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SURVEILLANCE DATA, JANUARY 2018, GREECE

Table 1. Number of notified cases in January 2018, median number of notified cases in January for the years 2004–2017 and range, Mandatory Notification System, Greece.

<i>Disease</i>	<i>Number of notified cases</i>			
	January 2018	Median number January 2004–2017	Min number January 2004–2017	Max number January 2004–2017
Botulism	0	0	0	0
Chickenpox with complications	0	1	0	7
Anthrax	0	0	0	1
Brucellosis	5	7	1	30
Diphtheria	0	0	0	0
Arbo-viral infections	0	0	0	0
Malaria	0	1	0	10
Rubella	0	0	0	0
Smallpox	0	0	0	0
Echinococcosis	1	1	0	4
Zika (virus infection) *	1	0	0	0
Hepatitis A	30	9	1	25
Hepatitis B, acute & HBsAg(+) in infants <12 months	1	7	1	15
Hepatitis C, acute & confirmed anti-HCV positive (1st diagnosis)	10	1	0	21
Measles**	431	0	0	39
Haemorrhagic fever	0	0	0	0
Pertussis	3	1	0	7
Legionellosis	3	1	0	3
Leishmaniasis	5	7	1	16
Leptospirosis	1	1	0	3
Listeriosis	1	1	0	4
EHEC infection	0	0	0	0
Rabies	0	0	0	0

Melioidosis/Glanders	0	0	0	0
Meningitis				
aseptic	13	14	4	43
bacterial (except meningococcal disease)	10	16	7	23
unknown aetiology	0	0	0	9
Meningococcal disease	4	9	3	18
Plague	0	0	0	0
Mumps	0	0	0	16
Poliomyelitis	0	0	0	0
Q Fever	1	0	0	1
Salmonellosis (non typhoid/paratyphoid)	29	22	7	54
Shigellosis	4	2	0	11
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	1	1	0	3
Tetanus/Neonatal tetanus	0	0	0	2
Tularaemia	0	0	0	0
Trichinosis	0	0	0	0
Typhoid fever/Paratyphoid	0	0	0	5
Tuberculosis	23	42	17	59
Cholera	0	0	0	1

***Imported case**

**** The increased number of measles cases was recorded under the context of an ongoing measles epidemic in the country. More detailed information about the epidemic is available in the KEELPNO website in the form of monthly measles epidemiological surveillance reports and weekly updates of the reported measles cases.**

Table 2. Number of notified cases by place of residence (region), Mandatory Notification System, January 2018 (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	Sterea Greece	Attica	Peloponnese	Northern Aegean	Southern Aegean	Crete	Unknown
Brucellosis	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	3	0	0	0	0
Echinococcosis	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Zika (virus infection) *	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0
Hepatitis A	1	6	0	4	0	0	1	0	12	0	5	0	1	0
Hepatitis B, acute & HBsAg(+) in infants <12 months	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Hepatitis C, acute & confirmed anti-HCV positive (1st diagnosis)	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	9	0	0	1	0	0
Measles*	0	18	0	1	12	2	162	33	170	19	7	6	0	1
Pertussis	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0
Legionellosis	1	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Leishmaniasis	0	0	1	0	1	0	1	0	1	0	0	1	0	0
Leptospirosis	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
Meningitis														
aseptic	1	1	0	1	0	0	3	0	6	0	0	0	1	0
bacterial (except meningococcal disease)	0	3	0	0	0	0	1	0	4	0	0	1	1	0
Meningococcal disease	0	2	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0
Q Fever	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0
Salmonellosis (non typhoid/paratyphoid)	3	6	0	0	4	0	0	1	12	0	1	0	2	0
Shigellosis	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	1	0
Cluster of foodborne/waterborne disease cases	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Tuberculosis	1	5	0	1	2	1	2	1	7	1	2	0	0	0

Table 3. Number of notified cases by age group and gender, Mandatory Notification System, Greece, January 2018 (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	2	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	1	0	0	0	0	0
Echinococcosis	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Zika (virus infection) *	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Hepatitis A	0	0	3	2	5	3	1	1	6	0	2	1	3	2	0	0	0	1	0	0
Hepatitis B, acute & HBsAg(+) in infants <12 months	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Hepatitis C, acute & confirmed anti-HCV positive (1st diagnosis)	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	3	0	3	0	1	0	0	0	0	0
Measles*	21	19	59	45	65	55	20	25	22	23	17	37	5	15	1	1	0	0	0	1
Pertussis	0	2	1	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	1	0	0
Leishmaniasis	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	1	0	1	0	0	1	0	0
Leptospirosis	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0
Listeriosis	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0
Meningitis																				
aseptic	1	1	0	0	2	1	0	1	1	0	1	1	0	0	0	3	1	0	0	0
bacterial (except meningococcal disease)	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	2	0	1	0	1	1	2	1	0	0
Meningococcal disease	1	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0
Q Fever	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Salmonellosis (non typhoid/paratyphoid)	2	1	6	1	3	3	1	0	0	0	1	0	2	1	1	1	2	4	0	0
Shigellosis	1	0	0	2	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Tuberculosis	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	4	1	3	0	1	2	0	3	5	2	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 January 2018 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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