

Epidemiology Alert

27 January 2026

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ECDC communicable disease threats report: [17-23 January 2026, week 4](#)

Marburg virus, Ethiopia: end of outbreak: [WHO | Regional Office for Africa](#)

Chikungunya

- USA (Florida): [1st local case in 2025, Miami-Dade County - Outbreaknewstoday](#)
- Suriname: [Local increase, with eight confirmed infections - BEACON](#)
- Costa Rica: [First chikungunya case since 2017 - Outbreaknewstoday](#)
- India (Tamil Nadu): [Increase in cases prompts statewide alert](#)

Dengue

- **Global update:** [CDC issues level 1 travel health notice \(practice usual precautions\)](#)
- **Regional updates**
 - Panama: [Panama records 100 dengue cases in first week of 2026](#)
 - Vietnam: [Vietnam: Dengue fever rise in Ho Chi Minh City](#)

Mpox

- **Global update:** [Multi-country outbreak-external situation report_62](#)
- **Regional updates**
 - Thailand: [Intensified surveillance as cumulative cases near 1000 - BEACON](#)
 - Liberia: [Level 2 - Practice Enhanced Precautions - Travel Health Notices CDC](#)
 - Comoros: [First cases of Mpox isolated, Comoros - BEACON](#)
 - Réunion: [First case of Mpox confirmed in Réunion - BEACON](#)

Classical vaccine preventable diseases

- Measles, USA (national), update: [Measles Cases and Outbreaks | Measles | CDC](#)
- Poliomyelitis
 - Pakistan: [WPV1 case this week, 31 in 2025 - PolioGlobalEradicationInitiative](#)
 - Nigeria: [5 cVDPV3 cases this week, the first in the country - PolioGlobalEradicationInitiative](#)
- Hepatitis A, Australia: [Cluster identified, prior to music festival - BEACON](#)
- Rabies, France (ex-Morocco): [Fatal human case imported into Avignon, 2025 - BEACON](#)
- Typhoid fever, (Oceania) Tonga: [Domestic cluster of two cases in Tonga - BEACON](#)
- Yellow fever, Colombia (Tolima), update: [Transmission in humans and non-human primates in Chaparral - BEACON](#)

Europe

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North America

- **Cryptosporidiosis**, Canada (Ontario): [outbreak linked to water treatment plant failure in Kashechewan First Nation, with at least 44 cases - BEACON](#)

Latin America & Caribbean

- **New world screw worm**, Mexico, Central America, update: [ongoing human transmission with spread to new regions - BEACON](#)
- **Acute diarrheal illness**, Brazil: [Cases in Santa Catarina, linked to coastal water contamination exceeded 10 000 in January 2026 - BEACON](#)
- **Trypanosoma cruzi** (Chagas disease), Brazil (Pará), update: [2026: 37 cases and three deaths - BEACON](#)

Asia

- **Leprosy**, Sri Lanka: [1282 leprosy cases in 2025, 10% in children under 15 - BEACON](#)
- **Norovirus**, South Korea: [Case increase, highest level in the past five years](#)

Africa

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Oceania

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