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Direct and Indirect Effects of Routine Vaccination of Children with 7-Valent Pneumococcal Conjugate Vaccine on Incidence of Invasive Pneumococcal Disease — United States, 1998–2003

Streptococcus pneumoniae (pneumococcus) is a leading cause of pneumonia and meningitis in the United States and disproportionately affects young children and the elderly. In 2000, a 7-valent pneumococcal conjugate vaccine (PCV7) was licensed in the United States for routine use in children aged <5 years (1). Surveillance data from 2001 and 2002 indicated substantial declines in invasive pneumococcal disease (IPD) in children and adults compared with prevaccine years (2,3). This report updates assessment of the impact of PCV7 on IPD through 2003 by using population-based data from the Active Bacterial Core surveillance (ABCs) of the Emerging Infections Program Network, a cooperative surveillance program conducted by several state health departments and CDC.* The results of this analysis indicated that 1) routine vaccination of young children with PCV7 continued to result in statistically significant declines in incidence of IPD through 2003 in the age group targeted for vaccination and among older children and adults, 2) the vaccine prevented more than twice as many IPD cases in 2003 through indirect effects on pneumococcal transmission (i.e., herd immunity) than through its direct effect of protecting vaccinated children, and 3) increases in disease caused by pneumococcal serotypes not included in the vaccine (i.e., replacement disease) occurred in certain populations but were small compared with overall declines in vaccine-serotype disease. Ongoing surveillance is needed to assess whether reductions in vaccine-serotype IPD are sustained and whether replacement disease will erode the substantial benefits of routine vaccination.

ABCs conducted active surveillance for IPD cases through regular contact with all clinical microbiology laboratories in defined surveillance areas; periodic audits of laboratory records The impact of PCV7 introduction on IPD was assessed in three ways. First, to assess the change in incidence of IPD after PCV7 introduction, IPD rates for 2001–2003 were

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reaction and were categorized as vaccine-type (VT) (serotypes included in PCV7) or nonvaccine-type (NT) (all other serotypes). A case of IPD was defined as isolation of pneumococcus from a normally sterile body site (e.g., blood or cerebrospinal fluid) in an ABCs area resident. Participating areas during 1998-2003 included in this analysis were the state of Connecticut and selected counties in California, Georgia, Maryland, Minnesota, New York, and Oregon, representing a total surveillance population of approximately 16 million persons in 2000. Annual incidence rates were calculated for 1998–1999 by using U.S. Census Bureau population estimates for those years; incidence rates for 2001-2003 were based on National Center for Health Statistics (NCHS) bridged-race postcensal population estimates for those years (4). For national projections of annual numbers of IPD cases, age- and race-specific rates of disease were applied from the aggregate ABCs surveillance area to the age and racial distribution of the U.S. population.

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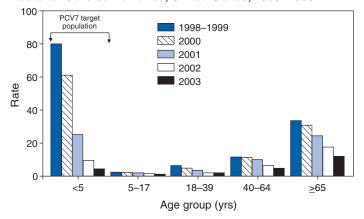
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Patsy A. Hall Deborah A. Adams Felicia J. Connor Rosaline Dhara Tambra McGee Pearl C. Sharp compared with the average rate for 1998–1999 (baseline). Second, the projected number of VT IPD cases directly prevented by PCV7 in 2003 was calculated as the product of 1) the nationally projected number of VT IPD cases at baseline among children aged <5 years, 2) the 3-dose coverage of PCV7 in 2003 among all U.S. children aged 19–35 months identified from National Immunization Survey (NIS) data (68.1%) (5), and 3) vaccine efficacy against VT IPD from a large clinical trial (93.9%) (6). Third, the projected number of VT IPD cases indirectly prevented by PCV7 in 2003 was estimated across all ages aggregately by calculating the difference between the average annual projected number of VT cases in 1998–1999 and the projected number of VT cases in 2003, and then subtracting the number of VT cases directly prevented by the vaccine.

From 1998-1999 to 2003, the incidence of VT IPD among children aged <5 years decreased from 80.0 cases per 100,000 population to 4.6, a decline of 94% (95% confidence interval [CI] = 92%–96%) (Figure 1). The total incidence of IPD (VT and NT) in this age group declined 75% (CI = 72%– 78%), from 96.7 at baseline to 23.9 in 2003. Incidence rates of VT IPD also declined substantially among persons outside of the PCV7 target population (Figure 1). For persons aged ≥5 years, VT disease decreased 62% (CI = 59%–66%) from 1998–1999 to 2003, with the largest absolute rate reduction occurring among those aged ≥65 years (rate difference: 21.7 cases per 100,000 [rate 33.6 during 1998-1999 and 11.9 during 2003]). Total IPD incidence declined 29% (CI = 25%– 33%), again with the majority of the absolute rate reduction occurring among those aged ≥65 years (rate difference: 18.4 cases per 100,000 [rate 60.1 during 1998-1999 and 41.7

FIGURE 1. Rate* of vaccine-type (VT) invasive pneumococcal disease (IPD) before and after introduction of pneumococcal conjugate vaccine (PCV7), by age group and year — Active Bacterial Core surveillance, United States, 1998–2003



^{*} Per 100,000 population.

^{*} Proposed.

For each age group, the decrease in VT IPD rate for 2003 compared with the 1998–1999 baseline is statistically significant (p<0.05).

during 2003]). The incidence of IPD caused by the 16 serotypes included in the 23-valent polysaccharide pneumococcal vaccine (PPV23) and not in PCV7 among persons aged ≥5 years increased 11% (CI = 3%−21%) from 1998−1999 to 2003.

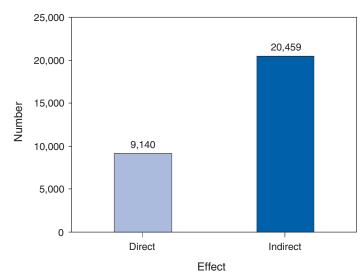
Analysis of the projected 29,599 VT IPD cases prevented nationally by PCV7 in 2003 compared with 1998–1999 (Table) revealed that the majority (69%) of cases were prevented through indirect effects of the vaccine. An estimated 9,140 cases of VT IPD were directly prevented by vaccinating children aged <5 years with PCV7; an additional 20,459 cases of VT IPD were prevented through indirect effects of the vaccine across all ages (Figure 2). Incidence of IPD caused by pneumococcal serotypes not included in PCV7 increased among children aged <5 years and adults aged ≥40 years, with a total of 4,721 projected additional cases of NT IPD in 2003 compared with the 1998–1999 baseline (Table). After

TABLE. Changes in projected numbers of invasive pneumococcal disease (IPD) cases, by age group and serotype category — Active Bacterial Core surveillance (ABCs), United States, 1998–1999 and 2003

Age		1998–1999 average projected	2003 projected	Change in annual projected
group	Serotype	no. of	no. of	no. of
(yrs)	category*	cases†	cases†	cases
<5				
	Vaccine	14,293	876	-13,417
	Nonvaccine	2,947	3,578	631
	Total	17,240	4,454	-12,786
5-17				
	Vaccine	1,195	569	-626
	Nonvaccine	880	824	-56
	Total	2,075	1,393	-682
18-39				
	Vaccine	5,023	1,610	-3,413
	Nonvaccine	3,419	3,407	-12
	Total	8,442	5,017	-3,425
40-64				
	Vaccine	8,945	4,167	-4,778
	Nonvaccine	7,545	10,237	2,692
	Total	16,490	14,404	-2,086
>65				
_	Vaccine	11,595	4,230	-7,365
	Nonvaccine	9,169	10,635	1,466
	Total	20,764	14,865	-5,899
All ages				
3	Vaccine	41,051	11,452	-29,599
	Nonvaccine	23,960	28,681	4,721
	Total	65,011	40,133	-24,878

^{*} Serotypes included in the 7-valent pneumococcal conjugate vaccine are defined as vaccine serotypes (4, 6B, 9V, 14, 18C, 19F, and 23F). All other serotypes are considered nonvaccine serotypes.

FIGURE 2. Estimated number of cases of vaccine-type (VT) invasive pneumococcal disease (IPD) prevented by direct* and indirect† effects of pneumococcal conjugate vaccine (PCV7) — Active Bacterial Core surveillance, United States, 2003



* Direct VT IPD cases prevented in 2003 = 1998–1999 average number of VT IPD cases in children aged <5 years x 2003 PCV7 coverage with 3 doses (68.1%) x PCV7 effectiveness for VT IPD (93.9%).

Indirect VT IPD cases prevented in 2003 = (1998–1999 average number of VT IPD cases across all age groups – 2003 number of VT IPD cases across all age groups) – 2003 direct VT IPD cases prevented. Calculation of indirect cases prevented does not account for replacement disease.

accounting for this increase, 24,878 net cases of IPD were prevented in 2003; net prevented cases were evenly distributed between the age group targeted for vaccination with PCV7 (12,786 prevented cases [51%]) and older children and adults outside the target population (12,092 prevented cases [49%]) (Table).

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Editorial Note: Routine use of PCV7 in young children has reduced the incidence of VT and overall IPD in children and adults, and these reductions have increased since 2001 (2).

^TAnnual national projections of IPD cases were calculated by applying age- and race-specific disease rates for the aggregate ABCs surveillance area to the age and racial distribution of the U.S. population on the basis of 2000 U.S. Census data.

The most substantial decline in the rate of VT disease has been in the target population of children aged <5 years. Data from 2003 also demonstrate statistically significant reductions in the rates of both VT IPD and total IPD for children aged 5–17 years, whereas no statistically significant change in disease rate was observed among persons aged 5–19 years in 2001 (2). As of 2003, the total incidence of IPD in persons aged ≥65 years declined to 41.7 cases per 100,000 population in ABCs surveillance areas, meeting the *Healthy People 2010* objective of no more than 42 cases per 100,000 for this age group (7).

Indirect benefits of PCV7 (i.e., cases prevented in unvaccinated persons) exceeded direct protective benefits among immunized children, with more than twice as many cases of VT IPD prevented indirectly as directly in 2003. The indirect effects of PCV7 are believed to be caused by decreased nasopharyngeal carriage of VT strains among immunized children, which results in decreased transmission to nonimmunized children and adults (i.e., herd immunity) (2,8). On the basis of this mechanism, indirect benefits from PCV7 might be expected to increase as its vaccination coverage increases. In certain populations (e.g., children aged <5 years and adults aged ≥40 years), the reduction in VT IPD attributable to PCV7 was partially offset by an increase in disease caused by non-VT strains. However, during 2003, the overall magnitude of this replacement disease was small compared with the reduction in VT disease.

The findings in this report are subject to at least two limitations. First, secular trends cannot be excluded as a factor in the changing pattern of IPD in the United States. However, these trends would be expected to affect disease caused by all serotypes; the reductions in IPD after introduction of PCV7 have been specific to vaccine serotypes, suggesting a vaccine effect. The decline in adult IPD likely is not attributable to PPV23, given that no decline occurred in the incidence of IPD caused by serotypes included in PPV23 but not in PCV7, and given that the slight increase in vaccine coverage of PPV23 since 1998 (9) would not be expected to cause a measurable change in IPD rate. Second, the calculations of direct and indirect effects of the conjugate vaccine were based on data estimates from several sources, each with an associated margin of error; the calculations in this report provide only crude estimates of the relative magnitudes of direct and indirect vaccine effects. In addition, the number of doses of vaccine needed to provide direct protection is unknown, and partial protection might be provided by fewer than 3 doses.

