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Pertussis Outbreak in an Amish Community — Kent County, Delaware, September 2004–February 2005

Vaccine-preventable disease outbreaks continue to occur among undervaccinated populations in the United States, including contained religious communities (1,2). The Amish practice separation from the world through group solidarity and caring for their own (3). Amish religious doctrine does not prohibit vaccination; however, coverage levels for routine childhood vaccination remain low in many Amish communities (1). This report describes an outbreak of pertussis in an Amish community in Kent County, Delaware, during September 2004–February 2005, that resulted in 345 cases and affected primarily preschool-aged children. The outbreak underscores the need to promote vaccination in Amish communities through culturally appropriate strategies, such as education and outreach to community leaders.

For this outbreak, a clinical case was defined as an acute cough illness lasting ≥ 2 weeks with onset during September 2004–February 2005 and without other apparent cause in a person living in the Amish community in Kent County (4). A confirmed case was defined as a clinical case of pertussis that 1) was laboratory confirmed by polymerase chain reaction (PCR) for *Bordetella pertussis* DNA or 2) had a direct epidemiologic link to a laboratory-confirmed case through a common household residence. All other clinical cases were considered probable.

During October 2004–December 2004, a total of 12 PCRconfirmed cases of pertussis were reported among Amish residents in a community west of Dover, Delaware. Cases were reported to the Delaware Division of Public Health (DPH) by DPH nurses from Southern Health Services (SHS), the public health clinic serving the two southernmost counties in Delaware. Several SHS nurses had treated pertussis patients previously in this community and had knowledge of the low community vaccination rates; therefore, pertussis was suspected when children with symptoms were reported. Control measures and active surveillance for additional cases were instituted, including enhanced contact investigation and outreach and special community pertussis clinics at Amish schools. The clinics provided an opportunity to distribute erythromycin, where appropriate, under standing orders. In addition, the clinics enabled further education of families regarding pertussis prevention and control measures. To increase awareness of the outbreak among health-care providers, health-alert notices and diagnostic kits were distributed to area physicians.

To confirm the outbreak, the Delaware Public Health Laboratory (DPHL) performed PCR for *B. pertussis* on nasopharyngeal swabs from persons with typical outbreak-associated illness. Of the 49 swabs obtained from persons with cough illness living in the Amish community, 30 (61%) were PCR positive. A certain number of swabs obtained from persons with suspected pertussis were sent to CDC for culture confirmation. *B. pertussis* was cultured from two of 12 outbreakassociated samples forwarded to CDC,* confirming that *B. pertussis* was circulating in the community. For comparison, 22 swabs were taken from Delaware residents with cough illness without epidemiologic links to Amish persons. *Bordetella parapertussis* was isolated from two of the 22 swabs; none of those were culture positive for *B. pertussis*.

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^{*} Pertussis is most often diagnosed clinically; no laboratory test exists that is both sensitive and specific. Culture of a nasopharyngeal sample is 100% specific, but relatively insensitive, especially later in the course of the disease and after antibiotic treatment. PCR is often more sensitive, but false positives can occur. In an outbreak setting in which some clinical cases have been confirmed by culture, PCR alone can be used to confirm clinical diagnoses.

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To maximize active surveillance and control measures, a door-to-door case finding and contact investigation program was instituted. Standing orders allowed for the distribution of erythromycin for treatment and prophylaxis at households in which symptomatic persons and their contacts were identified.

In an additional attempt to identify all symptomatic persons, a self-administered survey regarding recent cough illness was distributed to all Amish families, one per household, through community religious leaders. A household was defined as persons living in a common residence. A 2005 Amish directory published by an Amish community member was used to identify the number of households and the number and ages of household members. As part of the selfadministered survey, each respondent was questioned regarding willingness to be interviewed in person by DPH staff. CDC and DPH staff conducted structured interviews at willing households in which a person with a cough illness had been identified through the contact investigation, the door-to-door case-finding program, or the self-administered survey.

On the basis of historical knowledge, vaccination coverage in the Amish community was presumed to be low, but it had not been formally investigated before the outbreak. To obtain an estimate of the vaccination coverage of children in the community, the Delaware Immunization Registry was queried for the immunization records of all children aged 6 months–5 years identified in the household interviews.

Self-Administered Survey Results

A total of 323 households and 1,711 Amish community members were listed in the community directory. Of 323 households, 184 (57%) returned the self-administered questionnaire; 195 (19%) of 1,008 persons living in these households had self-reported illness consistent with the clinical case definition for pertussis.

Household Interview Survey Results

Interviews were conducted at 110 of the households in which pertussis cases were suspected. A total of 274 cases of pertussis (65 confirmed, 209 probable) were identified in 96 of the households; no cases of pertussis were identified in 14 of the 110 households. Among the 618 persons residing in the 96 households, 220 (36%) reported taking erythromycin for \geq 5 days, 98 (16%) reported taking the drug for <5 days, and 300 (49%) declined antibiotics or had already passed the exposure window for which antibiotics were indicated. For both patients and contacts, an average of 15 days elapsed from cough onset in the primary case to the date antibiotic therapy was initiated. Among 85 patients who attended school, 51 (60%) missed no school, 18 (21%) missed 1–3 days, seven (8%) missed 4–7 days, and nine (11%) missed >7 days of school. Overall, 47 (12%) of 274 patients reported a history of illness compatible with pertussis before 2004, compared with 189 (55%) of 344 household members who were not ill (odds ratio: 0.17; 95% confidence interval = 0.11–0.25). Thirteen persons (6%) reported 1986 as the specific year of previous pertussis-like illness, 24 (10%) reported 1996, and 70 (30%) reported illness sometime during 1987–2003.

Of 123 patients aged 6 months–5 years residing in interviewed households, immunization registry results revealed that 88 (72%) had no records of vaccination with diphtheriatetanus-pertussis (DTP/DTaP) vaccine, six (5%) had records of receiving 1 or 2 doses, and 29 (24%) had records of receiving \geq 3 doses. For 163 children aged 6 months–5 years without clinical pertussis residing in households with pertussis patients, 106 (65%) had no records of vaccination with DTP/DTaP vaccine, eight (5%) had records of receiving 1 or 2 doses, and 49 (30%) had records of receiving \geq 3 doses.

Of the 96 households interviewed in which a pertussis case was discovered, a total of 43 (45%) reported not vaccinating any children in their household, 40 (42%) households reported vaccinating at least some children, and 13 (14%) did not provide this information. Of the 43 households not vaccinating children, 19 cited "fear of side effects" as the reason, 13 reported that they "didn't think about it," and 11 did not provide specific reasons for nonvaccination. Of the 40 respondents who reported that their children had received vaccinations, 29 (64%) reported vaccination at vaccine clinics set up at Amish homes by DPH nurses.

Combined Survey Results

The combined number of pertussis cases identified from the self-administered survey and the household interview survey was 345, including 65 confirmed and 280 probable cases. The estimated overall attack rate for clinical pertussis was 20% (345 of 1,711). Of the cases identified by combining the selfadministered and household interview surveys, 20 (6%) were among infants aged <1 year, 143 (41%) were among children aged 1-5 years, and 182 (53%) were among those aged >5 years (Table). The median age of patients with clinical cases was 6 years (range: 0-75 years). Among all patients with clinical cases, 171 (50%) reported paroxysms of cough, 115 (33%) reported inspiratory whoop, and 108 (31%) reported posttussive emesis. No hospitalizations or deaths were reported. Cough onset occurred from September 12, 2004, to February 12, 2005 (Figure 1). During the same period, seven PCRpositive pertussis cases were reported in Delaware among persons with no epidemiologic link to an Amish person.

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Editorial Note: Among the diseases for which universal childhood vaccination is recommended in the United States, only pertussis has had an overall increase in reported cases since 1980, increasing from 1,730 cases in 1980 to 25,827 cases in 2004 (*5*). Rates of reported pertussis in the United States are highest among young infants and adolescents (*6,7*). In 2004,

	Total no. of household	Ca	ises	No. of confirmed	No. of primary	Second	ary cases [§]	No. of other
Characteristic	members	No.	AR (%)	cases*	cases [†]	No.	AR (%)	cases ¹
Sex								
Male	869	169	19	34	111	54	7	4
Female	842	176	21	31	105	68	9	3
Age group (yrs)							
<1	73	20	27	1	11	9	15	0
1–5	318	143	45	27	94	48	21	1
6–10	246	85	35	16	52	29	15	4
11–14	160	27	17	7	19	8	6	0
<u>≥</u> 15	914	70	7	14	40	28	3	2
Total	1,711	345	20	65	216	122	8	7

TABLE. Number of pertussis cases and attack rates (ARs) in an Amish community, by sex and age group — Kent County, Delaware, September 2004–February 2005

* A confirmed case was defined as a clinical case of pertussis that was 1) laboratory confirmed by polymerase chain reaction for Bordetella pertussis DNA _ or 2) had a direct epidemiologic link to a laboratory-confirmed case.

¹ Includes primary, co-primary, and second-primary confirmed and probable cases. A primary case was the first case in a household. Co-primary cases were in persons with cough onset within 6 days of primary case. Secondary cases were in persons with cough onset 7–42 days after the primary case. Second-primary case. Second-primary cases were in persons with cough onset 7–42 days after the primary case. Second-primary case.

⁹ Primary cases were excluded from the denominator.

[¶] Includes cases for which date of cough onset within a household could not be determined.

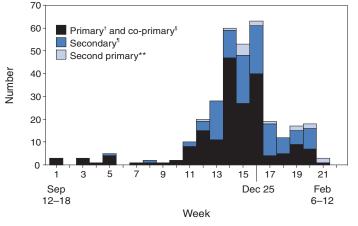


FIGURE 1. Number* of pertussis cases in an Amish community outbreak, by week and type of case — Kent County, Delaware, September 2004–February 2005

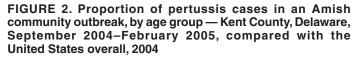
* Among 130 households reporting at least one case. Onset dates are missing for 22 cases.

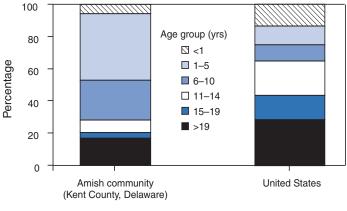
- [§] Cough onset within 6 days of primary case.
- [¶] Cough onset 7–42 days after primary case.

** Cough onset >42 days after primary case.

the incidence of pertussis among persons aged <1 year was 84 per 100,000; among persons aged 1–10 years, 18 per 100,000; among persons aged 11-19 years, 24 per 100,000; and among persons aged >19 years, four per 100,000 (CDC, unpublished data, 2004). Routine childhood immunization, which has been determined to be highly effective (8), includes a 3-dose DTaP series at ages 2, 4, and 6 months, followed by boosters at 18 months and 4-6 years. Adolescents and adults can become susceptible to pertussis because of waning immunity approximately 5–10 years after booster vaccination. In 2005, two new pertussis vaccines (i.e., tetanus toxoid, reduced diphtheria toxoid and acellular pertussis [Tdap] vaccines) were licensed in the United States for use among persons aged 10-18 and 11-64 years, respectively. Routine adolescent and adult Tdap vaccination has been recommended by the Advisory Committee on Immunization Practices.[†]

The age distribution of cases in this outbreak differed from that of the U.S. population. Amish children aged 1–5 years represented 143 (41%) of pertussis cases identified during the outbreak (Figure 2). They also experienced the highest primary and secondary household attack rates (Table). This age distribution is similar to that observed in the prevaccine era in the United States (i.e., before the 1940s) (9) and probably reflects the low pertussis vaccination coverage in the Amish community. Adults and adolescents were largely unaffected by the outbreak, possibly because of previous exposure to *B. pertussis*. A previous pertussis outbreak occurred in this







undervaccinated population in 1986 (*10*). Members of the community reported having whooping cough not only in 1986 but also in multiple subsequent years, suggesting periodic circulation of *B. pertussis* within the community. More cases were reported among young children than among infants aged <1 year, which might reflect increased opportunities for exposure resulting from close social interaction of ambulatory children.

