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SURVEILLANCE DATA, AUGUST 2014, GREECE

Table 1. Number of notified cases in August 2014, median number of notified cases in July for the years 2004–2013 and range, Mandatory Notification System, Greece.

Disease	Number of notified cases			
	August 2014	Median number August 2004–2013	Min number August 2004–2013	Max number August 2004–2013
Botulism	0	0	0	0
Chickenpox with complications	0	0	0	3
Anthrax	0	0	0	1
Brucellosis	7	16	5	35
Diphtheria	0	0	0	0
Arbo-viral infections	0	0	0	0
Malaria	9	7	3	13
Rubella	0	0	0	0
Smallpox	0	0	0	0
Echinococcosis	1	1	0	6
Hepatitis A	7	7	2	46
Hepatitis B, acute & HBsAg(+) in infants < 12 months	6	4	1	20
Hepatitis C, acute & confirmed anti-HCV positive (1 st diagnosis)	0	1	0	12
Measles	0	0	0	18
Haemorrhagic fever	2	0	0	2
Pertussis	0	3	0	12
Legionellosis	3	3	0	9
Leishmaniasis	6	5	1	10
Leptospirosis	6	5	1	9
Listeriosis	2	0	0	4
EHEC infection	1	0	0	1
Rabies	0	0	0	0
Melioidosis/Glanders	0	0	0	0

Meningitis				
aseptic	25	28	20	62
bacterial (except meningococcal disease)	11	16	8	30
unknown aetiology	0	1	0	5
Meningococcal disease	2	3	1	7
Plague	0	0	0	0
Mumps	0	0	0	2
Poliomyelitis	0	0	0	0
Q Fever	0	0	0	1
Salmonellosis (non typhoid/paratyphoid)	68	87	40	324
Shigellosis	6	6	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				
Tetanus / Neonatal tetanus	0	0	0	5
Tularaemia	0	0	0	0
Trichinosis	0	0	0	0
Typhoid fever/Paratyphoid	1	1	1	9
Tuberculosis	45	50	28	121
Cholera	0	0	0	0

Table 2. Number of notified cases by place of residence (region), Mandatory Notification System, August 2014 (place of residence is defined according to home address of cases).

<i>Disease</i>	<i>Number of notified cases</i>													
	Region	Eastern Macedonia and Thrace	Central Macedonia	Western Macedonia	Epirus	Thessalia	Ionian islands	Western Greece	Stereia Greece	Attica	Peloponnese	Northern Aegean	Southern Aegean	Crete
Brucellosis	1	0	0	3	0	0	0	1	0	2	0	0	0	0
Malaria	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	4	0	0	0	0	3
Echinococcosis	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0
Hepatitis A	0	0	0	0	5	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	0
Hepatitis B, acute & HBsAg(+) in infants < 12 months	0	3	0	0	2	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Haemorrhagic fever	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1
Legionellosis	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0
Leishmaniasis	1	0	0	0	3	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0
Leptospirosis	1	1	0	0	0	1	1	0	1	0	0	0	1	0
Listeriosis	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0
EHEC infection	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Meningitis	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
aseptic	0	6	0	0	3	1	3	2	6	0	0	0	1	3
bacterial (except meningococcal disease)	1	2	0	1	2	1	2	0	0	0	0	1	1	0
Unknown aetiology	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Meningococcal disease	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Salmonellosis (non typhoid/paratyphoid)	3	2	1	6	5	1	5	5	29	4	1	1	4	1
Shigellosis	2	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	2	0	0	0	0	0
Cluster of foodborne / waterborne disease cases	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0
Typhoid fever / Paratyphoid	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
Tuberculosis	4	9	1	1	1	0	0	1	19	5	0	0	1	3

Table 3. Number of notified cases by age group and gender, Mandatory Notification System, Greece, August 2014 (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	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	1	3	0	0	1	0	0	0	0
Malaria	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	2	0	1	0	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Echinococcosis	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Hepatitis A	0	1	0	1	1	0	1	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	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	0	0	1	2	0	1	0	0	0
Haemorrhagic fever	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Legionellosis	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0
Leishmaniasis	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	2	0	0
Leptospirosis	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	3	1	1	0	0	0
Listeriosis	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
EHEC infection	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Meningitis																				
aseptic	1	0	2	1	2	3	5	3	1	0	1	1	0	3	0	0	1	1		
bacterial (except meningococcal disease)	1	1	0	0	3	0	2	0	0	1	0	1	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	0
Unknown aetiology	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Meningococcal disease	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Salmonellosis (non typhoid/paratyphoid)	8	5	7	13	7	6	2	1	0	0	2	1	2	2	3	4	1	4	0	0
Shigellosis	1	0	1	0	1	2	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Typhoid fever / Paratyphoid	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Tuberculosis*	0	0	0	0	1	0	2	2	4	3	2	0	6	2	4	1	13	5	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 August 2014 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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