The robustness of the direct and indirect effects of PCV7 has important implications for cost-benefit analyses of similar vaccines in the United States and internationally. Initial estimates of cost-effectiveness for the United States (10) did

not account for indirect effects and therefore underestimated the cost-effectiveness of PCV7. In addition, ongoing surveil-lance will be required to monitor the balance of disease reduction versus replacement in the conjugate vaccine era, particularly in vulnerable populations (e.g., the elderly and immunocompromised persons), who might be more susceptible to less virulent non-VT strains of pneumococci. Such information will be critical for determining whether the composition of conjugate vaccines should be revised or expanded over time.

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Improper Disposal of Hazardous Substances and Resulting Injuries — Selected States, January 2001–March 2005

Many consumer and industrial products, including fuels, solvents, fertilizers, pesticides, paints, and household cleaning disinfectants, contain hazardous substances. Improper disposal of these materials can lead to unexpected releases of toxins that are hazardous to humans and harmful to the environment. This report summarizes all known events involving improper disposal of hazardous substances reported to the Agency for Toxic Substances and Disease Registry (ATSDR) during January 2001–March 2005, describes four illustrative case reports, and provides recommendations for preventing injury resulting from improper disposal.

ATSDR maintains the Hazardous Substances Emergency Events Surveillance (HSEES) system to collect and analyze data about the public health consequences (i.e., morbidity, mortality, and evacuation) of hazardous-substance–release events.* The information in this report is based on events reported to HSEES from 18 participating state health departments[†] during January 2001–March 2005. Improper disposal events are defined as events in which a hazardous substance is placed in municipal waste and subsequently causes a release or potential release that requires (or would have required) removal, clean-up, or neutralization according to federal, state, or local law.

Summary of HSEES Data

A total of 36,784 events involving release of hazardous substances were reported to HSEES during January 2001–March 2005. Of these, 107 (0.3%) were associated with improper disposal. All 18 states reported this type of event, with New York (47 [44%] events) and Washington (13 [12%]) reporting the most events. Sixteen (15%) events involved fires or explosions. Of the 159 known improper disposal locations, releases occurred most frequently in residential (59 [37%]) and commercial settings (53 [33%]). Of the 284** total substances involved in improper disposal events, the most common substances were hydrochloric acid (24 [8%]), acid not otherwise specified (15 [5%]), and iodine-131 (six [2%]).

Of the 107 events, 35 (33%) resulted in injuries to 69 persons, 64 (93%) of whom were categorized as employees. HSEES does not collect specific information on type of employee injured (e.g., sanitation worker). However, evaluation of the comment field on incidence reports indicated that more than half (39 [57%]) of the 64 injured employees were sanitation workers.

The 69 injured persons had a total of 101 reported injuries, most frequently respiratory irritation (46 [46%]), dizziness or other central nervous system symptoms (12 [12%]), eye irritation (11 [11%]), and burns (nine [9%]). Forty-two (61%) injured persons were treated at hospitals but not admitted, 11 (16%) were treated at the scene, four (6%) were examined by private physicians, three (4%) were treated at hospitals and admitted, and three (4%) were sent to hospitals for observation. The remaining six (9%) persons experienced adverse health effects within 24 hours of exposure; these injuries were reported through official channels (e.g., fire or police departments, emergency medical services, or poison control centers). No deaths occurred.

Evacuation was ordered for 13 (12%) of the 107 events. The number of evacuees was known for nine of the events, for which 74 persons were known to have evacuated; the number of persons per event ranged from two to 25 (median: six persons per event). The median length of evacuation was 3 hours (range: 1–82 hours).

Of the 97 (91%) events for which decontamination status was known, decontamination of potentially exposed persons was necessary in 31 (32%) events. Ninety-two persons were decontaminated; of these, 61 (66%) were emergency responders, 29 (32%) were employees (i.e., sanitation workers or

^{*} An HSEES event is the acute release or threatened release of a hazardous substance into the environment in an amount that requires (or would have required) removal, cleanup, or neutralization according to federal, state, or local law (1). A hazardous substance is one that can reasonably be expected to cause an adverse health effect upon exposure.

[†] Alabama, Colorado, Florida, Iowa, Louisiana, Michigan, Minnesota, Mississippi, Missouri, New Jersey, New York, North Carolina, Oregon, Rhode Island, Texas, Utah, Washington, and Wisconsin.

[§] Data through March 31, 2005, were the most recent available when the analysis was conducted; data for 2004 and 2005 are provisional.

[¶] Exceeds the number of events because some events may occur in mixed-use locations (e.g., in a residential and commercial area).

^{**} Exceeds the number of events because certain events involved multiple substances.

employees of the industry involved in the release), and two (2%) were members of the general public.

Case Reports

The following case reports illustrate the danger involved in improper disposal of hazardous substances.

New York. In June 2004, a sanitation truck compacted an improperly disposed of container of hydrochloric acid, releasing approximately 10 gallons of the hazardous substance into a commercial/residential area. Two male sanitation workers sustained chemical burns and were decontaminated on the scene, treated at a hospital, and released. A hazardous materials (HazMat) team, law enforcement officials, fire department officials, and emergency medical services personnel responded to the event.

Colorado. In March 2003, a hospital employee improperly disposed of an unknown quantity of radioactive waste in a dumpster. The dumpster contents were picked up by a garbage truck. Later, as the garbage truck approached the landfill, the contents activated radiation detectors at the landfill. No injuries were reported; however, four first responders were decontaminated at the site. Access to the landfill was restricted until the radioactive waste was removed. A company emergency response team, fire department officials, and hospital personnel responded to the event.

Washington. In June 2002, hydrochloric acid used in an illicit methamphetamine laboratory was disposed of in an apartment building dumpster. Later, a male sanitation worker sustained respiratory irritation when the acid was dumped into the back of his truck. After the exposure occurred, his supervisor took the worker to a physician for observation. Law enforcement officials, fire department officials, emergency medical services personnel, and an environmental agency responded to the event.

Wisconsin. In August 2001, a sanitation truck compacted an improperly disposed of container of hydrochloric acid, releasing approximately 1 gallon of the hazardous substance into a residential area. The sanitation truck driver sustained chemical burns after coming into contact with the acid. He was transported to a hospital, treated for his injury, and released. A HazMat response team responded to the event.

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Editorial Note: This report illustrates the dangers associated with improper disposal of hazardous substances. Although improper disposal events accounted for a limited number of hazardous-substance–release events overall, HSEES has been recording approximately 25 such events per year, and the potential for additional events appears substantial. Persons in

the United States generate approximately 1.6 million tons of household hazardous waste each year (2). An average household can accumulate as much as 100 pounds of hazardous waste in basements, garages, and storage closets (2). In addition, industries and businesses in the United States generate more than 40 million tons of hazardous waste annually (3).

Because many hazardous substances are toxic, flammable, corrosive, explosive, or even radioactive, they can be dangerous when disposed of improperly. Of particular concern is the hazard to sanitation workers because sanitation trucks, especially those with compactors, can easily breach hazardous substance containers, resulting in releases and mixing of substances. During this reporting period, more than half the injured persons were sanitation workers.

At least five of the events were caused by improper disposal of hazardous substances used in illicit methamphetamine laboratories (e.g., hydrochloric acid, ether, and acetone). Substances used in methamphetamine production, many of which are volatile, are often disposed of in municipal waste containers. When these substances are discarded and compacted, the potential for a hazardous release, fire, and explosion is increased.

The majority of the 101 reported injuries examined in this analysis were not life threatening, and no deaths occurred during the reporting period. However, a previous HSEES analysis described the death of a sanitation worker exposed to an improperly disposed of container of hydrofluoric acid (4).

The findings in this report are subject to at least two limitations. Reporting of events to HSEES is not mandatory; therefore, participating state health departments might not be informed about every event. Second, only 18 state health departments provided data to HSEES during the reporting period; therefore, these data underrepresent the total hazardous-substance—release events in the United States.

The findings suggest the need for development and implementation of effective public health strategies to prevent improper disposal practices or injuries resulting from those practices (2,5–7). Such strategies include educating the public regarding proper methods for disposing of hazardous substances, promoting the use of alternative products that do not contain hazardous substances, and organizing community collection days for disposal of hazardous substances (Box).

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BOX. Preventing improper disposal of hazardous substances and resulting injuries

General public

- Learn the proper methods for disposing of hazardous substances.
- Understand the dangers associated with improper disposal of hazardous substances.
- Read container labels for proper use and disposal recommendations.
- Be certain a toxic product is needed before using it.
- Use alternative products that do not contain hazardous substances.
- Purchase the smallest possible quantity of a product.
- Use leftover chemicals for other projects, or share them with other persons (e.g., neighbors).

Community leaders

- Place waste containers (e.g., dumpsters) in well-lit, secured areas.
- Train sanitation workers to recognize discarded methamphetamine laboratory chemicals and equipment.
- Establish collection days for hazardous substances.

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Update: Influenza Activity — United States and Worldwide, May 22–September 3, 2005, and 2005–06 Season Vaccination Recommendations

Influenza A (H3N2) viruses circulated worldwide, and Influenza A (H1)* and B viruses were reported less frequently during May 22–September 3, 2005. In North America, isolates of influenza A (H3N2), A (H1), and influenza B were identified sporadically. This report summarizes influenza activity in the United States and worldwide since the last *MMWR* update.[†]

United States

In the United States, CDC uses seven systems for national influenza surveillance, including the following four that operate year-round: 1) collaborating laboratories of the World Health Organization (WHO) and the National Respiratory and Enteric Virus Surveillance System (NREVSS) report the number, types, and subtypes of influenza viruses detected; 2) approximately 2,250 sentinel health-care providers report patient visits for influenza-like illness (ILI), and approximately 500 of these providers continue regular reporting throughout the summer; 3) 122 U.S. cities report mortality attributed to influenza and pneumonia on a weekly basis; and 4) a national surveillance system records pediatric deaths associated with laboratory-confirmed influenza (1).

During May 22–September 3,§ WHO and NREVSS collaborating laboratories tested 14,016 respiratory specimens; 120 (0.9%) were positive for influenza. Of the positive results, 66 (55%) were influenza B viruses, 33 (28%) were influenza A (H3N2) viruses, one (0.8%) was an influenza A (H1) virus, and 20 (17%) were influenza A viruses that were not subtyped. The majority (78%) of these isolates were tested from mid-May through late June, during which time 1.3% of specimens tested were positive for influenza. Since July, 0.4% of specimens tested were positive for influenza.

