

Epidemiology alert

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Relevant for travel advice / General

ECDC weekly communicable disease threats report:

<https://www.ecdc.europa.eu/sites/default/files/documents/communicable-disease-threats-report-week-16-2025.pdf>

Vaccine preventable diseases

- Hepatitis A, Hungary: <https://outbreaknewstoday.substack.com/p/hepatitis-a-epidemic-in-hungary>
- Measles
 - USA (multi-state), update: <https://www.cdc.gov/measles/data-research/>
 - UK (England): <https://outbreaknewstoday.substack.com/p/england-measles-cases-top-200-in>
 - Mexico, adult fatality: <https://promedmail.org/promed-post/?id=8723597>
 - Argentina (Buenos Aires): <https://outbreaknewstoday.substack.com/p/measles-in-argentinaand-other-events>
 - Vietnam, update, fatalities: <https://promedmail.org/promed-post/?id=8723656>
 - Yemen: <https://promedmail.org/promed-post/?id=8723514>
- Pertussis, Mexico, update: <https://promedmail.org/promed-post/?id=8723608>
- Poliomyelitis (WPV1), Pakistan, Afghanistan: <https://promedmail.org/promed-post/?id=8723653>
- Meningococcal disease
 - Saudi Arabia (ex-Umrah), WHO-alert: <https://www.who.int/emergencies/disease-outbreaknews/item/2025-DON563>
 - Nigeria, update: <https://promedmail.org/promed-post/?id=8723660>
 - Yellow fever, Colombia (Tolima): <https://outbreaknewstoday.substack.com/p/yellow-fever-situationin-colombia>
 - Rabies, Vietnam, cat bite: <https://promedmail.org/promed-post/?id=8723621>

Oropouche virus

- CDC travel notice: <https://outbreaknewstoday.substack.com/p/cdc-updates-oropouche-traveladvisory>
- Colombia (Huila), Brazil (Rio de Janeiro): <https://promedmail.org/promed-post/?id=8723564>

Dengue, global updates

- Brazil: <https://outbreaknewstoday.substack.com/p/brazil-dengue-cases-near-1-million>
- India (Kerala): <https://promedmail.org/promed-post/?id=8723618>
- Bangladesh: <https://promedmail.org/promed-post/?id=8723620>

Region-specific

Europe

- Tick-borne encephalitis, Europe, new ECDC maps: <https://www.ecdc.europa.eu/en/news-events/tick-borne-encephalitis-tbe-europe-new-maps-published>
- Mpox, clade Ib (ex-Africa), Switzerland: <https://outbreaknewstoday.substack.com/p/switzerland-reports-first-case-of>
- *E.coli* (EHEC), Latvia, more cases, possible dairy link: <https://promedmail.org/promed-post/?id=8723646>

North America

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Latin America

- Mayaro virus, Bolivia (La Paz): <https://promedmail.org/promed-post/?id=8723500>
- Rocky Mountain spotted fever, Mexico, 2025: <https://outbreaknewstoday.substack.com/p/mexico-seven-states-reporting-spotted>

Asia

- Chikungunya, Indonesia (West Java): <https://promedmail.org/promed-post/?id=8723665>
- Tuberculosis, paediatric cases, India: <https://promedmail.org/promed-post/?id=8723654>
- Kyasanur forest disease, India (Karnataka), update: <https://promedmail.org/promed-post/?id=8723619>
- Crimean-Congo haemorrhagic fever, Pakistan (Balochistan): <https://promedmail.org/promed-post/?id=8723543>

Africa

- Cholera, South Sudan, update: <https://promedmail.org/promed-post/?id=8723693>
- Rift valley fever, Senegal: <https://outbreaknewstoday.substack.com/p/senegal-reportshuman-rift-valley>
- Lassa fever, Nigeria, update: <https://promedmail.org/promed-post/?id=8723523>

Oceania

- Melioidosis, Australia (Queensland): <https://outbreaknewstoday.substack.com/p/australia-melioidosiscases-up-big>