ACIP](#))

- None listed.

COCA Call ([COCA](#))

- None listed.

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

- None listed.

MMWR Weekly ([No 43](#))

- Influenza incidence and vaccine effectiveness during the southern hemisphere influenza season
- First and second doses of JYNNEOS vaccine for prevention of monkeypox

Food & Drug Administration



2022-2023 Flu Season

Week 42.

- Clinical Lab positivity: 6.2%
- Public Health Lab: Most frequently reported viruses: A(H3N2)
- Outpatient respiratory illness: 3.3%

Burden Estimates

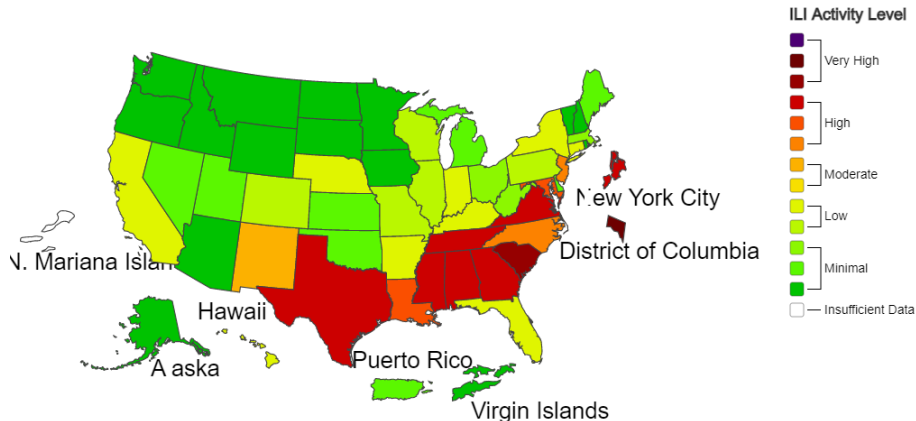
- Illnesses: 880,000-2,200,000
- Medical Visits: 420,000-1,100,000
- Hospitalizations: 6,900-15,000
- Deaths: 360-1,000

A Weekly Influenza Surveillance Report Prepared by the Influenza Division

Outpatient Respiratory Illness Activity Map Determined by Data Reported to ILINet

This system monitors visits for respiratory illness that includes fever plus a cough or sore throat, also referred to as ILI, not laboratory confirmed influenza and may capture patient visits due to other respiratory pathogens that cause similar symptoms.

2022-23 Influenza Season Week 42 ending Oct 22, 2022



*This map uses the proportion of outpatient visits to healthcare providers for influenza-like illness to measure the ILI activity level within a state. It does not, however, measure the extent of geographic spread of flu within a state. Therefore, outbreaks occurring in a single city could cause the state to display high activity levels.
 *Data collected in ILINet may disproportionately represent certain populations within a state, and therefore may not accurately depict the full picture of influenza activity for the whole state.
 *Data displayed in this map are based on data collected in ILINet, whereas the State and Territorial flu activity map are based on reports from state and territorial epidemiologists. The data presented in this map is preliminary and may change as more data is received.
 *Differences in the data presented by CDC and state health departments likely represent differing levels of data completeness with data presented by the state likely being the more complete.
 *For the data download you can use Activity Level for the number and Activity Level Label for the text description.
 *This graphic notice means that you are leaving an HHS Web site.
 For more information, please see CDC's Exit Notification and Disclaimer policy.
 For more information on the methodology, please visit Outpatient Illness Surveillance methods section.

Delaware Flu Cases

- Year to Date:69
- This Week: 44
- ILI Rate: 1.37%

- New Castle: 41
- Kent: 13
- Sussex: 15
- Hospitalizations: 10
- Deaths: 0

Delaware RSV Cases

- Year to Date:250
- This Week: 98
- New Castle: 146
- Kent: 11
- Sussex: 0

Updates

- DPH expresses [concern](#) over increasing flu and RSV cases in the state

Coronavirus Updates

Worldwide

Total - 630,283,249
 Deaths - 6,589,498

United States

Total - 97,450,667
 Deaths - 1,070,268

Delaware (<https://myhealthycommunity.dhss.delaware.gov/locations/state>)

Total - 312,990
Deaths - 3,147

- New Castle - 177,841
- Kent - 60,975
- Sussex - 73,078
- Hospitalizations - 96
- Critical - 10
- Tests Positive: 7.6%
- Vaccines
 - Fully Vaccinated - 636,333 (65.8%)
 - Partially Vaccinated - 93,192
 - Boosted - 464,912 / Bivalent - 97,448

Updates

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Monkeypox Updates

- 2022 [US Map & Case Count](#) - 28,302 total confirmed monkeypox/orthopoxvirus cases (41 in Delaware)

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Outbreak News

[WHO Disease Outbreak News](#)

October 17: Pakistan - Malaria
October 19: Lebanon - Cholera
October 20: Mauritania - Rift Valley Fever
October 28: Uganda - Ebola Virus Disease (Sudan)



[CDC Outbreak List](#)

October

- Frozen Falafels - *E. Coli*
- Bearded Dragons - *Salmonella*
- Fish - *Salmonella*

[Travel Notices](#)

- Alert, Level 2
 - Ebola - Uganda
 - Polio - Global
 - Flood - Pakistan
 - Yellow Fever - Kenya
- Watch, Level 1
 - Floods - Nigeria
 - Multidrug-Resistant Salmonella Newport - Mexico
 - Dengue - Asia & the Pacific Islands
 - Dengue - Africa & Middle East





Issue 1659: October 26, 2022

- Summary of ACIP's October 19-20 meeting (allowing PCV20 vaccination for previously vaccinated adults, adding COVID-19 vaccines to the VFC program, etc.).
- Novavax COVID-19 vaccine allowed as first booster dose option
- Influenza hospitalizations and vaccination coverage by race and ethnicity

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- Monoclonal antibodies show promise against [Epstein-Barr](#)
- [TB](#) cases and deaths increase during the COVID-19 pandemic

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

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