^{*}Includes both the A (H1N1) and A (H1N2) influenza virus types. Although H1N2 viruses have not been identified since February 2004, not all isolated H1 viruses have been tested for the subtype of their neuraminidase. Thus, H1N2 viruses might continue to circulate in some parts of the world. Influenza A (H1N2) viruses appear to have resulted from reassortment of the genes of the circulating influenza A (H1N1) and A (H3N2) subtypes. Because the hemagglutinin proteins of the A (H1N2) viruses are similar to those of the circulating A (H1N1) viruses, and the neuraminidase proteins are similar to the circulating A (H3N2) viruses, the 2005–06 influenza vaccine should provide protection against A (H1N2) viruses.

[†]CDC. Update: influenza activity—United States and worldwide, 2004–05 season. MMWR 2005;54:631–4.

 $[\]S$ As of September 9, 2005; reporting is incomplete.

During May 22–September 3, the weekly percentage of patient visits to sentinel providers for ILI remained below the national baseline of 2.5% and ranged from 0.7% to 1.3%. The percentage of deaths attributable to pneumonia and influenza (P&I) as reported by the 122 Cities Mortality Reporting System remained below the epidemic threshold,** and no influenza-related pediatric deaths were reported as occurring during this period.

Worldwide

During May 22–September 3, influenza A (H3N2) viruses predominated in Asia (China, Hong Kong, Japan, Korea, and Thailand). Influenza A (H3N2) viruses were also identified in Oman and Singapore. Influenza A (H1) viruses were reported in China, Hong Kong, India, Indonesia, Japan, Korea, and Malaysia. Influenza B viruses were reported in China, Hong Kong, Indonesia, Korea, Nepal, Philippines, and Thailand.

In Oceania, during the same period, influenza A (H3N2 and non-subtyped) viruses predominated in Australia; influenza B viruses were responsible for outbreaks in New Zealand. Influenza B viruses were also reported in Australia and New Caledonia. In Africa, both influenza A virus subtypes (H3N2 and H1) and influenza B viruses were reported in South Africa, and influenza A (H3N2) and influenza B viruses were reported in Madagascar. Influenza B viruses also were reported in Kenya.

In South America, influenza A (H3N2 and non-subtyped) viruses were associated with regional outbreaks in Argentina and Chile during May 22–September 3 and were reported in Brazil, Colombia, Peru, and Uruguay. Influenza B viruses were associated with an outbreak in Colombia in July and also were reported in Argentina, Brazil, Chile, and Uruguay. Influenza A (H1) viruses were reported in Peru. In North America, influenza A viruses (H3N2 and non-subtyped) and influenza B viruses were reported in Canada, Mexico, and the United States. The United States reported one influenza A (H1) virus. Influenza A (H3N2) viruses also were reported in El Salvador and Panama (2–4).

Characterization of Influenza Virus Isolates

The WHO Collaborating Center for Surveillance, Epidemiology, and Control of Influenza, located at CDC, analyzes influenza-virus isolates received from laboratories worldwide. During May 22–September 3, a total of 77 influenza A (H3N2) viruses (47 from Latin America, 21 from Asia, eight from the United States, and one from Oceania) were collected and characterized antigenically. All 77 influenza A (H3N2) viruses were antigenically related to the A/California/07/2004 reference virus. However, four South American viruses and nine Asian viruses had reduced titers to A/California/07/2004. An A/California/07/2004-like virus was recommended as the H3 component for the 2005–06 Northern Hemisphere vaccine. No influenza A (H1) viruses collected during this period were received and characterized by CDC.

Influenza B viruses circulating worldwide can be divided into two antigenically distinct lineages: B/Yamagata/16/88 and B/Victoria/2/87. Before 1991, B/Victoria lineage viruses circulated worldwide; from late 1991 to early 2001, no viruses of the B/Victoria lineage were identified outside Asia. However, since March 2001, B/Victoria-lineage viruses have been identified in many countries outside Asia, including the United States. Viruses of the B/Yamagata lineage began circulating worldwide in 1990 and continue to be identified. The type-B component of the 2005-06 influenza vaccine (B/Shanghai/ 361/2002-like) belongs to the B/Yamagata lineage. Of the 46 influenza B isolates collected during May 22-September 3 and characterized antigenically at CDC, three belonged to the B/Yamagata lineage, and 43 belonged to the B/Victoria lineage. All three of the B/Yamagata-lineage viruses had reduced titers to B/Shanghai/361/2002. Two of the B/ Yamagata-lineage viruses were from Asia, and one was from the United States. Of the 43 B/Victoria-lineage viruses, 18 came from Asia, 18 from South America, and seven from the United States.

Avian Influenza A (H5N1)

Since December 2003, a total of 11 countries (Cambodia, China, Indonesia, Japan, Kazakhstan, Laos, Malaysia, Russia, South Korea, Thailand, and Vietnam) have reported outbreaks of highly pathogenic avian influenza A (H5N1) virus affecting poultry. Russia and Kazakhstan reported outbreaks of H5N1 virus among poultry for the first time in late July 2005 (5). Mongolia reported detection of H5N1 virus in migratory birds in August (6). In Southeast Asia, where H5N1 continues to be detected among poultry, approximately 150 million birds have died or been culled since 2003 (5).

The national baseline was calculated as the mean percentage of patient visits for ILI during noninfluenza weeks plus two standard deviations. Wide variability in regional data precludes calculating region-specific baselines and makes applying the national baseline to regional data inappropriate. National and regional percentages of patient visits for ILI are weighted on the basis of state population.

^{**} The expected seasonal baseline proportion of P&I deaths reported by the 122 Cities Mortality Reporting System is projected by using a robust regression procedure in which a periodic regression model is applied to the observed percentage of deaths from P&I during the previous 5 years. The epidemic threshold is 1.654 standard deviations above the seasonal baseline.

Since December 2003, a total of 112 H5N1 cases in humans have been reported to WHO in four countries (Cambodia, Indonesia, Thailand, and Vietnam); 57 (51%) persons died. In August 2005, three cases (including two deaths) were reported in Vietnam. In July, one fatal case was reported in Indonesia (5).

Influenza Vaccine Supply and Recommendations

Vaccination is the primary method for preventing influenza (1). For the 2005–06 influenza vaccine, four manufacturers expect to provide influenza vaccine to the U.S. population. Sanofi Pasteur, Inc., projects production of up to 60 million doses of trivalent inactivated influenza vaccine (TIV). Chiron Corporation projects production of 18–26 million doses of TIV. GlaxoSmithKline, Inc. projects production of 8 million doses of TIV. MedImmune Vaccines, Inc., producer of the nasal-spray, live attenuated influenza vaccine (LAIV), projects production of approximately 3 million doses (7).

Because of the uncertainties regarding production of influenza vaccine, the exact number of available doses and timing of vaccine distribution for the 2005–06 influenza season remain unknown. As a result, CDC recommends that only the following priority groups receive TIV before October 24, 2005:

- persons aged ≥65 years with comorbid conditions
- residents of long-term-care facilities
- persons aged 2–64 years with comorbid conditions
- persons aged ≥65 years without comorbid conditions
- children aged 6-23 months
- pregnant women
- health-care personnel who provide direct patient care
- household contacts and out-of-home caregivers of children aged <6 months

These groups correspond to tiers 1A–1C in the previously published table of TIV priority groups in the event of vaccination supply disruption (8). Beginning October 24, 2005, influenza vaccine should be made available to all persons. Healthy persons aged 5–49 years who are not pregnant, including health-care workers who are not caring for severely immunocompromised patients in special-care units, can receive LAIV at any time (1).

Vaccination Recommendations for Persons Displaced by Hurricane Katrina

On September 6, 2005, CDC issued interim vaccination recommendations for persons displaced by Hurricane Katrina (9). Any displaced persons aged ≥6 months living in crowded group settings should be administered influenza vaccine;

children aged ≤8 years should be administered 2 doses, at least 1 month apart.

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Editorial Note: During May 22–September 3, 2005, influenza A (H3N2) viruses were the most frequently reported virus worldwide; however, influenza A (H1) and influenza B viruses also circulated. In North America, sporadic cases of influenza were identified each month. The identification of influenza isolates and even sporadic outbreaks in the summer in North America is not unusual. Neither the influenza virus that will predominate in the United States nor the severity and timing of the 2005–06 season can be predicted.

The ongoing widespread epizootic of highly pathogenic avian influenza A (H5N1) viruses in Asia remains a major public health concern. Since December 2003, a total of 12 countries have reported H5N1 outbreaks in poultry or migratory birds, with human cases reported from four of these countries. Since July 2005, H5N1 infections in poultry and migratory birds have spread beyond their initial focus in Southeast Asia to Kazakhstan, Mongolia, and Russia; a human case was reported in Indonesia for the first time. No evidence of sustained person-to-person transmission has been identified to date, although probable limited person-to-person transmission has been reported (10). To date, no evidence has indicated genetic reassortment among avian influenza A (H5N1) and human influenza A viruses. CDC recommends enhanced surveillance for suspected H5N1 cases among travelers with unexplained severe respiratory illness returning from H5N1affected countries. Additional information about avian influenza is available at http://www.cdc.gov/flu/avian.

Influenza surveillance reports for the United States are posted online weekly during October–May and are available at http://www.cdc.gov/flu/weekly/fluactivity.htm. Additional information about influenza viruses, influenza surveillance, and the influenza vaccine is available at http://www.cdc.gov/flu.

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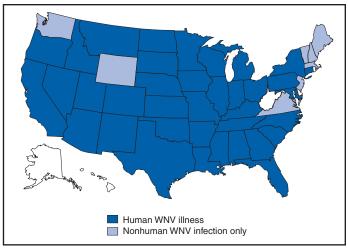
Update: West Nile Virus Activity — United States, 2005

This report summarizes West Nile virus (WNV) surveillance data reported to CDC through ArboNET as of 3 a.m. Mountain Daylight Time, September 13, 2005.

Thirty-seven states have reported 1,299 cases of human WNV illness in 2005 (Figure and Table 1). By comparison, in 2004, a total of 1,386 WNV cases had been reported as of September 14, 2004 (Table 2). A total of 671 (56%) of the 1,193 cases for which such data were available occurred in males; the median age of patients was 50 years (range: 3 months–98 years). Date of illness onset ranged from January 2 to September 8; a total of 29 cases were fatal.

During 2005, a total of 230 presumptive West Nile viremic blood donors (PVDs) have been reported to ArboNET. Of

FIGURE. Areas reporting West Nile virus (WNV) activity — United States, 2005*



* As of September 13, 2005.

these, 71 were reported from California; 37 from Nebraska; 32 from Texas; 20 from South Dakota; 15 from Louisiana; nine from Kansas; seven from Iowa; six each from Arizona and Illinois; five from New Mexico; four from Minnesota; three from Oregon; two each from Alabama, Colorado, Mississippi, and Utah; and one each from Idaho, Michigan, Montana, Nevada, North Carolina, North Dakota, and Pennsylvania. Of the 230 PVDs, four persons aged 35, 53, 56, and 71 years subsequently had neuroinvasive illness; three persons aged 17, 41, and 51 years subsequently had other illnesses; and 60 persons (median age: 47 years [range: 17–78 years]) subsequently had West Nile fever.