Outbreak-control measures with demonstrated effectiveness in limiting the spread of pertussis include prompt treatment and postexposure prophylaxis of contacts with antibiotics (4). In this outbreak, the majority of the children were unvaccinated or undervaccinated, and adherence to erythromycin prophylaxis was suboptimal.

Outbreaks of vaccine-preventable diseases (VPDs), such as rubella and Haemophilus influenzae type b, have been reported in Amish communities (1,2). Control of VPDs in these communities presents unique challenges, in part because of their isolation. Amish persons typically have lower vaccination coverage and often delay or avoid seeking medical care (1). Since 1980, public health nurses in Delaware have conducted immunization clinics at two fixed outreach sites in Amish homes, but coverage rates have remained low. After the outbreak described in this report, DPH staff distributed educational pamphlets discussing immunization and VPDs, including information about Amish immunization outreach clinics. The reasons cited by persons in Amish households for failure to vaccinate children (e.g., fears of vaccine-related adverse events and general lack of awareness regarding vaccination) were not religious or doctrinal. This suggests that enhanced outreach and education regarding vaccination safety and protective benefits might help increase coverage rates.

[†] First case in a household.

[†]Available at http://www.cdc.gov/nip/recs/provisional_recs/default.htm.

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Secondary School Health Education Related to Nutrition and Physical Activity — Selected Sites, United States, 2004

Eating a healthful diet and engaging in physical activity have important health benefits for youths (1,2), such as reducing overweight, a condition that affected 17% of those aged 12-19 years during 2003–2004 (3). School health education that includes information about nutrition and physical activity is an important component of a comprehensive approach to improving dietary behavior, reducing sedentary behavior, and increasing physical activity among youths. A previous study suggested that professional development for health education teachers helps ensure the quality of health education instruction (4). To identify which nutrition and physical activity topics are being taught in school health education courses and what percentage of lead health education teachers have received professional development on nutrition and physical activity, CDC analyzed data from the 2004 School Health Profiles for public secondary schools (i.e., middle, junior high, and senior high schools) serving students in grades 6–12 in 25 states and 10 large urban school districts. This report summarizes the results of that analysis, which indicated that in 2004, approximately one half to three fourths of schools in the participating states and school districts taught all 15 nutrition and dietary behavior topics listed in the School Health Profiles questionnaire in a required health education course, and approximately one third to two thirds taught all 12 physical activity and fitness topics. State and local education agencies should continue to encourage schools to provide education on nutrition and physical activity as part of a coordinated school health program and promote staff development for health education teachers.

Since 1994, the School Health Profiles survey has been conducted biennially by state and local education and health agencies to assess school health programs. State and local departments of education and health select either all public secondary schools within their jurisdictions or a systematic, equal-probability sample of public secondary schools to participate in the survey. At each school, separate questionnaires for the principal and lead health education teacher are both sent to the principal, who then designates which health education teacher will complete the teacher questionnaire. The questionnaires are self-administered and returned during the spring semester to the agency conducting the survey. Lead health education teachers are asked questions about the content of required health education courses and staff development on health education topics; the lists of 15 nutrition topics and 12 physical activity topics included in the School Health Profiles questionnaire are based on CDC guidelines (1,5) and the School Health Index (6). Follow-up telephone calls and written reminders are used to encourage participation. Data from each survey are weighted to reflect the likelihood of the school's being selected and to adjust for differing patterns of nonresponse. Results represent all public secondary schools in each jurisdiction. Results of principal questionnaires were not included in this analysis because they did not include information about the content of required health education classes. Participation in the School Health Profiles is confidential and voluntary.

For the 2004 survey, lead health education teachers were asked the following questions:

 "During this school year, have teachers in this school tried to increase student knowledge on each of the following topics in a required health education course in any of grades 6 through 12?" Respondents were asked to mark yes or no on a list of topics that included "nutrition and dietary behavior" and "physical activity and fitness."

- "During this school year, did teachers in this school teach each of the following nutrition and dietary topics in a required health education course for students in any of grades 6 through 12?" The following topics were listed: benefits of healthy eating; using food labels; identifying Food Guide Pyramid food groups and serving recommendations; choosing a variety of grains daily; choosing a variety of fruits and vegetables daily; choosing a low-fat diet; choosing and preparing foods with less salt; moderating intake of sugars; choosing more calcium-rich foods; keeping food safe to eat; preparing healthy meals and snacks; aiming for a healthy weight; risks of unhealthy weight-control practices; accepting body-size differences; and eating disorders.
- "During this school year, did teachers in this school teach each of the following physical activity topics in a required health education course for students in any of grades 6 through 12?" The following topics were listed: physical, psychological, or social benefits; health-related fitness; phases of a workout; how much physical activity is enough; decreasing sedentary activities; overcoming barriers to physical activity; developing an individualized physical activity plan; monitoring progress toward reaching goals; opportunities for physical activity in the community; preventing injury during physical activity; weather-related safety; and dangers of using performance-enhancing drugs.
- "During the past 2 years, did you receive staff development (such as workshops, conferences, continuing education, or any other kind of in-service) on each of the following health education topics?" Respondents were asked to mark yes or no on a list of topics that included "nutrition and dietary behavior" and "physical activity and fitness."

In 2004, data from surveys of lead health education teachers were obtained from 25 states and 10 large urban school districts.* The 25 states were distributed across all regions of the United States, and four of the school districts were among the 10 largest in the country. Among states, the number of lead health education teachers who participated ranged from 58 to 581 per state (median: 254), and response rates ranged from 70.0% to 92.0% (median: 75.0%). Among large urban school districts, the number of lead health education teachers

who participated ranged from 31 to 258 per school district (median: 50), and response rates ranged from 72.0% to 98.0% (median: 78.5%).

The percentage of schools that provided any instruction on nutrition and dietary behavior in a required health education course ranged from 92.5% to 100.0% (median: 98.5%) among states and from 92.8% to 100.0% (median: 100.0%) among school districts. The percentage of schools that provided any instruction on physical activity and fitness in a required health education course ranged from 94.8% to 100.0% (median: 98.9%) among states and from 87.9% to 100.0% (median: 100.0%) among school districts.

For each of 14 of the 15 nutrition and dietary behavior topics included in the questionnaire, the median percentage of schools that taught each topic in a required health education course ranged from 78.6% to 97.2% among states and from 82.0% to 98.8% among school districts. Medians for "keeping food safe to eat" were lower (74.3% among states and 81.1% among school districts).[†] Fewer schools taught all 15 topics, with percentages ranging from 50.1% to 73.4% (median: 57.7%) among states and from 42.7% to 83.9% (median: 67.8%) among school districts (Table 1). For each of 10 of the 12 physical activity topics included in the questionnaire, the median percentage of schools that taught each one in a required health education course ranged from 70.4% to 94.4% among states and from 78.4% to 92.7% among school districts. Medians for "developing an individualized physical activity plan" and "monitoring progress toward reaching goals" were lower (69.8% and 62.8% among states, respectively, and 67.8% among school districts). The percentage of schools that taught all 12 topics ranged from 28.8% to 62.7% among states (median: 44.9%) and from 43.5% to 67.0% (median: 48.6%) among school districts (Table 1).

The percentage of schools in which the lead health education teacher received staff development on nutrition and dietary behavior during the 2 years preceding the survey ranged from 21.4% to 48.1% (median: 32.0%) among states and from 25.8% to 59.5% (median: 37.3%) among school districts (Table 2). The percentage of schools in which the lead health education teacher received staff development on physical activity and fitness during the 2 years preceding the survey ranged from 29.5% to 61.6% (median: 43.3%) among states and from 16.9% to 75.8% (median: 44.4%) among school districts (Table 2).

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^{*} Secondary schools (i.e., middle, junior high, and senior high schools) serving students in grades 6–12 were surveyed in the following states and large urban school districts: *states*: Alaska, Arizona, Arkansas, Connecticut, Delaware, Idaho, Iowa, Maine, Massachusetts, Michigan, Missouri, Montana, Nebraska, New Hampshire, New York, North Carolina, North Dakota, Oklahoma, Oregon, Pennsylvania, South Carolina, Tennessee, Utah, Washington, and Wisconsin; *school districts:* Chicago, Illinois; Dallas, Texas; District of Columbia; Los Angeles, California; Memphis, Tennessee; Miami, Florida; New Orleans, Louisiana; Orange County, Florida; Philadelphia, Pennsylvania; and San Diego, California.

[†]Complete data on questions analyzed in this report are available at http:// www.cdc.gov/healthyyouth/profiles/2004/report.pdf.

TABLE 1. Percentage of schools that taught all nutrition and dietary behavior topics and physical activity and fitness topics in a required health education course during the 2003-2004 school year, by location - School Health Profiles, United States, 2004

	aught all 15 nutrition and dietary behavior topics* (%)	Taught all 12 physical activity topics† (%)
State		
Alaska	50.6	39.2
Arizona	66.7	44.9
Arkansas	68.6	57.5
Connecticut	50.1	28.8
Delaware	51.7	53.2
Idaho	68.2	45.6
Iowa	55.7	44.2
Maine	56.1	41.6
Massachusetts	57.4	42.2
Michigan	61.1	42.9
Missouri	69.5	53.5
Montana	58.2	47.1
Nebraska	54.2	48.8
New Hampshire	53.6	37.2
New York	57.7	34.6
North Carolina	73.4	59.5
North Dakota	71.6	44.3
Oklahoma	65.3	60.1
Oregon	56.5	43.4
Pennsylvania	55.4	47.6
South Carolina	67.5	53.9
Tennessee	73.1	62.7
Utah	64.3	48.2
Washington	55.3	38.3
Wisconsin	57.0	35.4
Median	57.7	44.9
Range	50.1-73.4	28.8-62.7
School district		
Chicago	51.8	43.7
Dallas	83.9	43.5
District of Columbia	42.7	50.2
Los Angeles	67.7	48.2
Memphis	76.0	67.0
Miami	71.8	48.6
New Orleans	50.1	48.4
Orange County, Florida	a 69.1	60.4
Philadelphia	67.8	51.8
San Diego [§]	_	_
Median	67.8	48.6
Range	42.7-83.9	43.5-67.0

*Benefits of healthy eating, using food labels, identifying Food Guide Pyramid food groups and serving recommendations, choosing a variety of grains daily, choosing a variety of fruits and vegetables daily, choosing a low-fat diet, choosing and preparing foods with less salt, moderating intake of sugars, choosing more calcium-rich foods, keeping food safe to eat, preparing healthy meals and snacks, aiming for a healthy weight, risks of unhealthy weight-control practices, accepting body-size differences,

and eating disorders. ¹Physical, psychological, or social benefits; health-related fitness; phases of a workout; how much physical activity is enough; decreasing sedentary activities; overcoming barriers to physical activity; developing an individualized physical activity plan; monitoring progress toward reaching goals; opportunities for physical activity in the community; preventing injury during physical activity; weather-related safety; and dangers of using § performance-enhancing drugs. § Data not available.

TABLE 2. Percentage of schools in which the lead health education teacher received staff development* on nutrition and dietary behavior or physical activity and fitness during the 2 years preceding the survey, by location — School Health Profiles, United States, 2004

Profiles, United Sta	ales, 2004	
Location	Received staff development on nutrition and dietary behavior (%)	Received staff development on physical activity and fitness (%)
State		
Alaska	22.4	29.9
Arizona	33.1	36.9
Arkansas	27.1	46.9
Connecticut	30.2	45.9
Delaware	32.0	61.6
Idaho	48.1	43.3
lowa	26.6	29.5
Maine	36.3	40.1
Massachusetts	38.7	44.8
Michigan	35.1	43.0
Missouri	35.8	49.5
Montana	37.6	55.3
Nebraska	22.5	32.6
New Hampshire	46.4	48.4
New York	29.8	41.9
North Carolina	23.2	51.2
North Dakota	35.5	50.0
Oklahoma	23.1	31.7
Oregon	23.5	32.5
Pennsylvania	35.7	53.0
South Carolina	26.8	51.2
Tennessee	37.7	52.2
Utah	21.4	34.9
Washington	26.9	35.3
Wisconsin	34.9	42.4
Median	32.0	43.3
Range	21.4-48.1	29.5-61.6
School district		
Chicago	38.2	49.4
Dallas	36.4	39.4
District of Columbia	33.4	61.3
Los Angeles	25.8	23.9
Memphis	59.5	75.8
Miami	26.5	27.0
New Orleans	39.3	57.8
Orange County, Flori	da 48.1	20.2
Philadelphia	50.3	56.8
San Diego	32.3	16.9
Median	37.3	44.4
Range	25.8–59.5	16.9–75.8
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*Workshops, conferences, continuing education, or any other kind of in-service.

