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SURVEILLANCE DATA, MARCH 2018, GREECE

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

<i>Disease</i>	<i>Number of notified cases</i>			
	March 2018	Median number March 2004–2017	Min number March 2004–2017	Max number March 2004–2017
Botulism	0	0	0	1
Chickenpox with complications	1	1	0	7
Anthrax	0	0	0	1
Brucellosis	10	11	6	40
Chikungunya virus infection	0	0	0	0
Diphtheria	0	0	0	0
Arbo-viral infections	0	0	0	1
Malaria	2	1	0	3
Rubella	0	0	0	14
Smallpox	0	0	0	0
Echinococcosis	0	1	0	3
Zika (virus infection)	0	0	0	0
Hepatitis A	23	4	1	19
Hepatitis B, acute & HBsAg(+) in infants <12 months	4	3	0	17
Hepatitis C, acute & confirmed anti-HCV positive (1st diagnosis)	7	3	0	9
Measles	549	0	0	84
Haemorrhagic fever	0	0	0	1
Pertussis	1	2	0	9
Legionellosis	0	1	0	5
Leishmaniasis	6	5	2	13
Leptospirosis	0	2	0	4
Listeriosis	2	2	0	4
EHEC infection	0	0	0	1
Rabies	0	0	0	0

Melioidosis/Glanders	0	0	0	0
Meningitis				
aseptic	12	11	4	22
bacterial (except meningococcal disease)	14	16	9	27
unknown aetiology	0	1	0	8
Meningococcal disease	3	9	6	21
Plague	0	0	0	0
Mumps	0	0	0	5
Poliomyelitis	0	0	0	0
Q Fever	1	0	0	2
Salmonellosis (non typhoid/paratyphoid)	23	17	7	52
Shigellosis	3	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	1	1	0	4
Tetanus/Neonatal tetanus	1	0	0	1
Tularaemia	0	0	0	0
Trichinosis	0	0	0	1
Typhoid fever/Paratyphoid	0	0	0	2
Tuberculosis	39	47	31	64
Cholera	0	0	0	0

Table 2. Number of notified cases by place of residence (region), Mandatory Notification System, March 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
Chickenpox with complications	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
Brucellosis	0	1	1	2	2	0	1	1	0	2	0	0	0	0
Malaria	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0
Hepatitis A	2	4	0	0	0	0	0	4	13	0	0	0	0	0
Hepatitis B, acute & HBsAg(+) in infants <12 months	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	2	0	0	0	0
Hepatitis C, acute & confirmed anti-HCV positive (1st diagnosis)	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	6	0	0	0	0	0
Measles	6	93	4	3	61	2	119	54	134	58	8	1	6	0
Pertussis	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Leishmaniasis	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	1	1	0	0	1	0
Listeriosis	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0
Meningitis														
aseptic	1	1	0	0	1	2	2	0	4	0	1	0	0	0
bacterial (except meningococcal disease)	2	3	0	1	1	0	2	0	2	1	0	1	1	0
Meningococcal disease	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	0
Q Fever	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0
Salmonellosis (non typhoid/paratyphoid)	2	1	1	1	0	0	1	0	14	0	1	0	2	0
Shigellosis	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0
Cluster of foodborne/waterborne disease cases	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0
Tetanus / Neonatal tetanus	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
Tuberculosis	0	6	0	1	6	1	4	1	13	5	0	0	2	0

Table 3. Number of notified cases by age group and gender, Mandatory Notification System, Greece, March 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
Chickenpox with complications	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Brucellosis	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	1	0	1	0	2	1	1	0	0	2	0	0
Malaria	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Hepatitis A	0	0	0	0	2	2	3	0	4	1	6	0	3	0	1	1	0	0	0	0
Hepatitis B, acute & HBsAg(+) in infants <12 months	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	2	0	1	0	0	0
Hepatitis C, acute & confirmed anti-HCV positive (1st diagnosis)	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	2	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Measles	32	38	46	49	63	81	34	29	28	32	31	54	14	8	1	5	1	0	2	1
Pertussis	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Leishmaniasis	0	0	0	1	1	1	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0
Listeriosis	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Meningitis																				
aseptic	1	0	2	0	1	0	1	0	2	0	1	1	1	1	0	0	0	1	0	0
bacterial (except meningococcal disease)	0	0	2	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	1	1	0	1	4	0	1	2	0	0
Meningococcal disease	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Q Fever	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Salmonellosis (non typhoid/paratyphoid)	1	0	4	3	1	3	1	0	1	0	0	0	2	1	2	0	2	2	0	0
Shigellosis	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	1	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	0	0	0	0	0	0	7	1	8	0	4	1	3	1	3	0	8	3	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 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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