In addition, 2,926 dead corvids and 627 other dead birds with WNV infection have been reported from 39 states. WNV infections have been reported in horses from 28 states, three dogs from Minnesota and Nebraska, four squirrels from Arizona, and two unidentified animal species in two states (Arizona and Illinois). WNV seroconversions have been reported in 675 sentinel chicken flocks from 12 states. One seropositive sentinel horse was reported from Minnesota. A total of 7,822 WNV-positive mosquito pools have been reported from 38 areas (Alabama, Arizona, Arkansas, California, Colorado, Connecticut, District of Columbia, Florida, Georgia, Idaho, Illinois, Indiana, Iowa, Kansas, Louisiana, Maryland, Massachusetts, Michigan, Minnesota, Missouri, Montana, Nebraska, Nevada, New Jersey, New Mexico, New York, Ohio, Oklahoma, Oregon, Pennsylvania, South Carolina, South Dakota, Tennessee, Texas, Utah, Virginia, Washington, and Wisconsin).

Additional information about national WNV activity is available from CDC at http://www.cdc.gov/ncidod/dvbid/westnile/index.htm and at http://westnilemaps.usgs.gov.

TABLE 1. Number of human cases of West Nile virus (WNV) illness reported, by state - United States, 2005*

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	Neuroinvasive	West Nile	Other clinical/		
State	disease [†]	fever§	unspecified1	Total**	Deaths
Alabama	3	2	0	5	0
Arizona	14	10	5	29	0
Arkansas	1	5	0	6	0
California	175	319	54	548	9
Colorado	5	36	0	41	0
Connecticut	2	0	0	2	0
Florida	4	7	1	12	0
Georgia	1	1	1	3	0
Idaho	2	5	2	9	0
Illinois	71	42	10	123	2
Indiana	1	0	0	1	0
Iowa	2	3	1	6	1
Kansas	2	2	0	4	0
Kentucky	1	0	0	1	0
Louisiana	50	16	0	66	4
Maryland	1	0	0	1	0
Michigan	5	1	1	7	0
Minnesota	7	13	0	20	1
Mississippi	12	11	0	23	2
Missouri	3	4	2	9	1
Montana	5	6	0	11	0
Nebraska	18	39	0	57	1
Nevada	6	11	0	17	0
New Mexico	10	4	0	14	1
New York	2	1	0	3	0
North Carolin		1	0	2	0
North Dakota		14	0	16	0
Ohio	10	2	0	12	0
Oklahoma	1	0	0	1	0
Oregon	0	3	0	3	0
Pennsylvania		5	0	11	0
South Carolin		0	0	1	1
South Dakota		140	1	169	1
Tennessee	2	1	0	3	0
Texas	30	6	0	36	4
Utah	10	13	0	23	1
Wisconsin	3	1	0	4	0
Total	497	724	78	1,299	29

TABLE 2. Comparison of human cases and deaths from West Nile virus — United States, 2002–2005

Year	Human cases	Deaths
2002*	1,201	43
2003 [†]	2,923	54
2004§	1,386	35
2005 [¶]	1,299	29

^{*} As of September 13, 2005.
† Cases with neurologic manifestations (i.e., West Nile meningitis, West Nile encephalitis, and West Nile myelitis).

[§] Cases with no evidence of neuroinvalsion.

¶ Illnesses for which sufficient clinical information was not provided.

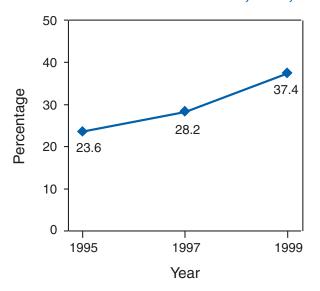
^{**} Total number of human cases of WNV illness reported to ArboNET by state and local health departments.

Data through September 11, 2002.
Data through September 10, 2003.
Data through September 14, 2004.
Data through September 13, 2005.

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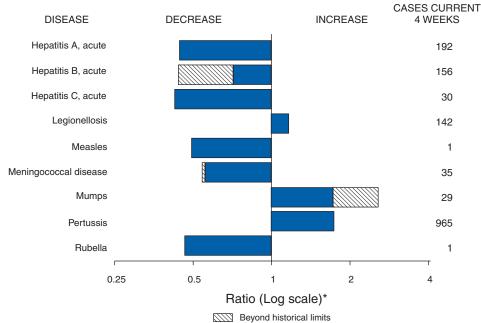
Percentage of Nursing Home Residents Aged ≥65 Years Who Received Pneumococcal Vaccinations — United States, 1995, 1997, and 1999



From 1995 to 1999, the percentage of nursing home residents aged ≥65 years who received 23-valent pneumococcal polysaccharide vaccine (PPV23) increased by 58.5%. This increase might be attributable, in part, to a 36% increase in the number of residents living in nursing homes with pneumococcal immunization programs. The Advisory Committee on Immunization Practices continues to recommend PPV23 vaccination for all persons aged ≥65 years and all residents of nursing homes and other long-term—care facilities (CDC. Recommended adult immunization schedule—United States, October 2004–September 2005. MMWR 2004;53:Q1–Q4.)

SOURCES: Bardenheier B, Shefer A, Tiggle RB, Marsteller J, Remsburg RE. Nursing home resident and facility characteristics associated with pneumococcal vaccination: National Nursing Home Survey, 1995–1999. J Am Geriatr Soc 2005;53:1543–51.

FIGURE I. Selected notifiable disease reports, United States, comparison of provisional 4-week totals September 10, 2005, with historical data



^{*} Ratio of current 4-week total to mean of 15 4-week totals (from previous, comparable, and subsequent 4-week periods for the past 5 years). The point where the hatched area begins is based on the mean and two standard deviations of these 4-week totals.

TABLE I. Summary of provisional cases of selected notifiable diseases, United States, cumulative, week ending September 10, 2005 (36th Week)*

Disease	Cum. 2005	Cum. 2004	Disease	Cum. 2005	Cum. 2004
Anthrax	_	_	Hemolytic uremic syndrome, postdiarrheal†	110	116
Botulism:			HIV infection, pediatric ^{†¶}	181	273
foodborne	9	6	Influenza-associated pediatric mortality†**	43	_
infant	56	56	Measles	57 ^{††}	25§§
other (wound & unspecified)	19	10	Mumps	193	146
Brucellosis	73	63	Plague	3	1
Chancroid	17	19	Poliomyelitis, paralytic	_	_
Cholera	3	4	Psittacosis [†]	15	8
Cyclosporiasis†	673	189	Q fever [†]	83	47
Diphtheria	_	_	Rabies, human	1	4
Domestic arboviral diseases			Rubella	9	9
(neuroinvasive & non-neuroinvasive):	_	_	Rubella, congenital syndrome	1	l –
California serogroup†§	14	84	SARS† **	_	_
eastern equine†§	11	3	Smallpox [†]	_	l –
Powassan ^{†§}	-	1	Staphylococcus aureus:		
St. Louis†§	2	11	Vancomycin-intermediate (VISA)†	_	l –
western equine†§	-	l —	Vancomycin-resistant (VRSA)†	_	1
Ehrlichiosis:	l –	l —	Streptococcal toxic-shock syndrome [†]	91	102
human granulocytic (HGE)†	359	276	Tetanus	15	14
human monocytic (HME)†	246	206	Toxic-shock syndrome	71	63
human, other and unspecified †	51	50	Trichinellosis ^{¶¶}	13	1
Hansen disease [†]	54	70	Tularemia [†]	88	74
Hantavirus pulmonary syndrome†	17	18	Yellow fever	_	_

^{—:} No reported cases.

^{*} Incidence data for reporting years 2004 and 2005 are provisional and cumulative (year-to-date).

Not notifiable in all states.

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^{**} Updated weekly from reports to the Division of Viral and Rickettsial Diseases, National Center for Infectious Diseases.

Of 57 cases reported, 46 were indigenous and 11 were imported from another country.

^{§§} Of 25 cases reported, eight were indigenous and 17 were imported from another country.

^{IIII} Formerly Trichinosis.

TABLE II. Provisional cases of selected notifiable diseases, United States, weeks ending September 10, 2005, and September 11, 2004 (36th Week)*

(36th Week)*	All	ns	Chla	Chlamydia [†]		Coccidioidomycosis		oridiosis
	Cum.	Cum.	Cum.	Cum.	Cum.	Cum.	Cum.	Cum.
Reporting area	2005§	2004	2005	2004	2005	2004	2005	2004
UNITED STATES	20,405	26,653	623,560	633,821	3,101	3,954	3,457	2,332
NEW ENGLAND Maine N.H. Vt. ¹ Mass. R.I. Conn.	778 11 20 4 368 68 307	865 20 29 13 283 98 422	22,054 1,509 1,283 674 9,864 2,254 6,470	20,625 1,400 1,163 780 9,038 2,367 5,877	N N	N N	158 14 20 23 58 5	127 16 21 21 51 4 14
MID. ATLANTIC Upstate N.Y. N.Y. City N.J. Pa.	4,352 800 2,327 574 651	5,934 723 3,242 1,017 952	77,907 15,376 24,501 12,841 25,189	78,183 15,552 24,283 12,313 26,035			1,502 1,290 53 16 143	329 75 85 37 132
E.N. CENTRAL Ohio Ind. III. Mich. Wis.	1,938 312 236 983 322 85	2,339 465 264 1,106 383 121	96,088 24,139 12,923 29,604 16,703 12,719	112,120 27,789 12,699 32,779 25,946 12,907	5 N N - 5 N	10 N N — 10 N	639 326 34 52 64 163	743 169 55 128 110 281
W.N. CENTRAL Minn. Iowa Mo. N. Dak. S. Dak. Nebr. ¹ Kans.	463 123 50 198 5 10 18	578 141 47 254 15 7 35 79	38,634 7,120 4,830 15,380 830 1,881 3,837 4,756	38,572 8,110 4,630 14,221 1,236 1,685 3,560 5,130	5 3 N 1 N —	5 N N 3 N — 2 N	391 80 76 188 — 16 4 27	284 91 59 55 9 23 24 23
S. ATLANTIC Del. Md. D.C. Va." W. Va. N.C. S.C." Ga. Fla.	6,473 100 812 467 307 36 531 386 1,103 2,731	8,273 105 988 523 472 55 416 504 1,161 4,049	121,873 2,259 12,807 2,573 14,310 1,808 22,985 15,058 20,655 29,418	119,223 1,954 13,043 2,417 15,266 1,949 20,104 13,348 22,242 28,900	1 N 1 — N N N	N N N N	344 ———————————————————————————————————	351 14 13 38 4 54 17 122 89
E.S. CENTRAL Ky. Tenn. ¹¹ Ala. ¹ Miss.	1,093 135 434 295 229	1,322 157 533 305 327	45,391 6,446 16,560 8,258 14,127	41,119 3,891 15,521 9,394 12,313	N N —	5 N N -	72 33 22 15 2	97 29 29 16 23
W.S. CENTRAL Ark. La.** Okla. Tex. ¹	2,206 72 436 167 1,531	3,151 135 639 130 2,247	75,337 5,872 12,572 7,710 49,183	78,744 5,578 16,217 7,735 49,214	1 1 N N	2 1 1 N N	59 3 3 33 20	72 13 3 17 39
MOUNTAIN Mont. Idaho¹ Wyo. Colo. N. Mex. Ariz. Utah Nev.¹	789 4 9 2 163 72 329 33 177	933 4 16 13 162 138 356 51 193	36,237 1,377 1,655 765 9,229 3,272 12,440 2,976 4,523	38,605 1,674 1,946 747 9,783 6,140 11,286 2,559 4,470	2,136 N N 3 N 9 2,089 4 31	2,470 N N 2 N 18 2,392 13 45	90 14 6 2 32 3 10 15 8	129 34 18 3 43 11 15 3
PACIFIC Wash. Oreg. ¹¹ Calif. Alaska Hawaii	2,313 229 136 1,874 14 60	3,258 288 216 2,658 29 67	110,039 12,787 5,641 86,219 2,683 2,709	106,630 12,084 5,635 82,469 2,638 3,804	953 N — 953 —	1,462 N — 1,462 —	202 30 45 125 1	200 23 28 147 —
Guam P.R. V.I. Amer. Samoa C.N.M.I.	1 537 10 U 2	1 396 10 U U	2,584 119 U	789 2,532 259 U U			N - U	

N: Not notifiable. U: Unavailable. —: No reported cases. C.N.M.I.: Commonwealth of Northern Mariana Islands.