Activity, National Center for Chronic Disease Prevention and Health Promotion, CDC.

Editorial Note: The findings in this report indicate that in 2004, nearly all secondary schools in 25 states and 10 large urban school districts provided education to students on nutrition and physical activity topics through required health education courses and taught key topics related to nutrition

and physical activity. However, a lower proportion of schools taught all 15 nutrition and dietary behavior topics and all 12 physical activity and fitness topics included in the School Health Profiles questionnaire. Many of the topics listed in the questionnaire have been taught in classroom-based programs that have been determined to contribute to improving dietary behavior, increasing physical activity, reducing sedentary behavior, and reducing the prevalence of overweight among school-aged youths (1,5-7).

This analysis also indicated that in most of the participating states and school districts, fewer than half of lead health education teachers had received recent staff development on nutrition and physical activity. Studies have indicated that teachers who receive staff development are more likely to cover a broader range of topics (8) and use teaching methods that have been determined to improve student health behaviors (4). States and school districts should increase the availability of staff development on nutrition and physical activity for health education teachers.

The findings in this report are subject to at least three limitations. First, these data include only public secondary schools and therefore do not reflect practices at private schools. Second, these data were self-reported by lead health education teachers and are therefore subject to recall and other biases; the responses were not verified by other sources. Lead health education teachers might not be aware of the classroom practices of all individual health education teachers in the school. Finally, these data are not an assessment of the effectiveness of health education instruction.

Schools should provide health education on nutrition and physical activity topics as one of several strategies to improve dietary behavior, increase physical activity, reduce sedentary behavior, and reduce overweight among youths (9). Classroom instruction should be part of a coordinated school health program that includes a healthy school meals program, healthy and appealing choices among foods and beverages offered in addition to the school meals program, a physical education program based on recommendations from the National Association for Sport and Physical Education in *Moving into the Future: National Standards for Physical Education*,[§] opportunities for safe and enjoyable physical activity, school health services and counseling related to dietary behavior and physical activity, and a health promotion program for school staff members (1,5).

CDC, in partnership with school administrators and staff, school health researchers, parents, and national nongovernmental health and education agencies, developed the *School* *Health Index*, a self-assessment and planning tool that schools can use to improve their health and safety policies and programs (6). Teachers, staff members, parents, students, and community members can use the *School Health Index* to assess whether their school curricula contain elements of effective health education on nutrition and physical activity topics and to create a plan to improve curricula and other components of their school health program.

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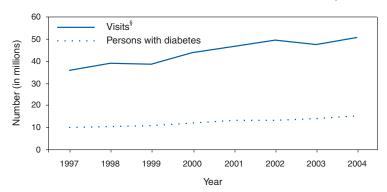
In the *MMWR Recommendations and Reports*, "Treating Opportunistic Infections Among HIV-Exposed and Infected Children: Recommendations from CDC, the National Institutes of Health, and the Infectious Diseases Society of America," in Appendix A, on page 65, an incorrect dosage was provided for infants and children with *Pneumocystis jiroveci* pneumonia under the column heading, "Preferred therapies and duration." The correct dosage is highlighted: "Trimethoprim-sulfamethoxazole (TMP/SMX) 15–20 mg/kg body weight TMP plus 75–100 mg/kg body weight SMX administered intravenously or by mouth **in 3–4 divided doses** daily (AI) (after acute pneumonitis resolved in mild-moderate disease, intravenous TMP/SMX may be changed to oral)."

[§] Available at http://www.aahperd.org/naspe.

QuickStats



Number of Persons with Diagnosed Diabetes* and Number of Ambulatory Care Visits[†] Related to Diabetes — United States, 1997–2004



* Estimated from self-reported responses during in-person interviews to the question, "Have you ever been told by a doctor or health professional that you have diabetes or sugar diabetes?"

[†] Ambulatory care visits include those made to physician offices and hospital outpatient departments during the preceding 12 months. Diabetes-related visits are those made by persons with a first-, second-, or third-listed diagnosis of diabetes (*International Classification of Diseases, Ninth Revision, Clinical Modification* codes 250.00–250.99).

[§] The weighting methodology for physician office visits for 2003 and 2004 differed from the method used during 1997–2002, which increased the relative number of visit estimates in 2003 and 2004 compared with preceding years (available at http://www.cdc.gov/nchs/data/ad/ad365.pdf).

Whereas the estimated number of persons in the United States increased by approximately 8% during 1997–2004, the number of persons with diabetes in the United States increased by approximately 50%, from 10.1 million in 1997 to 15.2 million in 2004. The estimated number of diabetes-related visits to physician offices and hospital outpatient departments also increased by approximately 41% during this period.

SOURCES: National Health Interview Surveys, 1997–2004. Available at http://www.cdc.gov/nchs/nhis.htm. National Ambulatory Medical Care Survey. Available at http://www.cdc.gov/nchs/about/major/ahcd/ahcd1.htm.

TABLE I. Provisional cases of infrequently reported notifiable diseases (<1,000 cases reported during the preceding year) — United States, week ending July 29, 2006 (30th Week)*

	Current	Cum	5-year weekly	Total o	ases rer	orted for	r previou	s vears	
Disease	week	2006	average [†]	2005	2004	2003	2002	2001	States reporting cases during current week (No.)
Anthrax		1	0	_	_	_	2	23	
Botulism:			0				2	20	
foodborne	_	3	1	19	16	20	28	39	
infant	1	37	1	90	87	76	69	97	TX (1)
other (wound & unspecified)	1	31	1	33	30	33	21	19	WA (1)
Brucellosis	1	57	3	122	114	104	125	136	AR (Ì)
Chancroid	3	21	1	17	30	54	67	38	NY (2), SC (1)
Cholera	—	4	0	8	5	2	2	3	
Cyclosporiasis§	1	60	6	734	171	75	156	147	PA (1)
Diphtheria	_	_	_	_	_	1	1	2	
Domestic arboviral diseases ^{§,1} :			_						
California serogroup	_	1	5	78	112	108	164	128	
eastern equine	_	_	1	21	6	14	10	9	
Powassan		_	0	1	1		1	N	
St. Louis	_	1	1	10	12	41	28	79	
western equine Ehrlichiosis [§] :	_	_		_	_	_	_	_	
human granulocytic	20	137	20	790	537	362	511	261	NY (5), MN (15)
human monocytic	16	137	12	790 522	338	302	216	142	NY (1), MN (3), MO (2), NC (3), FL (1), TN (2), AR (4)
human (other & unspecified)	6	40	2	122	59	44	210	6	MO (3), NE (1), VA (1), AR (1)
Haemophilus influenzae,**	0	40	2	122	55	44	20	0	MO(0), NE(1), VA(1), AIT(1)
invasive disease (age <5 yrs):									
serotype b	_	4	0	9	19	32	34	_	
nonserotype b	1	49	2	135	135	117	144	_	IN (1)
unknown serotype	3	105	3	217	177	227	153	_	MD (1), GA (2)
Hansen disease§	1	34	2	88	105	95	96	79	NH (1)
Hantavirus pulmonary syndrome§	_	17	1	29	24	26	19	8	
Hemolytic uremic syndrome, postdiarrheal§	7	87	5	221	200	178	216	202	ME (1), MN (2), TN (2), UT (1), CA (1)
Hepatitis C viral, acute	4	448	34	771	713	1,102	1,835	3,976	NC (1), AL (1), OK (2)
HIV infection, pediatric (age <13 yrs) ^{§,††}	—	52	4	380	436	504	420	543	
Influenza-associated pediatric mortality §.§§.11	1	41	0	49	_	N	N	N	CA (1)
Listeriosis	13	298	20	892	753	696	665	613	NY (2), PA (1), OH (4), NC (1), FL (2), KY (1),
Magalaa	***	05	0	66	07	50	4.4	110	WA (1), CA (1)
Measles Meningococcal disease, ^{†††} invasive:	_	25	2	66	37	56	44	116	
A, C, Y, & W-135		132	4	297	_	_	_	_	
serogroup B	_	88	2	157	_	_	_	_	
other serogroup	_	12	1	27	_	_	_	_	
Mumps	13	5,423	5	314	258	231	270	266	NH (1), MO (4), ND (2), MD (1), FL (1), ID (1),
		-,	-						CA (1), HI (2)
Plague	_	4	0	8	3	1	2	2	
Poliomyelitis, paralytic	_	_		1	_		_	_	
Psittacosis§	_	10	0	19	12	12	18	25	
Q fever [§]	2	78	2	139	70	71	61	26	PA (1), MO (1)
Rabies, human	—	1	0	2	7	2	3	1	
Rubella	_	4	0	11	10	7	18	23	
Rubella, congenital syndrome	_	1	_	1		1	1	3	
SARS-CoV ^{§,§§}	_	_	_	_	_	8	N	N	
Smallpox [§]	_		_	100					
Streptococcal toxic-shock syndrome [§]	1	65	1	129	132	161	118	77	OH (1)
Streptococcus pneumoniae,§ invasive disease (age <5 yrs)	13	648	9	1 257	1,162	845	513	498	MA (1) IN (6) MD (3) OK (2) TY (1)
Syphilis, congenital (age <1 yr)	2	132	9 7	1,257 361	353	845 413	412	498 441	MA (1), IN (6), MD (3), OK (2), TX (1) NY (2)
Tetanus	2	132	1	27	353	413 20	412 25	44 I 37	(<i>L</i>)
Toxic-shock syndrome (other than streptococc	al)§ —	54	2	96	95	133	109	127	
Trichinellosis		9	0	19	5	6	103	22	
Tularemia [§]	1	42	4	154	134	129	90	129	AR (1)
Typhoid fever	3	137	7	324	322	356	321	368	OH (1), MN (1), CA (1)
Vancomycin-intermediate Staphylococcus aur		2	_	2	_	N	N	N	
Vancomycin-resistant Staphylococcus aureus		_	_	3	1	N	N	N	
Yellow fever		_	_	_	_	_	1	_	

-: No reported cases. N: Not notifiable. Cum: Cumulative year-to-date counts.

* Incidence data for reporting years 2005 and 2006 are provisional, whereas data for 2001, 2002, 2003, and 2004 are finalized.

⁺ Calculated by summing the incidence counts for the current week, the two weeks preceding the current week, and the two weeks following the current week, for a total of 5 preceding years. Additional information is available at http://www.cdc.gov/epo/dphsi/phs/files/5yearweeklyaverage.pdf.

§ Not notifiable in all states.

¹ Includes both neuroinvasive and non-neuroinvasive. Updated weekly from reports to the Division of Vector-Borne Infectious Diseases, National Center for Infectious Diseases (ArboNET Surveillance).

** Data for *H. influenzae* (all ages, all serotypes) are available in Table II.

^{††} Updated monthly from reports to the Division of HIV/AIDS Prevention, National Center for HIV/AIDS, STD and TB Prevention. Implementation of HIV reporting influences the number of cases reported. Data for HIV/AIDS are available in Table IV quarterly.

§§ Updated weekly from reports to the Division of Viral and Rickettsial Diseases, National Center for Infectious Diseases.

11 A total of 37 cases were reported for the 2005-06 flu season (October 2, 2005 [week 40]–May 20, 2006 [week 20]).

*** No measles cases were reported for the current week.

ttt Data for meningococcal disease (all serogroups and unknown serogroups) are available in Table II.

