

Epidemiology alert

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Relevant for travel advice / General

ECDC weekly communicable disease threats report: [report week 37, 6-12 September 2025](#)

Ebola virus, D.R. Congo (Kasai Province), CDC travel health notice: [Level 1 - Practice Usual Precautions - Travel Health Notices | CDC](#)

Chikungunya, local transmission, Europe, ECDC-update: [Seasonal surveillance for chikungunya](#)

Dengue, local transmission, Europe, ECDC-update: [Seasonal surveillance of dengue](#)

West Nile virus, Europe and USA

- Europe: ECDC monthly epidemiological update: [Seasonal surveillance in humans and animals in 2025](#)
- USA (national), CDC-update: [Current Year Data \(2025\) | CDC](#)

Classical vaccine preventable diseases

- **Measles**
 - USA (California), fatal case: [A school-aged child died from subacute sclerosing panencephalitis, a rare and almost always fatal complication of measles - BEACON](#)
 - Australia (Queensland): [Local transmission confirmed, amid increase in imported cases - BEACON](#)
 - France: [828 cases and two deaths in 2025 - BEACON](#)
- **Pertussis**
 - Japan: [More than 72,000 pertussis cases in 2025 - Outbreaknewstoday](#)
 - Vanuatu: [136 cases and 3 infant deaths - BEACON](#)
- **Poliomyelitis**, wild poliovirus type 1, Pakistan: [Two new cases, both in Khyber Pakhtunkhwa, increasing the 2025 total to 26 cases - BEACON](#)
- **Rabies**, Thailand (including Bangkok): [Outbreak in Bangkok and Samut Prakan - BEACON](#)

Europe

- **Candidozyma (*Candida*) auris**, Europe, hospital spread, ECDC-report: [Drug-resistant fungus confirmed to spread rapidly in European hospitals](#)
- **Salmonellosis**, Austria: [49 cases of rare Salmonella serotype Kenya infection reported in Austria; ongoing multi-country investigation - BEACON](#)
- **Lyme disease**, Germany (Bavaria), increased incidence: [4156 cases reported in 2025 so far, compared to 3126 cases in the same period of 2024 - BEACON](#)
- **Anthrax**, Romania, human case: [BEACON](#)

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North America

- **Hantavirus**, USA (Maine): [Second human case of hantavirus pulmonary syndrome in Maine since 1993 - BEACON](#)
- **Eastern equine encephalitis**, USA (Maine): [First confirmed case of EEE for 2025 - BEACON](#)
- **Jamestown canyon virus**, USA (Vermont): [First human case amid expanded mosquito surveillance - BEACON](#)

Latin America

- **Oropouche virus**, Americas, CDC Travel health notice: [Level 1 - Practice Usual Precautions - Travel Health Notices | CDC](#)

Asia

- **Dengue and chikungunya**, Bangladesh, dual outbreaks: [Dengue death toll climbs as chikungunya cases increase further - BEACON](#)
- **Anthrax**, Bangladesh (Rangpur): [Between 50 and 200 suspected human cases and two deaths, amid a confirmed outbreak in livestock - BEACON](#)
- **Plague**, Mongolia, update: [Khövsgöl Province, three confirmed cases, including one death - BEACON](#)
- **Primary amoebic meningoencephalitis** (Brain-eating amoeba), India (Kerala): [Sixth death; 18 confirmed and 34 suspected cases - BEACON](#)

Africa

- **Crimean-Congo hemorrhagic fever**, Uganda: [One confirmed and three suspected in Nakasongola District, central Uganda - BEACON](#)
- **Buruli ulcer (*Mycobacterium ulcerans*)**, Nigeria (Adamawa State): [Cluster of cases with 67 affected and six deaths - BEACON](#)

Oceania

- **Dengue**, Polynesia
 - Samoa: [Dengue cases surpass 12 000 with six deaths - BEACON](#)
 - Cook Islands: [137 cases reported since February 2025 - BEACON](#)
 - Tuvalu: [Expanding geographic spread with 152 confirmed cases - BEACON](#)
 - Nauru: [Updated case numbers - BEACON](#)

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