*Incidence data for reporting years 2004 and 2005 are provisional and cumulative (year-to-date).

†Chlamydia refers to genital infections caused by *C. trachomatis*.

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†Contains data reported through National Electronic Disease Surveillance System (NEDSS).

**Because of Hurricane Katrina, weekly reporting has been disrupted.

TABLE II. (*Continued*) Provisional cases of selected notifiable diseases, United States, weeks ending September 10, 2005, and September 11, 2004 (36th Week)*

(36th Week)*		Escher	ichia coli, Ente	rohemorrhagio	(EHEC)					
				in positive,	Shiga toxi	n positive,				
		7:H7		non-O157	not sero	-	Giardi			orrhea
Reporting area	Cum. 2005	Cum. 2004	Cum. 2005	Cum. 2004	Cum. 2005	Cum. 2004	Cum. 2005	Cum. 2004	Cum. 2005	Cum. 2004
UNITED STATES	1,336	1,639	186	183	170	119	11,081	12,712	212,703	222,870
NEW ENGLAND	96	114	35	38	17	10	1,018	1,186	4,085	4,810
Maine	12	9	6	_	_	_	136	99	93	154
N.H. Vt.	11 10	14 11	2	5	_	_	38 107	26 121	114 38	87 61
Mass.	36	51	6	13	17	10	425	524	1,788	2,136
R.I. Conn.	3 24	6 23	— 18	1 19	_	_	70 242	68 348	308 1,744	604 1,768
MID. ATLANTIC	171	190	19	28	26	28	2,051	2,692	22,149	25,259
Upstate N.Y.	73	81	11	12	8	14	737	875	4,390	5,085
N.Y. City N.J.	7 27	33 36		<u> </u>	<u> </u>	<u> </u>	523 240	762 348	6,458 3,864	7,835 4,736
Pa.	64	40	6	11	13	8	551	707	7,437	7,603
E.N. CENTRAL	266	317	17	38 7	8	19	1,748 504	1,989	38,651	46,777
Ohio Ind.	80 37	66 36	4	_	3	10	504 N	541 N	11,476 5,175	14,330 4,570
III.	45	71	1	7	1	6	354	572	11,910	14,228
Mich. Wis.	57 47	58 86	 12	7 17	<u>4</u>	3	491 399	455 421	6,506 3,584	10,355 3,294
W.N. CENTRAL	222	347	22	25	29	20	1,270	1,393	12,405	11,650
Minn. Iowa	54 50	79 95	7	10	17 —	4	562 173	504 199	2,010	2,023
Mo.	50 57	56	9	 12	<u> </u>	6	290	381	1,080 6,397	827 6,070
N. Dak.	3	11	_	_	_	6	7	18	50	80
S. Dak. Nebr.	16 14	27 53	3 3	3	4	_	63 58	42 98	252 890	186 738
Kans.	28	26	_	_	3	4	117	151	1,726	1,726
S. ATLANTIC	120	114	48	20	67	25	1,567	1,972	52,625	53,984
Del. Md.	3 22	2 20	N 19	N 3	N 6	N 3	31 123	34 81	563 4,795	616 5,598
D.C.	_	1	_	_	_	_	35	51	1,443	1,775
Va. W. Va.	19 1	23 2	16 —	9	12 1	_	323 30	334 27	5,101 491	6,149 622
N.C.	_	_	_	_	38	16	N	N	10,811	10,643
S.C. Ga.	4 17	9 15	9	<u> </u>	_	_	67 318	79 615	6,602 9,515	6,605 9,721
Fla.	54	42	4	2	10	6	640	751	13,304	12,255
E.S. CENTRAL	90	75	1	3	16	13	268	261	17,480	17,905
Ky. Tenn.	28 35	18 33	<u> </u>	1	13 3	7 6	N 136	N 142	2,139 5,957	1,700 5,715
Ala.	22	14	_	_	_	_	132	119	4,851	5,699
Miss.	5	10	_	2	_	_		_	4,533	4,791
W.S. CENTRAL Ark.	34 6	64 11	4	3	3	4	193 58	215 84	30,592 3,072	30,259 2,896
La.	3	3	3	1	2	_	27	37	6,950	7,516
Okla. Tex.	16 9	14 36	_ 1		_ 1	4	108 N	94 N	3,125 17,445	3,289 16,558
MOUNTAIN	119	160	34	27	4	_	888	1,036	7,879	8,100
Mont.	12	12	_	_	_	_	47	43	75	56
Idaho Wyo.	10 4	37 6	8 2	7 1	2	_	53 17	123 16	68 49	57 40
Colo.	25	41	1	1	1	_	344	368	2,095	2,091
N. Mex. Ariz.	6 26	10 14	5 N	5 N	 N	N	43 97	56 130	628 2,750	816 2,610
Utah	27	26	18	12	_		246	217	457	401
Nev.	9	14	_	1	1	_	41	83	1,757	2,029
PACIFIC Wash.	218 56	258 88	6	1	_	_	2,078 234	1,968 224	26,837 2,496	24,126 1,829
Oreg.	50	50	6	1	_	_	244	309	993	782
Calif. Alaska	91 12	114 1	_	_	_	_	1,490 67	1,319 57	22,479 375	20,197 423
Hawaii	9	5	_	_	_	_	43	59	494	895
Guam	N	N	_	_	_	_		2	. —	122
P.R. V.I.	1	1	_	_	_	_	97 —	181	245 35	184 76
Amer. Samoa	U	U	U	U	U	U	U	U	U	U
C.N.M.I.	_	U	_	U	_	U	_	U	_	U

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(36th Week)*	-							
				Haemophilus infl	<i>luenzae</i> , invasiv	re		
	All a	ges			Age <	5 years		
	All sero	otypes	Serc	otype b	Non-se	rotype b	Unknown	serotype
Departing area	Cum. 2005	Cum. 2004	Cum. 2005	Cum. 2004	Cum.	Cum. 2004	Cum. 2005	Cum.
Reporting area UNITED STATES	1,484	1,412	3	9	2005 81	80	145	2004 135
NEW ENGLAND	120	126	_	1	10	8	5	1
Maine	6	10	_	_	_	_	1	_
N.H. Vt.	6 6	14 5	_	_	_	<u>2</u> —		_ 1
Mass. R.I.	56 7	62 3	_	1	3	3	1	_
Conn.	7 39	32	_	_	2 5	3	1	_
MID. ATLANTIC	293	287	_	1	_	4	37	32
Upstate N.Y. N.Y. City	85 53	98 65	_	1	_	4	8 10	5 12
N.J.	55	53	_	_	_	_	9	2
Pa.	100	71	_	_	_	_	10	13
E.N. CENTRAL Ohio	214 91	268 78	1	_	3	8 2	15 9	41 14
Ind.	52	38	_	_	3	4	_	1
III. Mich.	35 15	94 17	_ 1	_	_		3 2	20 4
Wis.	21	41	_	_	_	_	1	2
W.N. CENTRAL Minn.	81 36	77 34	_	2 1	3 3	3 3	9 2	8
Iowa	1	1	_	1	_	_	_	_
Mo. N. Dak.	28 1	29 3	_	_			5 1	<u>6</u> —
S. Dak.	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_
Nebr. Kans.	7 8	4 6	_	_	_	_	<u>1</u>	1 1
S. ATLANTIC	356	323	1	_	22	21	20	22
Del. Md.	— 52	— 50	_	_	<u> </u>	<u> </u>	_	_
D.C.	_	2	_	_	_	_	_	1
Va. W. Va.	34 22	30 15	_	_	_ 1	4	1 4	3
N.C. S.C.	63 20	44 10	1	_	7	5 —	_ 1	1 1
Ga.	71	89	_	_	_	_	10	16
Fla.	94	83	_		9	7	4	_
E.S. CENTRAL Ky.	85 8	57 5	_	<u>1</u>	1 1	_	14 2	7
Tenn.	59	38	_	_	_	_	8	5
Ala. Miss.	18 —	12 2	_	<u>1</u>	_	_	<u>4</u>	<u>2</u>
W.S. CENTRAL	84	55	1	1	7	6	6	1
Ark. La.	4 28	1 10	_ 1	_	1 2	_	6	_ 1
Okla.	51	43	<u>.</u>	_	4	6	_	<u>.</u>
Tex.	1	1	_	1	_	_	_	_
MOUNTAIN Mont.	167	148	_	3	13	20 —	29 —	17 —
Idaho Wyo.	3 4	<u>5</u>	_	_	_	_	1 1	2
Colo.	34	36	_	_	_	_	9	4
N. Mex. Ariz.	16 84	31 53	_	_	4 7	6 9	2 8	6
Utah	13	12	_	2	_	2	6	2 2
Nev.	13	11	_	1	2	3	2	1
PACIFIC Wash.	84 3	71 1	_	_	22 —	10	10 2	6 1
Oreg.	29	32 25	_	_	_		5 2	2 1
Calif. Alaska	39 5	5	_	_	22 —	10 —	1	1
Hawaii	8	8	_	_	_	_	_	1
Guam P.R.			_	_	_	_	_ 1	
V.I. Amer. Samoa	_ U				_ U	 U	<u>.</u> U	
C.N.M.I.		U	-	U	-	U	<u> </u>	U