			Chlamyd	lia†				ioidomy	cosis				otosporio	liosis	
	Current		vious veeks	Cum	Cum	Current		ious eeks	Cum	Cum	Current		vious veeks	Cum	Cum
Reporting area	week	Med	Max	2006	2005	week	Med	Max	2006	2005	week	Med	Max	2006	2005
United States	11,416	18,740	35,170	525,112	552,151	57	126	1,643	3,879	2,200	55	62	860	1,468	1,444
New England	540	631	1,550	18,294	18,692		0	0			2	4	35	89	86
Connecticut Maine [§]	46 46	172 41	1,214 74	5,457 1,151	5,805 1,230	N N	0 0	0 0	N N	N N	_	0 0	14 3	12 14	9 15
Massachusetts	347	280	432	8,081	8,165	—	0	0	—	—	1	1	15	33	35
New Hampshire Rhode Island	6 81	35 66	64 99	1,022 1,926	1,047 1,895	_	0 0	0 0	_	_	_	1 0	3 6	12 4	11 2
Vermont§	14	19	43	657	550	Ν	Ō	Ō	Ν	Ν	1	Ō	5	14	14
Mid. Atlantic New Jersey	1,495	2,342 369	3,696 498	66,269 9,530	67,243 11,181	N	0 0	0 0	N	 N	5	11 0	597 8	219 6	185 13
New York (Úpstate)	528	497	1,727	13,466	13,458	N	0	0	N	N	2	3	561	61	51
New York City Pennsylvania	364 603	763 728	1,611 1,075	21,136 22,137	21,575 21,029	N N	0 0	0 0	N N	N N	3	2 5	15 21	38 114	47 74
E.N. Central	1,239	3,119	12,578	83,289	91,628	_	0	3	25	5	10	15	162	322	337
Illinois Indiana	991 133	963 389	1,536 552	27,524	28,328 11,379	N	0 0	0 0	N	N	_	2 1	16 13	31 31	48 21
Michigan		579	9,888	9,313 17,681	15,005		0	3	21	5	_	2	7	54	43
Ohio Wisconsin	70 45	733 399	1,445 531	17,687 11,084	25,301 11,615	N	0 0	1 0	4 N	N	10	5 5	109 38	116 90	88 137
W.N. Central	417	1,135	1,453	32,527	33,667	_	0	12		4	13	10	52	254	231
Iowa	102	150	225	4,595	3,985	N	0	0	N	Ν	_	1	11	30	65
Kansas Minnesota	7	154 234	269 337	4,370 6,201	4,058 7.062	N	0 0	0 12	N	N 3	6	1 3	5 22	27 97	16 49
Missouri	239	433	531	12,141	13,064		0	0	_	1	5	2	37	51	80
Nebraska [§] North Dakota	23	94 33	176 58	2,784 949	2,999 922	N N	0 0	1 0	N N	N N	_2	1 0	4 4	20 6	8
South Dakota	46	52	117	1,487	1,577	Ν	0	0	Ν	Ν	_	0	4	23	13
S. Atlantic Delaware	3,151 70	3,335 69	4,923 92	100,603 2,034	103,159 1,861	N	0 0	1 0	2 N	N	20	14 0	54 2	348 1	261
District of Columbia	19	57	103	1,485	2,177	—	0	0	_	_	_	0	3	9	3
Florida Georgia	738 3	898 618	1,090 2,142	27,135 15,175	25,028 17,857	N	0 0	0 0	N	N	6 8	6 3	28 9	143 95	120 62
Maryland§	352	355	492	10,222	10,523		0	1	2		_	0	4	10	11
North Carolina South Carolina [§]	523 1,079	569 278	1,772 1,306	18,844 10,481	19,319 11,276	N N	0 0	0 0	N N	N N	1 2	1 0	10 4	44 21	30 10
Virginia [§]	367	427 56	840 226	13,352 1,875	13,631 1,487	N N	0 0	0 0	N N	N N	3	1 0	8 3	22 3	21 4
West Virginia E.S. Central	862	1,409	1,941	41,666	40,441		0	0			3	3	29	68	46
Alabama§	103	369	754	11,613	8,510	N	0	0	Ν	Ν	3	0	5	31	13
Kentucky Mississippi	240	160 378	402 609	5,597 10,175	5,493 13,006	N	0 0	0 0	N	N	_	1 0	25 1	14 6	18
Tennessee§	519	489	614	14,281	13,432	Ν	Ő	Ő	Ν	Ν	_	1	4	17	15
W.S. Central Arkansas	1,215 207	2,124 154	3,605 340	60,793 4,321	65,664 5,038	_	0 0	1 0	_	_	1	3 0	30 2	74 8	52 2
Louisiana	142	277	761	8,941	11,439	_	0	1	_	Ν	_	0	21	_	4
Oklahoma Texas [§]	126 740	228 1,362	2,159 1,800	6,581 40,950	6,261 42,926	N N	0 0	0 0	N N	N N	1	1 2	10 19	22 44	26 20
Mountain	394	1,057	1,839	26,935	36,364	_	92	452	2,424	1,382	1	2	9	54	72
Arizona	320	359	642	10,173	12,784		91	448	2,359	1,320	_	0	1	4	7
Colorado Idaho§	_	189 52	482 168	3,113 1,773	8,491 1,393	N N	0 0	0 0	N N	N N	1	1 0	3 2	17 7	23
Montana	—	43	195	1,411	1,331	N	0	0	N	N	_	0	2	8	12
Nevada [§] New Mexico [§]	_	85 171	432 338	2,055 4,987	4,210 5,020	_	1 0	4 2	21 8	40 13	_	0 0	1 3	3 5	8
Utah Wyoming	74	92 26	136 55	2,643 780	2,508 627	_	1 0	3 2	34 2	7 2	_	0 0	3 3	6 4	5 2
Pacific	2,103	3,290	5,079	94,736	95,293	57	38	1,179	1,428	809	_	3	52	40	174
Alaska		83	152	2,345	2,367	—	0	0	· —	_	—	0	2	3	121
California Hawaii	1,679 1	2,547 106	4,231 135	73,888 3,007	73,746 3,144	57 N	38 0	1,179 0	1,428 N	809 N	_	0 0	14 1	1	1
Oregon [§] Washington	125 298	177 354	315 604	5,229 10,267	5,107 10,929	N N	0 0	0 0	N N	N N	_	1 0	20 38	36	29 23
American Samoa	U	0	46	U	U	U	0	0	U	U	U	0	0	U	U
C.N.M.I. Guam	Ŭ	0 18	0 37	Ŭ	U 446	Ŭ	0	0	Ŭ	Ŭ	Ŭ	0	0	Ŭ	Ŭ
Puerto Rico	_	68	162	1,877	2,492	Ν	0	0	N	Ν	N	0	0	N	N
U.S. Virgin Islands	—	2	12	83	177	_	0	0	_	_	_	0	0	_	_

TABLE II. Provisional cases of selected notifiable diseases, United States, weeks ending July 29, 2006, and July 30, 2005

Cum: Cumulative year-to-date counts.

Max: Maximum.

Med: Median.

C.N.M.I.: Commonwealth of Northern Mariana Islands. U: Unavailable. —: No reported cases. N: Not notifiable. Cum: Cumulative year-to-or * Incidence data for reporting years 2005 and 2006 are provisional. * Chlamydia refers to genital infections caused by *Chlamydia trachomatis*. * Contains data reported through the National Electronic Disease Surveillance System (NEDSS).

(30th Week)*							Hae	mophilu	ıs influer	zae, inva	sive				
		Brow	Giardiasi vious	s			-	onorrhe /ious	а				es, all se vious	rotypes	
Deve entire en ence	Current	52 w	eeks	Cum	Cum	Current	<u>52 v</u>	/eeks	Cum	Cum	Current	52 \	veeks	Cum	Cum
Reporting area United States	222	Med 306	Max 1,029	2006 7,983	2005 9,546	week 3,972	Med 6,431	Max 14,136	2006 177,564	2005	week 34	Med 37	Max 142	2006 1,166	2005 1,450
New England	19	25	75	622	9,340 840	110	105	288	3,180	3,528	1	3	19	91	104
Connecticut Maine [†]	12	0 2	37 11	140 69	185 106	17 1	41 2	241 6	1,275 67	1,551 78	_	0 0	9 3	23 11	31 7
Massachusetts	3	10	34	275	366	89	47	75	1,406	1,491	1	1	6	44	50
New Hampshire Rhode Island	3	0 0	3 25	10 50	40 57	2	4 8	9 19	124 269	94 282	_	0 0	1 7	3 2	5 7
Vermont [†]	1	3	9	78	86	1	1	4	39	32	_	0	2	8	4
Mid. Atlantic New Jersey	33	56 7	254 18	1,390 96	1,744 231	385	636 106	1,014 150	16,771 2,633	18,697 3,212	4	7 1	30 4	220 26	270 51
New York (Úpstate) New York City	27	23 13	227 32	592 338	587 484	138 82	123 170	455 402	3,473 4,599	3,692 5,579	3	2 1	27 4	84 18	78 49
Pennsylvania	6	16	29	364	442	165	212	392	6,066	6,214	1	3	8	92	92
E.N. Central Illinois	18	51 10	110 32	1,171 195	1,662 412	487 391	1,269 380	7,047 567	33,092 10,331	36,424 11,071	5	5 1	14 6	161 32	256 84
Indiana	Ν	0	0	N	N	49	154	228	3,812	4,580	5	1	7	48	47
Michigan Ohio	18	14 16	29 34	329 392	400 360	37	233 379	5,880 661	7,153 8,117	5,810 11,780	_	0 1	3 6	15 48	13 82
Wisconsin	—	11	40	255	490	10	129	172	3,679	3,183	—	0	4	18	30
W.N. Central lowa	24	35 5	260 14	978 123	1,078 137	152 14	357 32	461 54	10,087 935	10,528 869	_	2 0	15 0	71	71
Kansas Minnesota	 12	4 3	9 238	86 415	106 487	5	47 62	124 102	1,230 1,534	1,423 1,971	_	0 0	3 9	12 35	7 28
Missouri	9	10	32	269	221	121	183	240	5,422	5,306	—	0	7	18	25
Nebraska [†] North Dakota	3	2 0	6 7	48 5	65 5	_	21 2	56 7	697 55	693 50	_	0 0	2 3	4 2	10 1
South Dakota	_	1	7	32	57	12	6	13	214	216	_	0	0	_	_
S. Atlantic Delaware	27	49 1	95 4	1,209 18	1,437 32	1,395 22	1,479 25	2,334 44	43,388 837	43,942 450	23	9 0	24 1	334 1	352
District of Columbia Florida	13	1 18	5 39	39 531	22 508	25 370	36 421	66 543	923 12,882	1,145 11,152	8	0 3	1 9	2 112	5 86
Georgia Maryland†	7	11	26 10	225 95	394 98	110	294 129	1,014 231	6,793 3,844	8,116 3,886	10 3	2	6 5	57 40	75 46
North Carolina	N	0	0	N	N	240	283	766	9,306	9,032	1	0	9	40	59
South Carolina† Virginia†	4	1 9	7 50	56 233	73 290	573 55	128 134	748 288	4,757 3,572	5,013 4,762	_	1 1	3 8	25 44	23 38
West Virginia		0	6	12	20		16	42	474	386	1	0	4	13	20
E.S. Central Alabama [†]	33 23	8 4	18 14	248 130	208 95	371 39	560 179	726 308	16,580 5,342	15,682 4,967	1	2 0	6 4	69 18	81 15
Kentucky Mississippi	N	0 0	0 0	N	N	111	56 140	132 225	1,963 3,839	1,809 4,083	_	0 0	1 1	2 3	10
Tennessee [†]	10	4	12	118	113	221	182	279	5,436	4,823	1	1	4	46	56
W.S. Central Arkansas	7 5	5 2	31 6	108 48	140 43	551 83	835 80	1,430 186	25,831 2,297	26,485 2,589	_	1 0	15 2	40 5	83 7
Louisiana		0	5	4	28	94	164	461	5,334	6,317	—	0	2	1	31
Oklahoma Texas†	2 N	2 0	24 0	56 N	69 N	74 300	85 524	764 733	2,454 15,746	2,542 15,037	_	1 0	14 1	34	42 3
Mountain	13	29	57	671	705	63	217	552	5,710	7,723	—	3	8	113	154
Arizona Colorado	_	2 9	36 33	33 227	84 244	57	86 47	201 90	2,397 971	2,856 1,795	_	1	7 4	42 35	79 31
Idaho† Montana	_	3 2	11 7	85 36	70 22	_	3 3	10 19	100 106	55 78	_	0 0	1 0	3	4
Nevada [†] New Mexico [†]	_	2	6	33 24	51 42	—	24 30	194 64	693 901	1,633 896	—	0	1	 17	13
Utah	13	7	19	221	179	6	17	24	471	373	_	Ō	4	14	16 7
Wyoming		0	3	12	13		2	6	71	37	_	0	2	2	4
Pacific Alaska	48	60 1	202 7	1,586 24	1,732 54	458	808 10	963 23	22,925 302	23,006 331	_	2 0	20 19	67 7	79 5
California Hawaii	42	43 1	105 3	1,160 30	1,287 38	349 4	668 19	830 36	18,815 543	19,127 569	_	0 0	9 1	15 11	32 8
Oregon [†] Washington	6	7 8	21 90	195 177	198 155	38 67	28 73	58 142	807 2,458	905 2,074	_	1	6 4	32 2	34
American Samoa	U	0	90 0	U	133 U	U	0	2	2,430 U	2,074 U	U	0	4	L U	U
C.N.M.I. Guam	Ŭ	0	0	Ŭ	U 5	Ŭ	0	0 15	Ŭ	Ŭ 60	Ŭ	0	0	Ŭ	U 2
Puerto Rico	_	2	20	20	112	_	5	16	127	232	_	0	1	_	3
U.S. Virgin Islands	_	0	0	_	_	_	0	5	17	43	_	0	0	_	_

