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SURVEILLANCE DATA, MARCH 2015, GREECE

Table 1. Number of notified cases in March 2015, median number of notified cases in March for the years 2004–2014 and range, Mandatory Notification System, Greece.

Disease	Number of notified cases			
	March 2015	Median number March 2004–2014	Min number March 2004–2014	Max number March 2004–2014
Botulism	0	0	0	1
Chickenpox with complications	0	1	0	7
Anthrax	0	0	0	1
Brucellosis	11	10	6	40
Diphtheria	0	0	0	0
Arbo-viral infections	0	0	0	0
Malaria	1	1	0	2
Rubella	0	0	0	14
Smallpox	0	0	0	0
Echinococcosis	0	1	0	3
Hepatitis A	7	4	1	14
Hepatitis B, acute & HBsAg(+) in infants < 12 months	2	4	0	17
Hepatitis C, acute & confirmed anti-HCV positive (1 st diagnosis)	2	3	0	6
Measles	0	0	0	84
Haemorrhagic fever	0	0	0	0
Pertussis	1	2	0	9
Legionellosis	4	1	0	5
Leishmaniasis	4	4	2	8
Leptospirosis	3	2	0	4
Listeriosis	1	1	0	3
EHEC infection	0	0	0	1
Rabies	0	0	0	0
Melioidosis/Glanders	0	0	0	0

Meningitis				
aseptic	10	11	4	22
bacterial (except meningococcal disease)	14	18	9	27
unknown aetiology	0	3	0	8
Meningococcal disease	8	10	6	21
Plague	0	0	0	0
Mumps	0	0	0	5
Poliomyelitis	0	0	0	0
Q Fever	2	0	0	2
Salmonellosis (non typhoid/paratyphoid)	7	17	10	52
Shigellosis	2	1	0	9
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	0	1	0	4
Tetanus / Neonatal tetanus	1	0	0	0
Tularaemia	0	0	0	0
Trichinosis	0	0	0	1
Typhoid fever/Paratyphoid	0	0	0	2
Tuberculosis	17	47	34	64
Cholera	0	0	0	0

Table 2. Number of notified cases by place of residence (region), Mandatory Notification System, **March 2015** (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	0	0	1	0	1	2	3	4	0	0	0	0	0	0
Malaria	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0
Hepatitis A	0	2	0	0	1	0	0	0	3	0	1	0	0	0
Hepatitis B, acute & HBsAg(+) in infants < 12 months	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Hepatitis C, acute & confirmed anti-HCV positive (1 st diagnosis)	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
Pertussis	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0
Legionellosis	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	3	0	0	0	0	0
Leishmaniasis	0	0	0	1	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
Leptospirosis	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	1	0
Listeriosis	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0
Meningitis														
aseptic	2	0	1	0	2	0	0	1	3	1	0	0	0	0
bacterial (except meningococcal disease)	0	2	0	1	2	1	2	0	2	2	1	1	0	0
Meningococcal disease	1	1	0	0	1	1	0	0	4	0	0	0	0	0
Q Fever	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Salmonellosis (non typhoid/paratyphoid)	1	0	1	0	1	0	1	1	1	0	0	0	1	0
Shigellosis	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
Tetanus / Neonatal tetanus	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
Tuberculosis	2	6	1	2	2	0	1	0	3	0	0	0	0	0

Table 3. Number of notified cases by age group and gender, Mandatory Notification System, Greece, March 2015 (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	1	1	1	0	2	0	2	0	2	1	1	0	0	0
Malaria	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Hepatitis A	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	1	0	0	1	1	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0
Hepatitis B, acute & HBsAg(+) in infants < 12 months	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Hepatitis C, acute & confirmed anti-HCV positive (1 st diagnosis)	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	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	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	1	0	0
Leishmaniasis	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0
Leptospirosis	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	2	0	0	0
Listeriosis	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Meningitis																				
aseptic	0	1	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	1	4	0	0
bacterial (except meningococcal disease)	1	0	0	1	3	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	1	0	3	1	1	1	0	0
Meningococcal disease	0	0	0	0	2	2	1	0	1	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Q Fever	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Salmonellosis (non typhoid/paratyphoid)	0	0	0	3	0	2	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Shigellosis	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Tetanus / Neonatal tetanus	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0
Tuberculosis	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	3	0	4	0	1	1	0	0	2	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 March 2015 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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