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(36th Week)*			Hepatitis (vi	ral, acute), by type		
		A	. Topatitis (VI	B		С
Reporting area	Cum. 2005	Cum. 2004	Cum. 2005	Cum. 2004	Cum. 2005	Cum. 2004
UNITED STATES	2,588	4,062	3,712	4,027	556	525
NEW ENGLAND	353	688	194	251	9	12
Maine N.H.	1 69	11 15	12 16	1 26	_	_
Vt. Mass.	5 231	8 579	2 135	5 133	9	4 7
R.I.	10	17	1	3	_	_
Conn.	37	58	28	83	U	1
MID. ATLANTIC Upstate N.Y.	439 69	514 57	737 57	530 51	74 13	85 5
N.Y. City N.J.	200 93	216 120	74 453	108 152	_	_
Pa.	77	121	153	219	61	80
E.N. CENTRAL	242	328	324	392	91	74
Ohio Ind.	36 36	37 39	98 31	84 31	3 19	4 7
III. Mich.	55 98	107 107	79 116	63 183	— 69	13 50
Wis.	17	38	-	31	_	_
W.N. CENTRAL	62	118	190	243	30	18
Minn. Iowa	3 16	28 34	20 18	37 14	5 —	15 —
Mo. N. Dak.	28 —	25 1	111 —	147 4	23 1	3
S. Dak.	_	3	3	1	_	_
Nebr. Kans.	4 11	10 17	19 19	27 13	<u>1</u>	_
S. ATLANTIC	447	746	951	1,245	170	126
Del. Md.	4 45	5 84	38 108	30 114	82 16	8 3
D.C.	2	5	10	15	_	2
Va. W. Va.	53 4	82 3	99 27	166 28	10 13	12 18
N.C. S.C.	57 23	70 37	112 95	129 98	10 2	10 13
Ga.	75	258	115	326	6	12
Fla. E.S. CENTRAL	184 187	202 122	347 242	339 348	31 72	48 70
Ky.	25	29	49	43	13	23
Tenn. Ala.	124 22	75 6	90 57	169 56	14 10	23 4
Miss.	16	12	46	80	35	20
W.S. CENTRAL Ark.	140 6	496 59	286 28	240 85	49 —	70 2
La.	44	37	31	42	9	3
Okla. Tex.	4 86	18 382	25 202	49 64	3 37	3 62
MOUNTAIN	231	317	375	315	32	33
Mont. Idaho	7 15	5 14	3 7	1 10	1 1	2 1
Wyo. Colo.	30	4 38	1 34	7 44	 16	2 8 U
N. Mex.	18	18	7	14	-	Ů
Ariz. Utah	137 17	193 31	268 33	158 27	7	5 3
Nev.	7	14	22	54	7	12
PACIFIC Wash.	487 30	733 40	413 50	463 39	29 U	37 U
Oreg.	33	52	69	79	13	14
Calif. Alaska	404 3	617 4	283 7	327 10	16 —	22 —
Hawaii	17	20	4	8	_	1
Guam P.R.	<u> </u>	1 30	30	12 59	_	9
V.I.	_	— U	_	_		
Amer. Samoa C.N.M.I.	<u>U</u>	U	<u>U</u>	U U	<u>U</u>	U