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(30th Week)*				Hen	atitie (viral	, acute), by	tuno								
			Α	пер		, acute), by		В					gionello	sis	
	Current		/ious /eeks	Cum	Cum	Current	Previ	ous eeks	Cum	Cum	Current		/ious /eeks	Cum	Cum
Reporting area	week	Med	Max	2006	2005	week	Med	Max	2006	2005	week	Med	Max	2006	2005
United States	27	75	245	1,819	2,160	27	87	597	2,183	3,014	53	42	127	941	929
New England	1	5	22	105	243	—	2	9	36	81	2	2	12	51	48
Connecticut Maine [†]	_	1 0	3 2	21 5	30 1	_	0 0	3 2	11	29 6	_	0 0	8 1	17 3	15 3
Massachusetts New Hampshire	_	2 0	14 7	50 16	145 57	_	1 0	5 2	14 7	26 17	_	1 0	6 1	18 1	19 6
Rhode Island	1	0	4	6	5	_	0	2	4	1	1	0	10	9	3
Vermont [†]	_	0	2	7	5	_	0	1		2	1	0	3	3	2
Mid. Atlantic New Jersey	2	8 2	24 9	167 32	359 66	1	9 3	55 10	207 47	396 148	24	13 1	35 8	285 9	316 68
New York (Upstate) New York City	1	1 2	14 10	46 53	55 181	_	1 2	43 5	35 37	35 81	10	5 1	29 9	128 14	71 59
Pennsylvania	1	1	6	36	57	1	3	9	88	132	14	6	17	134	118
E.N. Central	—	6	15	150	193	_2	8 0	24 6	187 7	335 96	19	9 1	25 5	194 14	164
Illinois Indiana	_	1 0	11 5	27 17	59 11	_	0	17	28	17	_	0	6	13	23 12
Michigan Ohio	_	2 1	8 4	55 39	66 31	2	3 2	7 7	76 70	112 83	 19	2 4	6 19	43 105	47 68
Wisconsin	_	1	5	12	26	_	Ō	4	6	27	_	Ö	5	19	14
W.N. Central Iowa	3	2 0	30 2	82 4	51 13	1	4 0	22 3	95 9	153 15	—	1 0	11 1	25 2	40 3
Kansas	_	0	5	21	10	_	0	2	6	19	_	0	1	1	2
Minnesota Missouri	_2	0 1	29 4	8 31	3 22	- 1	0 3	13 7	10 64	15 82	_	0 0	10 3	14	11 14
Nebraska [†]	1	0	3	11	3	—	0	1	6	19	_	0	2	4	2
North Dakota South Dakota	_	0 0	2 3	7	_	_	0 0	0 1	_	3	_	0 0	1 6	4	1 7
S. Atlantic	14	11	34	280	344	11	23	66	652	848	4	9	19	207	203
Delaware District of Columbia	_	0 0	2 2	9 2	4 2	_	1 0	4 2	22 4	19 8	_	0 0	2 2	4 8	12 3
Florida Georgia	13 1	4 1	18 6	109 32	121 73	7	8 3	19 7	243 93	290 130	3	3 0	8 4	85 9	55 18
Maryland [†]	_	1	6	32	30	1	2	10	89	92	_	1	6	41	55
North Carolina South Carolina [†]	_	0	20 3	53 10	41 20	1	0 2	23 7	92 43	98 99	_	0 0	5 1	20 2	17 10
Virginia [†]	_	1 0	11 3	29 4	50 3	_2	1 0	18 18	26 40	88 24	1	1	7 3	34 4	25 8
West Virginia E.S. Central	1	2	15	4 67	3 145	3	6	18	198	24	2	1	9	4 46	0 44
Alabama [†]	_	0	9	9	16	3	2	7	75	49	—	Ó	1	7	9
Kentucky Mississippi	_	0 0	5 1	24 4	11 13	_	1 0	5 3	40 8	41 35	_	0 0	4 1	11 1	12 2
Tennessee [†]	1	1	7	30	105	—	2	12	75	87	2	1	7	27	21
W.S. Central Arkansas	_	7 0	77 9	117 30	226 8	2	13 1	315 4	349 22	315 40	_	1 0	32 3	30 1	18 4
Louisiana	—	0	4	1	40 4		0	3	5	49	—	0	1	_	_
Oklahoma Texas†	_	0 5	2 73	4 82	4 174	2	0 11	17 295	19 303	29 197	_	0 0	3 26	1 28	2 12
Mountain	_	6	18	130	176	—	6	39	148	314	1	2	7	47	56
Arizona Colorado	_	2 1	16 4	64 24	91 21	_	4 1	27 5	86 21	200 35	_	0 0	3 2	14 5	12 15
Idaho† Montana	_	0 0	2 2	7 6	18 7	_	0 0	2 7	7	7 3	_	0 0	2 1	6 3	3 4
Nevada [†]	_	0	2	6	9	_	0	4	13	31	_	0	2	3	11
New Mexico† Utah	_	0 0	3 2	10 11	15 14	_	0 0	3 5	2 19	12 25	1	0 0	1 2	2 14	2 6
Wyoming	_	0	1	2	1	—	0	1	—	1	_	0	1	—	3
Pacific Alaska	6	19 0	163 1	721	423 3	7	10 0	61 1	311 2	360 7	1	2 0	9 1	56	40
California	6	15	162	660	351	4	7	41	244	244	1	2	9	56	39
Hawaii Oregon†	_	0 0	2 5	8 26	17 25	_	0 1	1 6	4 33	3 61	N	0 0	1 0	N	1 N
Washington	—	1	13	27	27	3	0	18	28	45	_	0	0	_	_
American Samoa C.N.M.I.	U U	0	0 0	U U	1 U	U U	0 0	0 0	U U	U	U U	0 0	0 0	U U	U U
Guam	_	0	0	_	2		0	2	_	18	_	0	0		_
Puerto Rico U.S. Virgin Islands	_	0 0	3 0	9	48	1	1 0	8 0	18	29	_	0 0	1 0	1	_

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(30th Week)*	-										
		Der	Lyme dise	ease			Dues	Malaria	1		
	Current		evious /eeks	Cum	Cum	Current	Prev 52 w		Cum	Cum	
Reporting area	week	Med	Max	2006	2005	week	Med	Max	2006	2005	
United States	474	248	2,153	6,424	10,900	18	24	125	611	748	
New England	161	37	780	1,126	1,896	_	1	12	39	31	
Connecticut Maine†	148	8 2	753 26	873 47	193 133	_	0 0	10 1	10 3	2	
Massachusetts	_	3	163	32	1,460	_	0	3	17	22	
New Hampshire Rhode Island	13	5 0	31 12	155	85 8	_	0 0	3 8	8	4 2	
Vermont [†]	_	1	5	19	17	_	0	1	1	1	
Mid. Atlantic	231	151	1,176	3,683	6,283	1	4	15	92	207	
New Jersey New York (Upstate)	196	24 76	171 1,150	749 1,646	2,467 1,242	_	1 1	7 11	13 20	52 26	
New York City	_	1	23	7	231		2	8	42	107	
Pennsylvania E.N. Central	35	37	376	1,281	2,343	1	1 2	2 8	17 56	22 85	
Illinois	_	14 0	83 9	479	1,234 97	_	1	5	56 17	45	
Indiana Michigan	_	0 1	4 7	9 21	15 15	_	0	3 2	7 9	3 17	
Ohio	_	1	5	18	26	_	0	3	18	14	
Wisconsin	—	10	69	431	1,081	—	0	3	5	6	
W.N. Central Iowa	39	11 1	98 6	212 32	219 61	_	0 0	32 1	28 1	30 4	
Kansas	_	0	2	3	2	—	0	2	4	3	
Minnesota Missouri	38	6 0	96 3	159 10	148 7	_	0 0	30 2	14 4	11 12	
Nebraska†	1	0	2	7	_	—	0	2	3	_	
North Dakota South Dakota	_	0 0	3 1	1	1	_	0 0	1 1	1 1	_	
S. Atlantic	35	28	124	741	1,137	8	6	15	181	166	
Delaware District of Columbia	3	9 0	34 7	284 18	420 6	_	0 0	1 2	5 2	3 6	
Florida	3	1	5	21	15	3	1	6	32	28	
Georgia Maryland†	9	0 15	1 87	309	4 568	1 2	1 1	6 5	51 38	36 60	
North Carolina	1	0	5	16	27	_	0	8	13	16	
South Carolina† Virginia†	 19	0 3	3 22	5 85	8 85	2	0 1	2 9	7 32	4 12	
West Virginia	_	Ō	44	3	4	_	0	2	1	1	
E.S. Central	_	0 0	4 1	6	17	3	0	3	17 9	15	
Alabama† Kentucky	_	0	2	3	3	2 1	0	2 2	9	3 4	
Mississippi Tennessee [†]	_	0 0	0 4	3	14	_	0 0	1 2	3 3	8	
W.S. Central	_	0	5	7	52	2	2	31	42	54	
Arkansas	—	0	1	—	3	—	0	2	1	3	
Louisiana Oklahoma	_	0 0	0 0	_	3	1	0 0	1 6	4	2 3	
Texas [†]	_	0	5	7	46	1	2	29	37	46	
Mountain	1	0	4	8	11 1	1	0	9	24	34	
Arizona Colorado	_	0 0	4 1	2 1	_	_	0 0	9 2	4 9	6 19	
Idaho† Montana	1	0 0	1 0	1	1	—	0	0 1	1	_	
Nevada [†]	_	0	1	_	3	_	0	1	1	2	
New Mexico† Utah	_	0 0	1	4	2 1	1	0 0	1 2	1 8	2 4	
Wyoming	_	0	0	-	3	_	0	1	_	1	
Pacific	7	4	22	162	51	3	4	13	132	126	
Alaska California	6	0 3	1 21	1 157	3 29	2	0 3	4 10	16 90	3 93	
Hawaii	Ň	0	0	N	N	—	0	2	3	12	
Oregon [†] Washington	1	0 0	1 3	2 2	16 3	1	0 0	2 5	7 16	7 11	
American Samoa	U	0	0	U	U	U	0	0	U	U	
C.N.M.I. Guam	Ŭ	0	0	U	Ŭ	U	0	0	U	U	
Puerto Rico	N	0	0	N	N	_	0	1	_	2	
U.S. Virgin Islands	—	0	0	—	—	—	0	0	—	—	

