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Surveillance Data

Table 1: Number of notified cases in August 2011, median number of notified cases in August for the years 2004–2010 and range, Mandatory Notification System, Greece

Disease	Number of notified cases		
	August 2011	Median number August 2004–2010	Range
Botulism	0	0	0-0
Chickenpox with complications	0	0	0-3
Anthrax	1	0	0-0
Brucellosis	7	20	5-34
Diphtheria	0	0	0-0
Arbo-viral infections	0	0	0-0
Malaria	10	5	5-13
Rubella	0	0	0-0
Smallpox	0	0	0-0
Echinococcosis	0	1	0-6
Hepatitis A	3	6	3-48
Hepatitis B, acute & HBsAg(+) in infants <12 months	4	4	1-22
Hepatitis C, acute & confirmed anti-HCV positive (1 st diagnosis)	0	2	0-12
Measles	3	1	0-18
Haemorrhagic fever	0	0	0-2
Pertussis	1	3	1-9
Legionellosis	4	3	0-9
Leishmaniasis	5	2	1-10
Leptospirosis	5	5	1-9
Listeriosis	0	0	0-2
EHEC infection	0	0	0-0
Rabies	0	0	0-0
Melioidosis/glanders	0	0	0-0
Meningitis (bacterial, aseptic)	25	47	38-78
Meningococcal disease	1	3	1-7
Plague	0	0	0-0
Mumps	0	1	0-2
Poliomyelitis	0	0	0-0
Q Fever	0	0	0-1
Salmonellosis (non-typhoid/paratyphoid)	84	151	40-332
Shigellosis	11	5	0-21
Severe acute respiratory syndrome	0	0	0-0
Congenital rubella	0	0	0-0
Congenital syphilis	0	0	0-1
Congenital toxoplasmosis	0	0	0-1
Cluster of foodborne/waterborne disease cases	11	11	6-22
Tetanus/neonatal tetanus	5	0	0-1
Tularaemia	0	0	0-0
Trichinosis	0	0	0-3
Typhoid fever/paratyphoid	0	1	0-9
Tuberculosis	28	52	27-121
Cholera	0	0	0-0

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Table 2: Number of notified cases by place of residence (region)*, August 2011, Mandatory Notification System

Disease	Number of notified cases													
	Eastern Macedonia and Thrace	Central Macedonia	Western Macedonia	Epirus	Thessalia	Ionian islands	Western Greece	Sterea Greece	Attica	Peloponnese	Northern Aegean	Southern Aegean	Crete	Unknown
Anthrax	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Brucellosis	1	2	0	0	0	0	1	2	0	1	0	0	0	0
Malaria	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	5	4	0	0	0	0
Hepatitis A	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
Hepatitis B, acute & HBsAg(+) in infants <12 months	0	0	0	0	2	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0
Measles	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	1	0	0	0	0	0
Pertussis	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0
Legionellosis	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	0	0	0
Leishmaniasis	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	2	0	0	0	1	0
Leptospirosis	0	0	0	2	0	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Meningitis (bacterial, aseptic)	1	3	0	0	0	0	0	2	7	0	0	0	6	0
Meningococcal disease	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Shigellosis	0	0	0	0	4	0	0	1	3	3	0	0	0	0
Salmonellosis (non-typhoid/paratyphoid)	3	6	1	1	14	0	4	2	38	2	5	0	7	1
Cluster of foodborne/waterborne disease cases	0	1	0	0	4	0	0	1	5	0	0	0	0	0
Tetanus/neonatal tetanus	0	1	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	1	1	0	0	0
Tuberculosis	2	7	0	0	0	0	0	2	10	2	0	0	2	3

*Place of residence is defined as the home address of the patient.

Table 3: Number of notified cases by age group and gender*, Greece, August 2011, Mandatory Notification System

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+		Un.	
Anthrax	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0
Brucellosis	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	1	1	0	0	1	1	1	0	0	0	0
Malaria	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	1	2	0	1	0	0	0	3	0	0
Hepatitis A	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
Hepatitis B, acute & HBsAg(+) in infants <12 months	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
Measles	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Pertussis	0	1	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	1	1	2	0	0	0	0
Leishmaniasis	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	0
Leptospirosis	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	1	0	1	0	0	0
Meningitis (bacterial, aseptic)	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	10	10
Meningococcal disease	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
Salmonellosis (non-typhoid/paratyphoid)	7	4	13	17	9	12	1	0	2	3	1	0	0	2	2	2	6	3	0	0
Shigellosis	1	1	2	0	2	2	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0
Tetanus/neonatal tetanus	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	3	1	0	0	0
Tuberculosis	0	0	0	1	1	1	0	2	2	4	4	1	1	0	4	1	5	1	0	0

*M: male, F: female

The data presented are derived from the Mandatory Notification System (MNS) of the Hellenic Center for Disease Control and Prevention (HCDCP). Forty-five infectious diseases are included in the list of mandatory notifiable diseases in Greece. Notification forms and case definitions can be found on HCDCP's website (www.keelpno.gr).

It should be noted that the data for August 2011 are provisional and could be slightly modified/corrected in the future, and that data interpretation should be made with caution because there are indications of under-reporting to the system.

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