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(36th Week)*				<u> </u>		· .		
		nellosis		riosis		disease	Mala	1
Reporting area	Cum. 2005	Cum. 2004	Cum. 2005	Cum. 2004	Cum. 2005	Cum. 2004	Cum. 2005	Cum. 2004
UNITED STATES	1,179	1,340	464	475	13,355	12,863	791	999
NEW ENGLAND Maine N.H. Vt. Mass. R.I. Conn.	71 3 6 3 25 12 22	57 1 4 3 26 8 15	36 1 5 1 10 5 14	28 5 2 1 9 1	1,423 99 138 21 714 25 426	2,238 29 155 39 1,248 152 615	49 5 5 1 24 2 12	72 6 4 3 44 2 13
MID. ATLANTIC Upstate N.Y. N.Y. City N.J. Pa. E.N. CENTRAL	408 109 50 79 170 204	352 66 49 54 183	123 37 21 27 38 47	114 31 19 24 40 88	9,343 2,508 — 3,176 3,659 585	7,985 2,497 282 2,129 3,077 1,087	211 32 102 51 26 63	264 30 137 59 38
Ohio Ind. III. Mich. Wis.	102 13 12 64 13	159 31 35 95 17	21 2 1 17 6	31 16 18 21 2	53 18 — 31 483	40 19 77 16 935	16 — 23 18 6	24 10 32 17 12
W.N. CENTRAL Minn. Iowa Mo. N. Dak. S. Dak. Nebr. Kans.	55 16 3 21 2 10 1	41 6 4 19 2 3 2 5	23 6 7 4 2 — 1 3	9 2 1 3 — 3	500 422 57 15 — — — 6	313 242 37 23 — 1 7 3	34 11 5 14 — 1 3	48 18 3 15 3 1 2
S. ATLANTIC Del. Md. D.C. Va. W. Va. N.C. S.C. Ga. Fla.	256 12 75 8 30 11 21 9 18 72	269 9 59 10 31 7 25 8 35	91 N 14 — 7 3 18 4 17 28	74 N 10 3 13 2 15 5 12	1,337 406 699 8 113 7 40 12 4	1,093 174 651 7 99 16 87 16 12 31	192 3 73 9 17 1 22 5 27 35	231 6 46 11 32 — 14 10 47 65
E.S. CENTRAL Ky. Tenn. Ala. Miss.	50 15 22 10 3	70 26 29 12 3	21 3 8 7 3	20 4 10 4 2	29 4 25 —	35 13 18 4 —	18 4 10 4	27 4 7 11 5
W.S. CENTRAL Ark. La. Okla. Tex.	24 4 4 3 13	104 — 7 3 94	23 7 3 13	31 3 2 — 26	46 4 4 — 38	37 8 2 — 27	49 4 2 3 40	109 7 5 7 90
MOUNTAIN Mont. Idaho Wyo. Colo. N. Mex. Ariz. Utah Nev.	65 5 3 17 2 17 11	63 1 7 5 15 4 11 16 4	8 3 3 2	17 1 - 8 - - 1 7	14 1 3 4 1 2 2	15 5 3 — 6 1	35 — 1 18 2 6 6 2	38 1 14 2 10 6 5
PACIFIC Wash. Oreg. Calif. Alaska Hawaii	46 N 45 1	47 8 N 39 —	92 7 6 79 —	94 8 5 78 —	78 6 15 54 3 N	60 8 21 29 2 N	140 11 7 106 3 13	115 11 14 87 - 3
Guam P.R. V.I. Amer. Samoa C.N.M.I.	_ _ _ U	— — U U	_ _ U	— — U U				— — U U
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(36th Week)*	<u> </u>				Meningocod	cal disease				
			Sero	group						
	Cum.	groups Cum.	A, C, Y, a	nd W-135 Cum.	Serogr Cum.	oup B Cum.	Other se	rogroup Cum.	Serogroup Cum.	unknown Cum.
Reporting area	2005	2004	2005	2004	2005	2004	2005	2004	2005	2004
UNITED STATES	864	875	63	70	44	35	_	1	757	769
NEW ENGLAND	60	52	1	5	_	6	_	1	59	40
Maine N.H.	2 10	9 4	_	_	_	1	_	_	2 10	8 4
Vt.	6	2	_	_	_	_	_	_	6	2
Mass.	28	30	_	5	_	5	_	_	28	20
R.I. Conn.	2 12	1 6	_ 1	_	_	_	_	_ 1	2 11	1 5
MID. ATLANTIC	116	123	31	35	5	5	_	_	80	83
Upstate N.Y.	30	33	4	5	3	3	_	_	23	25
N.Y. City N.J.	17 30	22 25	_	_	_	_	_	_	17 30	22 25
Pa.	39	43	27	30	2	2	_	_	10	11
E.N. CENTRAL	87	97	18	22	9	6	_	_	60	69
Ohio	31	48	_	3	5	5	_	_	26	40
Ind. III.	16 12	15 1	_	1	4	1	_	_	12 12	13 1
Mich.	18	18	18	18	_	_	_	_	_	_
Wis.	10	15	_	_	_	_	_	_	10	15
W.N. CENTRAL Minn.	56 11	61 18	2 1	_	1	4	_	_	53 10	57 18
lowa	13	13		_	1	2	_	_	12	11
Mo.	18	17	1	_	_	1	_	_	17	16
N. Dak. S. Dak.		2 2	_	_	_	_ 1	_	_		2 1
Nebr.	4	4	_	_	_	<u>.</u>	_	_	4	4
Kans.	8	5	_	_	_	_	_	_	8	5
S. ATLANTIC	165	163	4	2	9	2	_	_	152	159
Del. Md.	3 18	3 8		_		_	_	_	3 14	3 8
D.C.	_	5	_	2	_	_	_	_	_	3
Va. W. Va.	21 6	12 5	_ 1	_	_	_	_	_	21 5	12 5
N.C.	27	26	1	_	7		_	_	19	24
S.C.	14	13	_	_	_	_	_	_	14	13
Ga. Fla.	15 61	11 80	_	_	_	_	_	_	15 61	11 80
E.S. CENTRAL	42	44	1	1	3	1	_	_	38	42
Ky.	14	8	<u>.</u>	1	3	i	_	_	11	6
Tenn.	18	14 11	_	_	_	_	_	_	18	14
Ala. Miss.	6 4	11	1	_	_	_	_	_	5 4	11 11
W.S. CENTRAL	72	50	1	1	5	1	_	_	66	48
Ark.	11	13	_	_	_	_	_	_	11	13
La. Okla.	25 12	27 7	_ 1	1	2 3	<u> </u>	_	_	23 8	26 6
Tex.	24	3	<u>.</u>	_	_		_	_	24	3
MOUNTAIN	69	51	4	1	5	5	_	_	60	45
Mont.	_	3	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	3
Idaho Wyo.	2	6 3	_	_	_	_	_	_	2	6 3
Colo.	16	12	3	_	_	_	_	_	13	12
N. Mex. Ariz.	2 35	6 10		1		3 1	_	_	2 33	2 9
Utah	9	4	1	_	2		_	_	6	4
Nev.	5	7	_	_	1	1	_	_	4	6
PACIFIC	197	234	1	3	7	5	_	_	189	226
Wash. Oreg.	38 28	21 46	1	3	4	5 —	_	_	33 28	13 46
Calif.	119	158	_	_		_	_	_	119	158
Alaska	1	4 5	_	_	_ 3	_	_	_	1	4 5
Hawaii	11		_	_	3	_	_	_	8	
Guam P.R.	_ 6	13	_	_	_	_	_	_	6	13
V.I.	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_
Amer. Samoa C.N.M.I.	1	1	_	_	_	_	_	_	1	1
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	Pert	ussis	Rabies,	animal	Rocky N spotte		Salmoi	nellosis	Shige	llosis
Reporting area	Cum. 2005	Cum. 2004	Cum. 2005	Cum. 2004	Cum. 2005	Cum. 2004	Cum. 2005	Cum. 2004	Cum. 2005	Cum. 2004
UNITED STATES	13,039	11,776	3,817	4,589	1,064	1,002	25,540	28,001	8,339	8,987
NEW ENGLAND	755	1,226	516	440	3	12	1,520	1,488	207	210
Maine N.H.	17 41	5 42	40 11	39 19	N 1	N —	105 130	77 103	8 6	5 6
Vt.	73	60	40	17	_	_	79	39	14	2
Mass. R.I.	571 21	1,058 16	272 15	183 31	1 1	10 1	803 74	875 75	129 12	138 13
Conn.	32	45	138	151	_	1	329	319	38	46
MID. ATLANTIC Upstate N.Y.	914 355	1,958 1,385	669 374	680 369	72 3	58 1	3,191 832	4,176 847	822 196	881 347
N.Y. City	57	135	20	11	4	20	690	952	258	283
N.J. Pa.	154 348	134 304	N 275	N 300	24 41	10 27	532 1,137	800 1,577	214 154	173 78
E.N. CENTRAL	2,483	3,908	152	132	33	29	3,451	3,698	582	785
Ohio Ind.	810 208	387 75	56 29	53 7	26 2	8 5	939 383	892 351	76 105	120 134
III.	494	768	17	36	1	12	963	1,187	128	313
Mich. Wis.	165 806	142 2,536	31 19	31 5	4	2 2	613 553	592 676	162 111	82 136
W.N. CENTRAL	2,021	1,235	335	470	134	99	1,660	1,685	995	303
Minn. Iowa	868 372	157 104	55 94	59 79	2 3	_ 1	389 262	411 341	62 56	45 56
Mo.	305	264	59	42	111	82	529	452	663	117
N. Dak. S. Dak.	81 1	626 22	21 43	49 80	<u> </u>	4	24 106	30 75	2 25	3 9
Nebr.	152	11	63	81	4	12	99	113	43	19
Kans. S. ATLANTIC	242 890	51 465	1,147	80 1,622	528	— 474	251 6,936	263 7,208	144 1,335	54 2,127
Del.	5	_	· —	9	2	4	56	78	8	6
Md. D.C.	119 7	87 7	214	225	62 2	47	560 39	604 43	60 8	103 30
Va. W. Va.	237	107	378	348	35	17	615	789	75	106
N.C.	36 64	17 62	39 356	50 439	5 329	4 269	104 1,005	172 912	133	5 225
S.C. Ga.	253 27	83 17	5 151	111 235	32 48	49 69	731 1,029	729 1,315	61 312	457 455
Fla.	142	85	4	205	13	15	2,797	2,566	678	740
E.S. CENTRAL	373 106	221 51	103 7	102 18	192 2	148	1,763 309	1,782 240	915 215	579 53
Ky. Tenn.	167	134	36	34	144	2 81	496	487	449	293
Ala. Miss.	65 35	23 13	58 2	41 9	42 4	39 26	482 476	459 596	190 61	189 44
W.S. CENTRAL	863	514	614	845	67	159	2,058	2,669	1,759	2,373
Ark. La.	203 30	51 13	26	41 1	44 5	83 5	492 458	362 615	47 83	51 221
Okla.	_	17	61	87	7	70	274	284	488	330
Tex.	630	433	527	716	11	1	834	1,408	1,141	1,771
MOUNTAIN Mont.	2,801 500	944 32	168 12	151 20	27 1	19 3	1,565 63	1,624 130	483 5	552 4
Idaho Wyo	94 33	25	— 14	3 4	1 2	3	70	121	2 2	9 4
Wyo. Colo.	917	16 466	14	38	5	4 4	63 437	42 407	81	117
N. Mex. Ariz.	107 752	124 155	6 105	4 76	1 13	2 2	159 458	195 457	56 277	94 268
Utah	370	113	12	3	4	1	239	157	34	27
Nev. PACIFIC	28 1,939	13	5 113	3 147	 8	4	76 2 206	115	26	29 1 177
Wash.	569	1,305 447	U	U	_	_	3,396 359	3,671 352	1,241 72	1,177 76
Oreg. Calif.	517 694	324 506	4 108	6 130	1 7	2 2	264 2,531	335 2,685	90 1,047	56 998
Alaska	59	11	1	11	<u>.</u>	_	39	41	7	6
Hawaii Guam	100	17	_	_	_	_	203	258 48	25	41 41
P.R.	5	3	52	40	N	N	323	292	2	22
V.I. Amer. Samoa	 U		_ U			_ U		 U	 U	
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(36th Week)*		Streptococcus pneumoniae, inva					Ι			
		cal disease,	Drug res	istant,			- Buitana ann a		hilis	
	Cum.	e, group A	all ag	ges Cum.	Age <5 Cum.	years Cum.	Cum.	Secondary Cum.	Cong Cum.	Cum.
Reporting area	2005	2004	2005	2004	2005	2004	2005	2004	2005	2004
UNITED STATES	3,153	3,346	1,615	1,584	618	543	5,338	5,309	172	274
NEW ENGLAND	120	223	82	101	47	75	145	141	1	4
Maine N.H.	9 13	9 15	N 	N —	4	4 N	1 12	2 3	_	3
Vt.	9	8	10	6	4	1	1	_	_	_
Mass. R.I.	81 8	101 17	59 13	26 14	39	41 6	92 8	87 19	_	_ 1
Conn.	_	73	Ü	55	U	23	31	30	1	
MID. ATLANTIC	699	573	155	114	108	80	695	690	20	27
Upstate N.Y. N.Y. City	207 126	188 90	60 U	48 U	48 19	55 U	60 427	66 418	5 5	1 12
N.J.	153	122	N	N	19	7	96	111	10	13
Pa.	213	173	95	66	22	18	112	95	_	1
E.N. CENTRAL	625	775	434	356	159	128	533	622	25	36
Ohio Ind.	156 81	181 78	276 148	249 107	62 42	60 26	149 43	161 44	2 1	2
III.	116	208	10	_	48	1	262	258	9	2
Mich. Wis.	243 29	237 71	N	N N	7	N 41	56 23	133 26	11 2	23
W.N. CENTRAL	205	238	33	17	66	73	170	120	1	3
Minn.	79	236 119	_	_	40	49	45	17		1
lowa	N	N	N oz	N	 7	N	2	5	_	_
Mo. N. Dak.	52 9	52 10	27 1	12 —	2	10 2	102	72 —	1	1
S. Dak.	19	12	3	5	_	_	1	_	_	_
Nebr. Kans.	14 32	15 30	2 N	N	6 11	6 6	4 16	6 20	_	1
S. ATLANTIC	651	663	642	818	63	37	1,341	1,322	30	46
Del.	1	3	1	4	_	N	8	6	_	1
Md. D.C.	144 7	102 7	— 15	 8	41 2	25 4	229 72	252 41	10 —	7 1
Va.	60	59	N	o N	_	N N	72 88	69	3	2
W. Va.	21	20	95	90 N	20	8 U	3	3	_	_
N.C. S.C.	96 24	95 50	N —	79	<u>U</u>	N	189 42	133 88	8 3	8 10
Ga.	126	161	112	201	_	N	220	233	1	3
Fla.	172	166	419	436	_	N	490	497	5	14
E.S. CENTRAL Ky.	128 27	172 51	125 24	111 22	7 N	12 N	294 31	284 30	16	19 1
Tenn.	101	121	101	87	<u></u>	N	143	88	12	7
Ala. Miss.	_	_	_		7	N 12	92 28	126 40	3 1	9 2
W.S. CENTRAL			94	46			864	815	50	54
Ark.	195 14	261 16	12	6	122 13	108 7	33	37	- 50 	3
La.	6	2	82	40	22	23	176	194	6	3
Okla. Tex.	87 88	49 194	N N	N N	19 68	32 46	29 626	19 565	1 43	2 46
MOUNTAIN	459	364	50	20	38	30	270	276	15	35
Mont.	_	_		=	_	_	5	1	_	_
Idaho Wyo.	1 3	8 7	N 21	N 8	_	N	20	15 1	1	2
Colo.	173	75	N	Ň	37	30	29	48	_	_
N. Mex. Ariz.	37 183	78 164	N	N N	_	 N	34 104	64 119	2	2 30
Utah	61	30	28	10	1		5	7	12 —	1
Nev.	1	2	1	2	_	_	73	21	_	_
PACIFIC	71	77		1	8	_	1,026	1,039	14	50
Wash. Oreg.	N N	N N	N N	N N	N 6	N N	96 19	83 22	_	_
Calif.		_	Ň	N	Ň	N	901	929	14	50
Alaska Hawaii	— 71	— 77	_	_ 1		N —	6 4	<u> </u>	_	_
Guam		_	_	_	_	_	_	1	_	_
P.R.	N	N	N	N	_	N	141	95	8	3
V.I. Amer. Samoa		_	_ U	 U	 U	_ U	_ U	4 U	 U	 U
	U	U	U	U	U	U	- 11	U	L I	U

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TABLE II. (*Continued*) Provisional cases of selected notifiable diseases, United States, weeks ending September 10, 2005, and September 11, 2004 (36th Week)*

						icella	West Nile virus disease†				
		rculosis	Typhoi		 	(enpox)	 	nvasive	Non-neuroinvasive§		
Reporting area	Cum. 2005	Cum. 2004	Cum. 2005	Cum. 2004	Cum. 2005	Cum. 2004	Cum. 2005	Cum. 2004	Cum. 2005		
UNITED STATES	7,336	8,876	157	222	16,390	19,598	497	964	725		
NEW ENGLAND Maine	227 10	299 13	18 1	17 —	990 213	2,065 181	2	_	_		
N.H.	4	10	_	_	203	_	_	_	_		
Vt. Mass.	4 141	2 172	 10	 14	36 538	413 177	_	_	_		
R.I.	18	40	1	1	U	_	_ 2	_	_		
Conn. MID. ATLANTIC	50 1,338	62 1,386	6 32	2 55	3,161	1,294 73	8	9	<u> </u>		
Jpstate N.Y.	171	191	5	7	J, 101	_	_	1	_		
N.Y. City N.J.	651 322	697 299	10 9	20 16	_	_	2	2 1	<u>1</u>		
Pa.	194	199	8	12	3,161	73	6	5	5		
E.N. CENTRAL	895 171	808 141	12 1	28	4,501	8,454 1,048	90 10	53 8	46 2		
Ohio Ind.	88	86	_	6	1,005 482	N	1	6	_		
III. Mich.	435 143	360 159	3 4	12 8	64 2,654	4,328 2,576	71 5	23 12	42 1		
Wis.	58	62	4	2	296	502	3	4	i		
W.N. CENTRAL	300	309	2	7	301	136	62 7	69	216		
Minn. Iowa	128 32	114 26	<u>2</u> —	3	N	N	2	10 9	13 3		
Mo. N. Dak.	68 2	82 3		2	210 13	5 75	3 2	23 2	4 14		
S. Dak.	9	8	_	_	78	56	28	5	140		
Nebr. Kans.	22 39	23 53	_	2	_	_	18 2	4 16	39 3		
S. ATLANTIC	1,634	1,835	26	31	1,397	1,734	8	53	9		
Del. Md.	7 184	17 185	9	 11	21	4	_ 1	- 7	_		
D.C.	38	66	_	_	24	20	_	1	_		
Va. W. Va.	214 17	148 14	5 —	5	284 716	411 976	_	3	 N		
N.C. S.C.	185 147	214 131	2	3	_	N 323	1	3	1		
Ga.	254	409		4	352 —	323	1 1	 11	1		
Fla.	588	651	8	8	_	_	4	28	7		
E.S. CENTRAL Ky.	362 72	434 72	5 2	6 2	N	34 N	18 1	53 1	14 —		
Tenn.	161	146	_	4	_	_	2	9	1		
Ala. Miss.	129	134 82	1 2	_	_	34	3 12	15 28	2 11		
W.S. CENTRAL	776	1,366	9	20	4,245	5,464	82	175	27		
Ark. La.	70 —	83	_	_	 107	— 48	1 50	12 57	5 16		
Okla.	92	112	9	1	_	_	1	10 96	6		
Tex. MOUNTAIN	614 256	1,171 355	8	19 6	4,138 1,795	5,416 1,638	30 52	301	85		
Mont.	8	4	_	_	-	-	5	1	6		
ldaho Wyo.		3 2		_	<u> </u>	<u> </u>	2	1 2	<u>5</u> —		
Cólo. N. Mex.	46 14	86 21	3	1	1,268 123	1,300 U	5 10	39 28	36 4		
Ariz.	149	146	3	2	_	_	14	203	10		
Utah Nev.	21 18	28 65	1 1	1 2	359	312 —	10 6	5 22	13 11		
PACIFIC	1,548	2,084	45	52	_	_	175	251	322		
Wash.	172 54	151 69	5 2	4	N —	N	_	_			
Oreg. Calif.	1,227	1,751	31	41	_	_	175	251	319		
Alaska Hawaii	18 77	27 86	_ 7	<u> </u>	_	_	_	_	_		
Guam	_	41	_	_	_	108	_	_	_		
P.R. V.I.	_	74	_	_	499	300	_	_	_		
Amer. Samoa	U	U	U	U	U	U	U	U	_		
C.N.M.I.		U		U		U		U			