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(30th Week)*				Menir	ngococcal	disease, inv	asive								
			All serog	roups				<u> </u>	Inknown				Pertus	ssis	
	Current		vious veeks	Cum	Cum	Current	Previ 52 we		Cum	Cum	Current		vious veeks	Cum	Cum
Reporting area	week	Med	Max	2006	2005	week	Med	Max	2006	2005	week	Med	Max	2006	2005
United States	8	20	85	698	818	7	13	58	466	499	180	288	2,877	7,090	12,290
New England	1	1	3	31	52	—	0	2	23	19	6	29	83	730	717
Connecticut Maine [†]	_	0 0	2 1	8 3	10 2	_	0 0	2 1	2 3	1 2	_	1 1	5 5	24 24	40 20
Massachusetts New Hampshire	1	0 0	2 2	13 5	25 9	_	0 0	2 2	13 5	5 9	6	23 2	43 36	505 98	542 37
Rhode Island	—	0	1	_	2	—	0	0	—	_	_	0	17	_	12
Vermont [†] Mid. Atlantic	- 1	0 3	1 13	2 106	4 100	1	0 2	0 11		2 76		1 30	14 137	79 926	66 779
New Jersey	—	0	2	10	24	—	0	2	10	24	23	4	13	129	111
New York (Upstate) New York City	1	0 1	7 5	28 33	30 14	1	0 1	5 5	5 33	11 14	19	12 2	123 7	364 35	290 54
Pennsylvania	—	1	5	35	32	—	1	5	31	27	4	11	26	398	324
E.N. Central Illinois	_2	3 0	11 4	78 17	99 23	2	1 0	6 4	56 17	84 23	31	52 11	133 35	1,014 206	2,215 508
Indiana	—	0	5	15	14	—	Ō	2	6	7	19	4	75	137	174
Michigan Ohio	2	1	3 5	16 29	17 28	2	0 0	3 4	9 23	11 26	12	7 15	23 30	224 339	135 739
Wisconsin	_	0	2	1	17	—	0	2	1	17	—	7	41	108	659
W.N. Central Iowa	_	1 0	4 2	39 9	54 12	_	0	3 1	14 3	24 1	17	43 12	552 63	721 158	1,713 425
Kansas	—	0	1 2	1 10	9 9	_	0	1	1 3	9 3	6	11 0	28 485	181 112	158 492
Minnesota Missouri	_	0	2	12	18	_	0	1	3	8	1	8	42	186	259
Nebraska† North Dakota	_	0	2 1	5 1	4	_	0	1 1	3 1	3	3 7	4 0	10 26	64 11	171 77
South Dakota	—	Ő	1	1	2	_	Ő	0	_	—		Ő	7	9	131
S. Atlantic Delaware	2	3 0	14 1	122 4	149 2	2	2 0	7 1	53 4	60 2	9	22 0	92 1	552 3	870 14
District of Columbia	_	0	1	_	4	_	0	1	—	3	_	0	3	3	4
Florida Georgia	_2	1 0	6 3	48 9	57 14	_2	1 0	5 3	20 9	18 14	3	4 0	14 3	122 8	110 32
Maryland† North Carolina	_	0 0	2 11	7 22	14 22	_	0 0	1 3	2 6	1 5	_	3 0	9 21	76 109	130 64
South Carolina [†]	_	0	2	14	12	_	0	1	6	8	1	4	22	85	246
Virginia† West Virginia	_	0 0	4 2	14 4	19 5	_	0 0	3 0	6	7 2	4 1	2 0	73 9	123 23	238 32
E.S. Central	1	1	4	27	38	1	1	4	22	29	5	7	17	183	342
Alabama [†] Kentucky	_	0	1 2	4 7	4 14	_	0	1 2	4 7	3 14	3 2	1 2	4 7	45 32	49 95
Mississippi	1	0	1 2	1 15	4 16	1	0	1 2	1 10	4 8	_	1 2	4 10	22 84	41 157
Tennessee [†] W.S. Central	1	1	23	40	84	1	0	2 6	16	8 19	5	2 21	360	84 345	1,286
Arkansas	_	0	3	7	10	_	0	2	5	2	1	2	21	45	182
Louisiana Oklahoma	_	0 0	1 4	1 8	26 13	_	0 0	1 0	1	4 2	2	0 0	3 124	2 18	35
Texas [†]	1	1	16	24	35	1	0	4	10	11	2	19	215	280	1,069
Mountain Arizona	_	1 0	4 4	39 11	65 29	_	0 0	4 4	17 11	17 9	11	64 12	230 177	1,648 266	2,507 669
Colorado	_	0	2	14	14	_	0	1 2	2	3	1	22 2	40	536	803 130
Idaho† Montana	_	0 0	2 1	1 3	3	_	0 0	2	1 1	_	—	2	13 14	47 77	466
Nevada [†] New Mexico [†]	_	0	2 1	2 2	7 3	_	0	1 1	_	1 2	_	0 2	9 6	37 47	36 132
Utah	—	Ō	1	4	9	_	0	1	2	2	10	18	39	589	246
Wyoming Pacific	_	0 5	2 29	2 216	 177	_	0 5	2 25	2 186	 171	73	1 51	8 1,334	49 971	25 1,861
Alaska	_	0	1	1	1	_	0	1	1	1	_	2	15	40	23
California Hawaii	_	3 0	14 1	134 5	115 10	_	3 0	14 1	134 5	115 5	66	30 2	1,136 6	589 42	746 111
Oregon [†] Washington	—	1 0	7	51 25	32 19	_	1 0	4 11	35 11	32 18	7	3 10	16 195	77 223	535 446
American Samoa	 U	0	25 0	25		 U	0	0	U	U	, U	0	195	223 U	446 U
C.N.M.I.	Ŭ	0	0	—	_	Ŭ	0	0	U	U	Ŭ	0	0	Ŭ	U
Guam Puerto Rico	_	0 0	0 1	4	1 6	_	0 0	0 1	4	1 6	1	0 0	0 1	1	2 4
U.S. Virgin Islands	—	0	0	—	_	_	0	0	—	—	_	0	0	_	—

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(30th Week)*															
			abies, ani	mal		Roc			otted fever	r			almonello	osis	
	Current	Prev 52 w		Cum	Cum	Current	Previ 52 we		Cum	Cum	Current		vious veeks	Cum	Cum
Reporting area	week	Med	Max	2006	2005	week	Med	Max	2006	2005	week	Med	Max	2006	2005
United States	84	106	158	3,105	3,490	52	35	246	860	714	644	765	2,291	18,251	20,832
New England Connecticut	7 4	12 3	26 13	322 86	427 93	_	0 0	2 0	2	4	22	34 0	231 223	1,021 223	1,189 244
Maine [†] Massachusetts	1 2	1 4	4 17	42 148	41 231	N	0 0	0 2	N 1	N 2	4 9	2 19	7 49	52 595	106 644
New Hampshire		0	3	9	9	_	0	1	1	1	5	2	10	79	93
Rhode Island Vermont [†]	_	0 1	4 4	1 36	14 39	_	0 0	2 0	_	1	4	0 1	17 10	45 27	47 55
Mid. Atlantic	19	18	46	576	513	_	1	7	24	48	74	79	272	2,051	2,615
New Jersey New York (Upstate)	N 19	0 11	0 24	N 301	N 273	_	0 0	3 1	4 2	14 1	49	13 22	41 233	329 566	499 611
New York Čity Pennsylvania	_	0 7	3 35	2 273	17 223	_	0 1	1 5	4 14	5 28	1 24	18 28	44 61	402 754	635 870
E.N. Central	3	2	12	65	117	_	0	7	23	22	47	94	219	2,405	3,048
Illinois Indiana	1 2	0 0	4 3	16 7	24 7	_	0 0	4 2	1 5	7	22	25 12	53 67	533 361	1,099 288
Michigan	_	1	5	27	16	_	0	1	—	2		16	35	456	514
Ohio Wisconsin	N	0 0	6 0	15 N	70 N	_	0 0	7 1	16 1	11 2	25	23 15	50 44	641 414	679 468
W.N. Central Iowa	3	4 0	20 5	160 27	204	2	2 0	12 2	108 1	90 2	42	44 7	103 18	1,306 193	1,340 223
Kansas	1	1	5	44	55	_	0	1	1	4		7	17	170	194
Minnesota Missouri	1	1 1	6 6	26 28	41 40	1 1	0 1	1 12	2 92	 78	18	10 15	60 40	377 402	301 393
Nebraska† North Dakota	1	0	0 7	 14	17	_	0 0	4 1	12	2	2	4 0	12 46	101 8	119 15
South Dakota	_	0	4	21	51	_	0	1	_	4	_	2	8	55	95
S. Atlantic Delaware	45	36 0	118 0	1,186	1,314	33	17 0	94 2	519 9	355 4	227	202 2	514 9	4,727 57	5,387 57
District of Columbia Florida	_	0 0	0 99	102	201	_	0 0	1 3		1 10	113	1 96	7 230	35 2,120	25 1,988
Georgia	_	4	9	98	166	_	0	4	13	64	33	23	87	611	844
Maryland [†] North Carolina	22	8 8	14 18	207 265	207 302	2 26	1 9	6 87	25 409	42 176	14 24	12 32	32 114	311 689	418 700
South Carolina [†] Virginia [†]	6 10	4 10	11 27	91 362	128 284	5	1 2	6 10	12 38	28 27	9 32	19 20	73 66	400 458	749 527
West Virginia	7	1	13	61	26	_	0	2	1	3	2	2	19	46	79
E.S. Central Alabama [†]	4	4 1	16 7	142 47	82 46	7 2	5 1	18 8	124 35	131 33	88 63	54 15	115 41	1,272 466	1,302 322
Kentucky	4	0	5	11 4	7	—	0	1	1	1	4	8	27	204	206
Mississippi Tennessee†	_	2	2 9	80	1 28	5	0 3	3 18	1 87	5 92	21	13 14	62 41	257 345	357 417
W.S. Central Arkansas	1	14 0	34 3	467 20	580 24	10 7	1 0	161 32	41 28	41 21	28 12	80 14	922 43	1,602 409	1,993 368
Louisiana	_	0	0	_	_	_	0	1	_	5	_	6	38	50	467
Oklahoma Texas†	1	1 12	9 29	45 402	58 498	3	0 0	154 8	6 7	5 10	16	7 45	48 839	220 923	196 962
Mountain	—	4	16	84	150	—	0	6	15	21	15	44	110	1,095	1,201
Arizona Colorado	_	2 0	11 2	66	107 13	_	0 0	6 1	2 1	12 2	_	12 12	67 45	197 357	342 277
Idaho† Montana	_	0 0	12 2	7	4	_	0 0	2 2	1 2	1 1	_4	2 3	9 16	94 80	96 49
Nevada [†]	_	0	2	_	5	_	0	0	_	_	_	3	17	68	103
New Mexico† Utah	_	0 0	2 5	6 3	5 2	_	0 0	2 2	4 3	3	11	4 5	13 30	98 168	135 152
Wyoming	_	0	2	2	14	_	0	1	2	2	_	1	12	33	47
Pacific Alaska		4 0	15 4	103 13	103 1	_	0 0	1 0	4	2	101	109 1	426 7	2,772 44	2,757 30
California Hawaii	_2	3 0	15 0	87	99	_	0 0	1 0	3	_	95	86 5	292 15	2,146 121	2,076 158
Oregon [†]		0	1	3	3		0	1	1	2	_	7	25	213	225
Washington American Samoa	U U	0 0	0 0	U U	U U	N U	0 0	0 0	N U	N U	6 U	9 0	124 2	248 U	268 1
C.N.M.I.	U	0	0	Ū	U	Ū	0	0	Ū	Ū	U	0	0	Ŭ	U
Guam Puerto Rico	_	0 2	0 6	57	42	N	0 0	0 0	N	N	3	0 7	3 35	84	26 318
U.S. Virgin Islands	—	0	0	—	—	—	0	0	—	—	_	0	0	_	_

