

DEPARTMENT OF EPIDEMIOLOGICAL SURVEILLANCE & INTERVENTION

SURVEILLANCE DATA, MAY 2013, GREECE

Table 1. Number of notified cases in May 2013, median number of notified cases in May for the years 2004–2012 and range, Mandatory Notification System, Greece.

Disease	Number of notified cases			
	May 2013	Median number May 2004–2012	Min number May 2004–2012	Max number May 2004–2012
Botulism	0	0	0	0
Chickenpox with complications	0	1	0	6
Anthrax	0	0	0	0
Brucellosis	19	19	13	75
Diphtheria	0	0	0	0
Arbo-viral infections	0	0	0	0
Malaria	0	3	0	5
Rubella	0	0	0	0
Smallpox	0	0	0	0
Echinococcosis	0	1	0	5
Hepatitis A	6	4	3	11
Hepatitis B, acute & HBsAg(+) in infants < 12 months	1	5	2	21
Hepatitis C, acute & confirmed anti-HCV positive (1 st diagnosis)	0	3	0	10
Measles	0	1	0	121
Haemorrhagic fever	0	0	0	1
Pertussis	3	1	0	3
Legionellosis	2	2	0	3
Leishmaniasis	4	4	3	8
Leptospirosis	6	1	0	3
Listeriosis	0	1	0	2

EHEC infection	0	0	0	0
Rabies	0	0	0	0
Melioidosis/Glanders	0	0	0	0
Meningitis				
aseptic	20	19	8	31
bacterial (except meningococcal disease)	13	16	13	24
unknown aetiology	0	1	0	11
Meningococcal disease	5	5	2	16
Plague	0	0	0	0
Mumps	0	0	0	8
Poliomyelitis	0	0	0	0
Q Fever	1	0	0	2
Salmonellosis (non typhoid/paratyphoid)	22	44	15	114
Shigellosis	0	2	1	4
Severe Acute Respiratory Syndrome	0	0	0	0
Congenital rubella	0	0	0	0
Congenital syphilis	0	0	0	1
Congenital Toxoplasmosis	0	0	0	0
Cluster of foodborne / waterborne disease cases	2	6	1	9
Tetanus / Neonatal tetanus	0	0	0	1
Tularaemia	0	0	0	0
Trichinosis	0	0	0	0
Typhoid fever/Paratyphoid	0	1	0	2
Tuberculosis	48	55	47	78
Cholera	0	0	0	0

Table 2. Number of notified cases by place of residence (region), Mandatory Notification System, May 2013 (place of residence is defined according to home address of cases).

Disease	Number of notified cases													
	Region	Eastern Macedonia and Thrace	Central Macedonia	Western Macedonia	Epirus	Thessalia	Ionian islands	Western Greece	Sterea Greece	Attica	Peloponnese	Northern Aegean	Southern Aegean	Crete
Brucellosis	2	0	0	0	6	0	1	3	4	1	0	1	0	1
Hepatitis A	1	1	0	0	0	0	1	1	2	0	0	0	0	0
Hepatitis B, acute & HBsAg(+) in infants < 12 months	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0
Pertussis	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	0	0	0
Legionellosis	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
Leishmaniasis	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	1	0
Leptospirosis	0	2	0	0	1	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Meningitis														
aseptic	2	6	2	0	3	0	1	0	5	0	0	0	1	0
bacterial (except meningococcal disease)	2	3	0	0	1	0	2	1	3	0	0	0	0	1
Meningococcal disease	1	1	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	1	0
Q Fever	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0
Salmonellosis (non typhoid/paratyphoid)	2	0	0	1	1	1	2	4	7	1	1	2	0	0
Cluster of foodborne / waterborne disease case	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Tuberculosis	2	5	0	2	6	0	4	0	19	3	0	1	0	6

Table 3. Number of notified cases by age group and gender, Mandatory Notification System, Greece, May 2013
(M: male, F: female)

Disease	Number of notified cases by age group (years) and gender																			
	<1		1-4		5-14		15-24		25-34		35-44		45-54		55-64		65+		Unkn.	
	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F
Brucellosis	0	0	0	0	2	1	1	1	0	0	1	0	2	1	2	1	7	0	0	0
Hepatitis A	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	2	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Hepatitis B, acute & HBsAg(+) in infants < 12 months	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Pertussis	1	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Legionellosis	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0
Leishmaniasis	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	1	0	0
Leptospirosis	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	1	0	1	0	1	1	0	0
Meningitis																				
aseptic	2	0	1	0	5	1	3	1	2	0	2	2	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0
bacterial (except meningococcal disease)	1	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	2	0	0	1	1	3	1	1	0
Meningococcal disease	0	0	0	0	1	3	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Q Fever	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Salmonellosis (non typhoid/paratyphoid)	2	1	2	4	0	4	0	0	1	1	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
Tuberculosis	0	0	1	0	0	0	3	1	8	5	4	1	6	0	4	0	11	4	0	0

The presented data derive from the Mandatory Notification System (MNS) of the Hellenic Centre for Diseases Control and Prevention (HCDCP). Forty five (45) infectious diseases are included in the list of the mandatory notified diseases in Greece. Notification forms and case definitions can be found at the website of HCDCP (www.keelpno.gr).

It should be noted that data for May 2013 are provisional, and can be slightly modified/corrected in the future and also that data interpretation should be made with caution, as there are indications of underreporting to the system.

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