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SURVEILLANCE DATA, APRIL 2019, GREECE

Table 1. Number of notified cases in April 2019, median number of notified cases in April for the years 2004–2018 and range, Mandatory Notification System, Greece.

<i>Disease</i>	<i>Number of notified cases</i>			
	April 2019	Median number April 2004–2018	Min number April 2004-2018	Max number April 2004-2018
Anthrax	0	0	0	0
Arbo-viral infections	0	0	0	0
Botulism	0	0	0	1
Brucellosis	5	13	6	46
Chickenpox with complications	3	1	0	5
Chikungunya virus infection	0	0	0	0
Cholera	0	0	0	0
Cluster of foodborne/waterborne disease cases	1	1	0	5
Congenital rubella	0	0	0	0
Congenital syphilis	0	0	0	0
Congenital Toxoplasmosis	0	0	0	0
Dengue fever	0	0	0	0
Diphtheria	0	0	0	0
Echinococcosis	1	1	0	4
EHEC infection	1	0	0	1
Haemorrhagic fever	0	0	0	1
Hepatitis A	2	6	3	24
Hepatitis B, acute & HBsAg(+) in infants <12 months	2	4	0	13
Hepatitis C, acute & confirmed anti-HCV positive (1st diagnosis)	13	2	0	18
Legionellosis	1	1	0	6
Leishmaniasis	1	4	1	8
Leptospirosis	0	1	0	5
Listeriosis	1	1	0	5
Malaria	2	2	0	5
Measles*	11	0	0	370

Melioidosis/Glanders	0	0	0	0
Meningitis				
aseptic	9	9	3	44
bacterial (except meningococcal disease)	10	12	4	26
unknown aetiology	0	0	0	6
Meningococcal disease	3	7	2	14
Mumps	0	0	0	3
Pertussis	2	2	0	7
Plague	0	0	0	0
Poliomyelitis	0	0	0	0
Q Fever	0	1	0	4
Rabies	0	0	0	0
Rubella	0	0	0	1
Salmonellosis (non typhoid/paratyphoid)	10	28	9	42
Severe Acute Respiratory Syndrome	0	0	0	0
Shigellosis	2	1	0	7
Smallpox	0	0	0	0
Tetanus/Neonatal tetanus	0	0	0	1
Trichinosis	0	0	0	0
Tuberculosis	24	50	26	72
Tularaemia	0	0	0	0
Typhoid fever/Paratyphoid	3	1	0	3
Zika (virus infection)	0	0	0	0

*The majority of the reported measles cases are imported cases from Albania, whereas the rest of the reported cases are related with travelling in countries where there is an ongoing measles epidemic.

Table 2. Number of notified cases by place of residence (region), Mandatory Notification System, April 2019 (place of residence is defined according to home address of cases).

Disease	Number of notified cases													
	Eastern Macedonia and Thrace	Central Macedonia	Western Macedonia	Epirus	Thessalia	Ionian islands	Western Greece	Stereia Greece	Attica	Peloponnese	Northern Aegean	Southern Aegean	Crete	Unknown
Brucellosis	1	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	2	0	0	0	0
Chickenpox with complications	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	1	0	0	0
Cluster of foodborne/waterborne disease cases	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Echinococcosis	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
EHEC infection	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Hepatitis A	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0
Hepatitis B, acute & HBsAg(+) in infants <12 months	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
Hepatitis C, acute & confirmed	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	9	1	0	0	0	0
Legionellosis	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0
Leishmaniasis	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
Listeriosis	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0
Malaria	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0
Measles	0	1	0	6	0	1	0	1	2	0	0	0	0	0
Meningitis														
aseptic	1	1	0	0	0	1	1	0	1	0	0	0	4	0
bacterial (except meningococcal disease)	1	5	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	1	1	0	0
Meningococcal disease	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	1	0	0	0
Pertussis	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0
Salmonellosis (non typhoid/paratyphoid)	2	2	0	2	0	0	0	0	4	0	0	0	0	0
Shigellosis	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0
Tuberculosis	0	4	0	0	2	1	1	2	2	1	8	0	3	0
Typhoid fever/Paratyphoid	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	0	0	0

The presented data derive from the Mandatory Notification System (MNS) of the National Public Health Organisation (NPHO). 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 NPHO's website (www.keelpno.gr).

It should be noted that data for April 2019 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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