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(30th Week)*	Shia	tovin-ni	oducina	<i>E. coli</i> (S1			SH	igellosis			Streptor	h leases		nvasive, g	
	Jinge	Prev		L. COII (01	120)		Prev					Prev		1003100, 9	
Reporting area	Current week	52 w Med	eeks Max	Cum 2006	Cum 2005	Current week	52 w Med	eeks Max	Cum 2006	Cum 2005	Current week	52 w Med	eeks Max	Cum 2006	Cum 2005
United States	55	52	297	1,018	1,255	150	211	1,013	5,145	7,317	61	86	283	3,104	3,028
New England Connecticut Maine [§] Massachusetts	5 — 3	3 0 0 1	29 28 5 9	97 28 — 52	113 29 18 43	1 1	4 0 0 3	37 31 3 11	137 31 3 90	159 26 8 102	2 U 2	5 0 0 3	14 3 2 6	149 U 12 92	187 73 9 78
New Hampshire Rhode Island Vermont [§]	2	0 0 0	2 2 2	12 2 2	11 2 10		0 0 0	4 6 4	5 5 3	4 9 10		0 0 0	9 3 2	32 4 9	11 7 9
Mid. Atlantic New Jersey New York (Upstate) New York City Pennsylvania	5 	5 0 1 0 0	107 7 103 3 8	73 3 19 8 2	148 33 56 9 50	8 6 1 1	16 5 4 4 2	72 16 60 14 48	410 145 131 87 47	699 204 157 260 78	$\frac{10}{6}$	15 2 4 2 5	43 7 32 10 13	590 84 221 71 214	640 132 183 126 199
E.N. Central Illinois Indiana Michigan Ohio Wisconsin	7 7	10 1 1 3 2	38 10 6 7 14 15	207 28 27 34 69 49	243 68 29 49 49 48	4 2 2	20 7 2 3 3 3	96 26 56 10 11 10	470 136 78 94 93 69	539 153 45 147 51 143	6 - 6 -	16 4 2 3 4 1	42 10 11 11 19 4	565 111 82 151 181 40	639 212 61 158 137 71
W.N. Central lowa Kansas Minnesota Missouri Nebraska [§] North Dakota South Dakota	10 — 10 7 1 —	7 1 0 3 2 1 0 0	35 10 4 19 9 5 15 5	164 53 92 91 25 — 16	188 45 18 31 56 24 1 13	19 5 _9 _4 1	36 1 4 2 18 2 0 3	78 7 20 8 70 11 3 17	781 36 64 59 476 44 8 94	709 51 70 44 477 45 2 20	4 N 4 	5 0 1 0 1 0 0	57 0 52 5 4 5 3	231 N 43 110 45 20 7 6	192 N 33 69 51 17 6 16
S. Atlantic Delaware District of Columbia Florida Georgia Maryland [§] North Carolina South Carolina [§] Virginia [§] West Virginia	9 4 3 3 	7 0 2 1 1 1 0 0	39 1 29 6 5 11 2 8 2	176 1 53 30 23 45 4 	174 3 60 22 30 22 3 3 33 1	67 — 28 25 10 1 3	52 0 26 15 2 1 1 1	122 2 66 38 8 22 9 9	1,407 5 683 465 56 96 60 36 —	1,051 8 514 263 42 99 56 61	32 — 16 3 6 5 2 —	21 0 5 4 3 1 2 0	41 2 12 11 12 26 6 11 6	738 7 9 178 135 133 117 50 88 21	585 2 7 155 118 114 84 29 58 18
E.S. Central Alabama [§] Kentucky Mississippi Tennessee [§]	5 	2 0 1 0 1	13 4 8 2 4	76 12 23 — 25	71 17 22 4 28	17 11 6	14 3 6 1 3	35 14 23 6 11	369 117 148 36 68	827 168 174 49 436	1 N 1	3 0 0 3	11 0 5 0 9	143 N 30 113	124 N 25 — 99
W.S. Central Arkansas Louisiana Oklahoma Texas [§]	 	1 0 0 1	52 2 2 8 44	13 6 7 39	54 8 16 14 16	5 4 1	26 1 0 4 22	596 7 11 286 308	416 50 1 54 311	2,001 32 87 424 1,458	6 3 3	7 0 0 2 4	58 5 1 14 43	245 20 1 70 154	200 11 4 77 108
Mountain Arizona Colorado Idaho ^{\$} Montana Nevada ^{\$} New Mexico ^{\$} Utah Wyoming	1 3	4 0 1 0 0 0 1 0	15 4 6 7 2 3 3 7 3	80 16 33 28 — 8 4 36 6	135 15 30 21 8 13 15 30 3	3 - - - - 3 -	17 8 3 0 1 2 1 0	47 29 18 4 1 8 9 4 1	315 131 67 9 4 28 39 36 1	357 187 52 6 5 32 50 23 23 2		10 3 0 0 1 1 0	78 57 8 2 0 6 7 6 1	385 180 92 7 — 51 52 3	398 170 130 2 — 1 55 38 2
Pacific Alaska California Hawaii Oregon [§] Washington	14 	7 0 4 0 2 2	55 1 18 4 47 32	132 — 89 6 32 37	129 8 55 4 40 22	26 	41 0 32 1 2 2	148 2 104 4 31 43	840 7 664 22 76 71	975 10 826 16 68 55	 N	2 0 2 0 0	9 0 9 0 0	58 — 58 N N	63 — 63 N N
American Samoa C.N.M.I. Guam Puerto Rico U.S. Virgin Islands	U U —	0 0 0 0	0 0 1 0	U U —	U U 1	U U 1	0 0 0 0	2 0 3 2 0	U U 5	3 U 10 3 —	U U N	0 0 0 0	0 0 0 0	U U N	U U N

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 ¹ Incidence *E. coli* O157:H7; Shiga toxin positive, serogroup non-0157; and Shiga toxin positive, not serogrouped.
 ⁹ Contains data reported through the National Electronic Disease Surveillance System (NEDSS).

(30th Week)*	Strepto		neumonia esistant,	<i>e</i> , invasive all ages	e disease	Sypt	nilis, prim	nary and	seconda	ry		Varice	ella (chic	kenpox)	
		Prev					Previ						/ious		
Reporting area	Current week	52 w Med	eeks Max	Cum 2006	Cum 2005	Current week	52 we Med	eks Max	Cum 2006	Cum 2005	Current week	Med	veeks Max	Cum 2006	Cum 2005
United States	30	51	334	1,633	1,755	114	165	334	4,671	4,789	115	800	3,204	27,395	17,353
New England		1	24	16	159	9	4	17	121	116	5	43	144	1,000	3,551
Connecticut Maine [†]	U N	0	7 0	U N	67 N	3	0 0	11 2	25 8	24 1	U	0 5	58 20	U 151	1,002 210
Massachusetts	_	0	6	_	70	5	2	5	76	78	_	9	54	92	1,601
New Hampshire Rhode Island	_	0	0 11	6	14	1	0 0	2 6	7 3	8 5	4	5 0	43 0	265	201
Vermont [†]	_	Ő	2	10	8	_	Ő	1	2	_	1	12	50	492	537
Mid. Atlantic	2	3 0	15	107	153	9	21	35 7	627	597 83	14	104	183	3,147	3,114
New Jersey New York (Upstate)	N 1	1	0 10	N 40	N 62	_	2 2	14	86 86	40	_	0 0	0 0	_	_
New York City Pennsylvania	U 1	0 2	0 9	U 67	U 91	8 1	10 5	23 9	313 142	374 100	 14	0 104	0 183	 3,147	 3,114
E.N. Central	7	11	41	394	432	17	18	38	484	511	30	213	585	9,950	3,762
Illinois	_	1	3	13	17	8	9	23	234	275	_	1	5	13	60
Indiana Michigan	3	2 0	21 4	106 15	139 28	1	1 2	4 19	33 64	40 49	N	0 102	347 174	N 2,990	70 2,382
Ohio	4	6	32	260	248	7	4	8	122	126	30	82	420	6,376	949
Wisconsin	N	0	0	N	N	1	1	4	31	21	_	12	52	571	301
W.N. Central Iowa	1 N	1 0	191 0	33 N	28 N	5	4 0	9 3	138 9	159 5	6 N	22 0	84 0	1,001 N	248 N
Kansas Minnesota	N	0	0 191	N	N	_	0 1	2 3	12 16	13 50	_	0 0	0 0	_	_
Missouri	1	1	3	33	22	3	3	8	98	88	6	17	82	940	159
Nebraska [†] North Dakota	_	0	0	_	2 1	_	0 0	1 1	1	3	_	0 0	0 25	27	12
South Dakota	_	Ő	Ó	_	3	2	0 0	1	2	_	_	1	12	34	77
S. Atlantic	16	24	53	873	722	35	42	186	1,090	1,117	21	90	860	2,924	1,344
Delaware District of Columbia	_	0 0	2 3	20	1 12	6	0 1	2 9	14 63	8 64	_	1 0	5 5	44 21	22 22
Florida	7 9	13 7	36 29	475 292	389 235	12	14 8	29 147	414 144	401 204	_	0 0	0 0	_	_
Georgia Maryland†	9	0	29 0	292	235	2	8 5	147	171	204 180	_	0	0	_	_
North Carolina South Carolina [†]	N	0	0	N	N	8	5 1	17 7	163 38	143 33	- 1	0 16	0 53	741	352
Virginia [†]	N	0	0	Ν	Ν	7	2	12	82	82	12	28	812	1,105	271
West Virginia	_	1	14	86	85	_	0	1	1	2	8	26	70	1,013	677
E.S. Central Alabama [†]	4 N	3 0	13 0	131 N	123 N	12 11	11 3	21 12	362 147	270 93	_	0 0	70 70	69 69	7 7
Kentucky	—	0	5	23	22	_	1	8	36	23	Ν	0	0	Ν	Ν
Mississippi Tennessee†	4	0 3	0 13	108	1 100	1	0 5	6 13	31 148	31 123	N	0 0	0 0	N	N
W.S. Central	_	0	4	13	98	24	25	41	812	726	35	206	1,757	7,514	3,571
Arkansas Louisiana	_	0	3 4	11 2	12 86	2 10	0 4	6 17	40 123	31 157	9	6 0	110 8	562 33	108
Oklahoma	Ν	0	0	N	N	_	1	6	40	25	_	0	0	_	_
Texas [†]	N	0	0	N	N	12	19	29	609	513	26	189	1,647	6,919	3,463
Mountain Arizona	N	1 0	27 0	66 N	40 N	_	7 4	17 13	210 101	248 83	4	52 0	138 0	1,790	1,756
Colorado	N	0	0	N	N	_	1	3	23	27	_	33	76	946	1,195
Idaho† Montana	N	0 0	0 1	N	N	_	0 0	1 1	2 1	19 5	_	0 0	0 0	_	_
Nevada [†] New Mexico [†]	_	0 0	27 1	4 1	2	_	1 1	12 5	44 34	74 33	_	0 3	2 34	4 280	153
Utah	_	0	8	28	17	_	0	1	5	33 7	4	10	55	280 530	363
Wyoming	_	1	3	33	21	—	0	0	_	_	_	0	8	30	45
Pacific Alaska	_	0	0	_	_	3	32 0	49 4	827 5	1,045 5	_	0 0	0 0	_	_
California	Ν	0	0	Ν	Ν	3	27	42	691	934		0	0		_
Hawaii Oregon†	N	0	0	N	N	_	0 0	2 6	12 10	6 17	N N	0 0	0 0	N N	N N
Washington	N	ŏ	Ő	N	N	—	2	11	109	83	N	0	Ő	N	N
American Samoa C.N.M.I.	—	0 0	0 0	—	—	U U	0 0	0 0	U U	U U	U U	0 0	0 0	U U	U U
Guam	_	0	0	_	_		0	0	_	3		2	12	_	375
Puerto Rico U.S. Virgin Islands	N	0	0 0	N	N	_	3 0	10 0	54	137	4	7 0	47 0	182	462
0.0. Virgin Islanus		0	0				U	0				U	0		

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Max: Maximum.