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† Updated weekly from reports to the Division of Vector-Borne Infectious Diseases, National Center for Infectious Diseases (ArboNet Surveillance).

§ Not previously notifiable.

TABLE III. Deaths in 122 U.S. cities.* week ending September 10, 2005 (36th Week)

TABLE III. Deaths in 122 U.S. cities,* week ending September 10, 2005 (36th Week)															
	All causes, by age (years)						All causes, by age (years)								
Reporting Area	All Ages	<u>≥</u> 65	45–64	25–44	1–24	<1	P&I [†] Total	Reporting Area	All Ages	<u>≥</u> 65	45–64	25–44	1–24	<1	P&I [†] Total
NEW ENGLAND	430	296	88	30	6	10	43	S. ATLANTIC	1,099	669	270	106	27	27	60
Boston, Mass. Bridgeport, Conn.	115 22	68	23 2	15	2	7	16	Atlanta, Ga.	103 159	65 83	26 51	8 18	3 5	1 2	6 11
Cambridge, Mass.	11	20 7	2	_ 1	_ 1	_	2	Baltimore, Md. Charlotte, N.C.	101	68	17	11	3	2	9
Fall River, Mass.	16	11	5			_	1	Jacksonville, Fla.	138	92	27	12	4	3	6
Hartford, Conn.	51	31	15	3	1	1	6	Miami, Fla.	144	81	41	17	5	_	9
Lowell, Mass.	13	11	1	1	_	_	3	Norfolk, Va.	36	18	10	2	1	5	1
Lynn, Mass. New Bedford, Mass.	10 15	5 12	3 2	2 1	_	_	2	Richmond, Va. Savannah, Ga.	59 37	31 26	12 5	3 5	4 1	9	4 5
New Haven, Conn.	U	U	Ü	ΰ	U	U	U	St. Petersburg, Fla.	40	31	8	1		_	1
Providence, R.I.	53	44	5	4	_	_	3	Tampa, Fla.	164	110	37	15	1	1	6
Somerville, Mass.	4	2	2	_	_	_	_	Washington, D.C.	100	55	31	10	_	4	1
Springfield, Mass.	28	17	9	1	1	_	2	Wilmington, Del.	18	9	5	4	_	_	1
Waterbury, Conn. Worcester, Mass.	34 58	22 46	9 10	2	1	2	2 6	E.S. CENTRAL	669	423	154	57	15	20	36
								Birmingham, Ala.	124	73	29	8	2	12	7
MID. ATLANTIC Albany, N.Y.	1,891 56	1,305 42	389 9	136 3	30	31 2	84 3	Chattanooga, Tenn. Knoxville, Tenn.	57 89	34 64	20 15	1 8	_	2	4 1
Allentown, Pa.	13	9	3	1	_	_	_	Lexington, Ky.	65	45	11	5	3	1	6
Buffalo, N.Y.	110	79	21	7	1	2	8	Memphis, Tenn.	135	79	33	18	4	1	6
Camden, N.J.	18	10	6	1	_	1	2	Mobile, Ala.	44	26	12	2	2	2	2
Elizabeth, N.J.	17	14	1	2	_	1	3	Montgomery, Ala.	40	33	5	2	_	_	4
Erie, Pa. Jersey City, N.J.	48 35	37 19	10 10	<u> </u>	1		4	Nashville, Tenn.	115	69	29	13			6
New York City, N.Y.	910	623	186	70	13	18	34	W.S. CENTRAL	1,015	660	213	83	30	29	57
Newark, N.J.	47	19	17	5	2	4	_	Austin, Tex. Baton Rouge, La.	46 15	28 12	10 2	5 1	2	1	2
Paterson, N.J.	18	14	_4	_	_	_	1	Corpus Christi, Tex.	31	22	4	1	1	3	1
Philadelphia, Pa. Pittsburgh, Pa.§	259 24	170 15	57 7	26 2	6	_	6 1	Dallas, Tex.	137	88	24	16	5	4	3
Reading, Pa.	24	21	3	_	_			El Paso, Tex.	46	33	13	_	_	_	5
Rochester, N.Y.	138	104	25	3	3	3	13	Ft. Worth, Tex.	79	47 161	22 62	5 27	 12	5 7	4
Schenectady, N.Y.	26	18	6	1	1	_	_	Houston, Tex. Little Rock, Ark.	269 57	37	13	2	2	3	22
Scranton, Pa.	20	16	3	1	_ 1	_	2	New Orleans, La.1	Ü	Ü	Ü	Ū	Ū	Ŭ	U
Syracuse, N.Y. Trenton, N.J.	67 26	55 16	8 6	3 3	1	_	7	San Antonio, Tex.	189	129	38	14	4	4	10
Utica, N.Y.	13	10	3	_		_	_	Shreveport, La.	55	40	10	5	_	_	5
Yonkers, N.Y.	22	14	4	3	1	_	_	Tulsa, Okla.	91	63	15	7	4	2	5
E.N. CENTRAL	1,685	1,109	383	129	40	24	104	MOUNTAIN Albuquerque, N.M.	704 105	455 63	145 23	64 15	21 3	19 1	46 7
Akron, Ohio	48	30	7	4 1	4	3	2 4	Boise, Idaho	45	36	6	3	_	_	6
Canton, Ohio Chicago, III.	24 277	17 166	6 69	35	<u> </u>	_	18	Colo. Springs, Colo.	50	41	7	1	_	1	1
Cincinnati, Ohio	46	31	6	6	3	_	3	Denver, Colo.	80	45	19	7	3	6	5
Cleveland, Ohio	182	132	37	10	2	1	12	Las Vegas, Nev. Ogden, Utah	227 31	146 24	48 6	23 1	6	4	16 3
Columbus, Ohio	192	114	58	13	5	2	13	Phoenix, Ariz.	56	33	11	5	5	2	2
Dayton, Ohio Detroit, Mich.	114 141	82 70	22 54	4 9	3 6	3 2	6 5	Pueblo, Colo.	17	14	3	_	_	_	2
Evansville, Ind.	46	39	5	1	1	_	6	Salt Lake City, Utah	93	53	22	9	4	5	4
Fort Wayne, Ind.	40	29	10	1	_	_	3	Tucson, Ariz.	U	U	U	U	U	U	U
Gary, Ind.	23	12	6	2	2	1	2	PACIFIC	1,299	928	250	75	27	19	102
Grand Rapids, Mich. Indianapolis, Ind.	39 134	26 84	5 37	4 9	1 2	3 2	6 2	Berkeley, Calif. Fresno, Calif.	14 78	9 58	4 14	1 5	_ 1	_	2 5
Lansing, Mich.	43	37	5	1	_	_	_	Glendale, Calif.	10	6	3	1		_	1
Milwaukee, Wis.	85	54	14	12	2	3	8	Honolulu, Hawaii	70	52	12	3	1	2	6
Peoria, III.	34	25	5	4	_	_	5	Long Beach, Calif.	48	33	12	3	_	_	3
Rockford, III. South Bend, Ind.	63	44 34	13 8	5 1	1 1	_ 1	1	Los Angeles, Calif. Pasadena, Calif.	198	145 16	31 4	11	5	6	33 3
Toledo, Ohio	45 74	56	11	4	2	1	6	Portland, Oreg.	22 103	74	22	1 5	1	1 1	4
Youngstown, Ohio	35	27	5	3	_	_	2	Sacramento, Calif.	167	112	42	10	3	_	6
W.N. CENTRAL	449	307	93	21	15	13	32	San Diego, Calif.	120	86	20	8	2	4	7
Des Moines, Iowa	73	50	19	1	_	3	4	San Francisco, Calif.	81	54	17	7	2	1	2
Duluth, Minn.	31	23	5	_	2	1	2	San Jose, Calif. Santa Cruz, Calif.	149 13	112 10	28 3	6	3	_	12 1
Kansas City, Kans.	19	14	2	3	_	_	1	Seattle, Wash.	103	69	18	8	<u> </u>	3	12
Kansas City, Mo. Lincoln, Nebr.	72 45	42 37	17 6	3 2	6	4	5 7	Spokane, Wash.	41	34	6	_	_	1	4
Minneapolis, Minn.	45 43	28	12	2	_	1	6	Tacoma, Wash.	82	58	14	6	4	_	1
Omaha, Nebr.	62	36	17	6	2	1	5	TOTAL	9,241**	6,152	1,985	701	211	192	564
St. Louis, Mo.	1	1	_	_	_	_	_								
St. Paul, Minn.	46 57	37	6 9	1 3	1	1	_								
Wichita, Kans.	57	39	9	<u> </u>	4	2	2								

U: Unavailable. —: No reported cases.

^{*}Mortality data in this table are voluntarily reported from 122 cities in the United States, most of which have populations of ≥100,000. A death is reported by the place of its occurrence and by the week that the death certificate was filed. Fetal deaths are not included.

 $^{^{\}dagger}\mbox{\sc Pneumonia}$ and influenza.

Because of changes in reporting methods in this Pennsylvania city, these numbers are partial counts for the current week. Complete counts will be available in 4 to 6 weeks.

¹Because of Hurricane Katrina, weekly reporting of deaths has been temporarily disrupted.

^{**} Total includes unknown ages.

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