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(30th Week)*													
					West Nile vir	us disease [†]							
			Neuroinvas	live									
	Previous Current 52 weeks			Cum	Cum	Current	Previous Current 52 weeks			Cum			
Reporting area	week	Med	Max	2006	2005	week	Med	Max	Cum 2006	2005			
United States	_	0	155	9	197	_	0	203	6	333			
New England	_	0	3	_	_	_	0	2	_	_			
Connecticut Maine [§]	_	0 0	2 0	_	_	_	0 0	1 0	_	_			
Massachusetts	_	0	3	_	_	_	Ő	1	_	_			
New Hampshire	_	0	0	_	_	_	0	0	_	—			
Rhode Island Vermont [§]	_	0 0	1 0	_	_	_	0 0	0 0	_	_			
Mid. Atlantic	_	0	10	_	2	_	0	4	_	4			
New Jersey	—	0	1	—	_	_	0	2	—	—			
New York (Upstate) New York City	_	0 0	7 2	_	_	_	0 0	2 2	_	_			
Pennsylvania	—	Õ	3	—	2	—	Õ	2	—	4			
E.N. Central	_	0	39	_	17	_	0	18	_	9			
Illinois Indiana	_	0	25 2	_	9 1	_	0 0	16 1	_	8			
Michigan	_	0	14	_	_	_	0	3	_	_			
Ohio	—	0	9	—	5	—	0	4	—	_			
Wisconsin	_	0	3	_	2	—	0	2	_	1			
W.N. Central Iowa	_	0 0	26 3	3	23	_	0 0	80 5	5 1	78 2			
Kansas	—	0	3	—	1	_	0	1	1	N			
Minnesota Missouri	_	0 0	5 4	1	3 2	_	0 0	5 3	_	5 1			
Nebraska§	_	ŏ	9	1	6	_	Ő	24	1	12			
North Dakota South Dakota	_	0 0	4 7	1	3 8	_	0 0	15 33	2	15 43			
S. Atlantic		0	6	_	5	_	0	4		8			
Delaware	_	Ő	1	_	_	_	0	0	_	_			
District of Columbia Florida	_	0 0	1 2	_	4	—	0 0	1 4	_	7			
Georgia	_	0	3	_	4	_	0	3	_	1			
Maryland [§]	—	0	2	—	_	_	0	1	—	_			
North Carolina South Carolina [§]	_	0 0	1	_	1	_	0 0	1 0	_	_			
Virginia§	—	0	0	—	—		0	1					
West Virginia	—	0	0	_	_	N	0	0	Ν	N			
E.S. Central Alabama [§]	_	0 0	10 1	2	6 1	_	0 0	5 2	_	4			
Kentucky	_	Ö	1	_	_	_	0	0	_	_			
Mississippi	—	0	9 3	2	5	—	0 0	5	_	4			
Tennessee [§] W.S. Central	—			_		—		1	_				
Arkansas	_	0 0	32 3	2	54	_	0 0	22 2	_	32 4			
Louisiana	—	0	20	—	26	_	0	9	—	15			
Oklahoma Texas [§]	_	0	6 16	2	1 27	_	0 0	3 13	_	13			
Mountain	_	0	16	1	12	_	0	39	1	36			
Arizona	—	0	8 5	_	6	_	0	8	_	11			
Colorado Idaho§	_	0 0	5 2	1	2	_	0 0	13 3	1	19 1			
Montana	_	0	3	_	_	_	0	9	_	_			
Nevada [§] New Mexico [§]	_	0 0	3 3	_	2 2	_	0 0	8 4	_	2 2			
Utah	_	Ö	6	_		_	0	8	_	1			
Wyoming	_	0	2	—	—	_	0	1	—	—			
Pacific Alaska	—	0 0	50 0	1	78	—	0	90 0	_	162			
Alaska California	_	0	0 50	1	78	_	0	0 89	_	159			
Hawaii	—	0	0	—	_	—	0	0	_	_			
Oregon [§] Washington	_	0 0	1 0	_	_	_	0 0	2 0	_	3			
American Samoa	U	0	0	U	U	U	0	0	U	U			
C.N.M.I.	U	0	0	U	U	Ŭ	0	0	U	U			
Guam Puerto Rico	_	0 0	0 0	_	_	_	0 0	0 0	_	_			
U.S. Virgin Islands	—	Õ	Ő	—	—	—	Ő	Ő	—	—			

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TABLE III. Deaths in 122 U.S. cities.* week ending July 29, 2006 (30th Week)

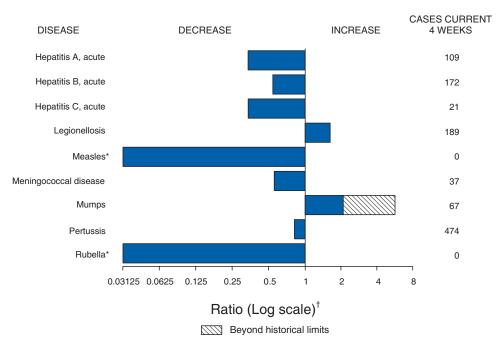
	in 122 U.S. cities,* week ending July 29, 2006 All causes, by age (years)								All causes, by age (years)						
Reporting Area	All Ages	<u>≥</u> 65	45-64	25-44	1-24	<1	P&l⁺ Total	Reporting Area	All Ages	<u>≥</u> 65	45-64	25-44	1-24	<1	P&l⁺ Total
New England	525	349	. 116	31	18	11	43	S. Atlantic	1,371	841	321	130	54	24	53
Boston, MA	155	78	52	16	7	2	9	Atlanta, GA	238	144	53	28	12	1	7
Bridgeport, CT	25	17	5	_	2	1	2	Baltimore, MD	178	92	44	25	12	5	14
Cambridge, MA	18	13	4	1	_	_	1	Charlotte, NC	117	70	28	13	6	_	8
Fall River, MA	24	19	4	1	_	_	4	Jacksonville, FL	155	93	41	15	3	3	1
Hartford, CT	63	41	17	2	2	1	13	Miami, FL	100	58	21	16	3	2	3
Lowell, MA	22	18	3	_	1	_	1	Norfolk, VA	55	33	16	1	_	5	1
Lynn, MA	14	14	_	_		_	1	Richmond, VA	60	35	18	2	4	1	2
New Bedford, MA	25	20	2	3	_	_	3	Savannah, GA	70	45	22	2	1	_	4
New Haven, CT	Ŭ	U	U	Ŭ	U	U	Ű	St. Petersburg, FL	54	36	8	6	2	2	4
Providence, RI	56	39	9	4	3	1	1	Tampa, FL	187	132	38	8	5	3	8
Somerville, MA	6	4	2	_	_	_	_	Washington, D.C.	141	93	27	13	6	2	1
Springfield, MA	45	34	4	2		5	1	Wilmington, DE	16	10	5	1	_	_	_
Waterbury, CT	24	20	3	_	1	_	2								
Worcester, MA	48	32	11	2	2	1	5	E.S. Central	846	533	203	53	30	27	44
								Birmingham, AL	148	89	32	11	5	11	11
Mid. Atlantic	1,909	1,275	429	132	32	40	83	Chattanooga, TN	86	51	28	3	1	3	5
Albany, NY	33	29	2		1	1	1	Knoxville, TN	121	82	28	6	2	3	4
Allentown, PA	24	17	4	1	2		_	Lexington, KY	54	36	14	2	1	1	2
Buffalo, NY	70	49	13	5	2	1	2	Memphis, TN	126	75	32	9	7	3	3
Camden, NJ	27	15	6	1	2	3	_	Mobile, AL	115	74	27	6	5	3	5
Elizabeth, NJ	16	12	4		_		1	Montgomery, AL	57	42	11	1	2	1	5
Erie, PA	37	31	4	1	_	1	2	Nashville, TN	139	84	31	15	7	2	9
Jersey City, NJ	35	21	13			1		W.S. Central	1,453	917	368	97	42	29	58
New York City, NY	1,017	691	226	66	16	17	41	Austin, TX	92	65	15	7	4	1	4
Newark, NJ	47	20	18	8	1		1	Baton Rouge, LA	27	14	9	3	1	_	1
Paterson, NJ	18	5	6	2	2	3	_	Corpus Christi, TX	48	32	15	_		1	3
Philadelphia, PA	213	114	63	25	5	6	10	Dallas, TX	203	123	57	13	7	3	7
Pittsburgh, PA§	35	25	7	3		_		El Paso, TX	99	68	21	6	2	2	4
Reading, PA	28	21	4	3		_	1	Fort Worth, TX	116	83	27	2	2	2	4
Rochester, NY	125	94	21	5	1	4	9	Houston, TX	352	207	91	35	12	7	14
Schenectady, NY	14	11	2	1	_	_	1	Little Rock, AR	71	44	15	3	5	4	_
Scranton, PA	40	30	9	1		_	3	New Orleans, LA ¹	Ű	Ŭ	Ŭ	Ŭ	Ŭ	Ů	U
Syracuse, NY	67	44	14	6	_	3	8	San Antonio, TX	235	144	64	17	5	5	8
Trenton, NJ	31	19	10	2	_	_	1	Shreveport, LA	86	51	25	7	1	2	10
Utica, NY	16	15	1	_	_	_	1	Tulsa, OK	124	86	29	4	3	2	3
Yonkers, NY	16	12	2	2	_	_	1								
E.N. Central	2,007	1,242	488	168	55	52	117	Mountain	985	616	232	63	40	33	57
Akron, OH	55	[′] 38	12	3	1	1	3	Albuquerque, NM	112	64	30	10	6	2	5
Canton, OH	34	28	3	_	1	2	1	Boise, ID	54	37	7	3	3	4	3
Chicago, IL	376	198	97	52	15	12	22	Colorado Springs, CO		46	16	1	3	2	2
Cincinnati, OH	91	60	16	10	3	2	11	Denver, CO	98	50	34	.4	5	5	2
Cleveland, OH	220	148	54	11	4	3	10	Las Vegas, NV	244	155	59	17	8	5	14
Columbus, OH	211	126	64	13	2	6	18	Ogden, UT	27	17	4	3	2	1	1
Dayton, OH	127	88	33	4	2	_	2	Phoenix, AZ	169	96	49	11	8	4	9
Detroit, MI	168	83	55	24	2	4	7	Pueblo, CO	31	26	3	2	_	_	5
Evansville, IN	38	29	6	2	_	1	1	Salt Like City, UT	92	66	10	6	2	8	6
Fort Wayne, IN	39	30	7	2		_	1	Tucson, AZ	90	59	20	6	3	2	10
Gary, IN	13	6	1	3	1	2	_	Pacific	1,585	1,078	340	112	35	18	100
Grand Rapids, MI	46	28	13	2	3	_	5	Berkeley, CA	11	7	2	2	_	_	1
Indianapolis, IN	199	113	49	23	8	6	13	Fresno, CA	83	49	22	8	3	1	5
Lansing, MI	35	28	6	1	_	_	4	Glendale, CA	13	11	2	_	_	_	_
Milwaukee, WI	120	71	31	7	8	3	10	Honolulu, HI	98	71	15	9	1	2	_
Peoria. IL	54	41	6	5	1	1	1	Long Beach, CA	59	40	13	5	1	_	2
Rockford, IL	40	28	7	1	1	3	_	Los Angeles, CA	228	164	44	15	3	2	20
South Bend, IN	39	25	7	2	3	2	_	Pasadena, CA	41	31	7	1	2	_	7
Toledo, OH	80	54	20	2	_	4	8	Portland, OR	104	71	19	10	3	1	2
Youngstown, OH	22	20	1	1	_	_	_	Sacramento, CA	182	117	42	13	7	1	16
	400	070	110	0.4	05	4.4	00	San Diego, CA	150	95	41	6	4	4	11
W.N. Central	469	276	119	34	25	14	20	San Francisco, CA	98	58	28	11	_	1	8
Des Moines, IA		_	_	_	—	—	_	San Jose, CA	243	177	46	14	4	2	17
Duluth, MN	15	9	4	2	—	_	1	Santa Cruz, CA	25	16	8	1		_	1
Kansas City, KS	29	14	13	2	_		2	Seattle, WA	97	62	17	12	3	3	5
Kansas City, MO	74	41	17	6	6	4	5	Spokane, WA	52	41	7	2	1	1	1
Lincoln, NE	29	15	10	2	2		1	Tacoma, WA	101	68	27	3	3		4
Minneapolis, MN	53	28	14	3	4	4	1	,						<i></i>	
()moho NE	53	40	9		2	2	1	Total	11,150**	7,127	2,616	820	331	248	575
Omaha, NE															
St. Louis, MO	93	52	24	8	6	2	3								
	93 51 72	52 35 42	24 7 21	8 6 5	6 2 3	2 1 1	3 3 3								

U: Unavailable.

J: 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. [†] Pneumonia and influenza.

¹Because 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.

FIGURE I. Selected notifiable disease reports, United States, comparison of provisional 4-week totals July 29, 2006, with historical data



* No measles or rubella cases were reported for the current 4-week period yielding a ratio for week 30 of zero (0). † 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.

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