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SURVEILLANCE DATA, NOVEMBER 2017, GREECE**

Table 1. Number of notified cases in November 2017, median number of notified cases in November for the years 2004–2016 and range, Mandatory Notification System, Greece.

<i>Disease</i>	<i>Number of notified cases</i>			
	November 2017	Median number November 2004–2016	Min number November 2004–2016	Max number November 2004–2016
Botulism	1	0	0	0
Chickenpox with complications	3	1	0	2
Anthrax	0	0	0	0
Brucellosis	2	5	2	20
Diphtheria	0	0	0	0
Arbo-viral infections	0	0	0	0
Malaria	4	2	0	14
Rubella	0	0	0	0
Smallpox	0	0	0	0
Echinococcosis	0	1	0	6
Hepatitis A	20	9	3	55
Hepatitis B, acute & HBsAg(+) in infants < 12 months	1	4	1	16
Hepatitis C, acute & confirmed anti-HCV positive (1 st diagnosis)	20	2	0	6
Measles*	252	0	0	10
Haemorrhagic fever	0	0	0	1
Pertussis	4	0	0	8
Legionellosis	6	3	0	7
Leishmaniasis	3	4	0	6
Leptospirosis	2	2	0	6
Listeriosis	1	0	0	3
EHEC infection	0	0	0	1
Rabies	0	0	0	0
Melioidosis/Glanders	0	0	0	0

Meningitis				
aseptic	6	23	8	41
bacterial (except meningococcal disease)	11	13	8	20
unknown aetiology	1	0	0	8
Meningococcal disease	2	5	2	13
Plague	0	0	0	0
Mumps	0	0	0	3
Poliomyelitis	0	0	0	0
Q Fever	1	0	0	1
Salmonellosis (non typhoid/paratyphoid)	50	48	15	156
Shigellosis	16	5	0	23
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	2	2	0	4
Tetanus / Neonatal tetanus	0	0	0	2
Tularaemia	0	0	0	0
Trichinosis	0	0	0	0
Typhoid fever/Paratyphoid	1	0	0	3
Tuberculosis	18	40	28	64
Cholera	0	0	0	0

* 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, November 2017 (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
Botulism	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0
Chickenpox with complications	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	1	0	0
Brucellosis	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	0
Malaria	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	0
Hepatitis A	1	3	0	0	0	1	1	0	9	0	4	0	1	0
Hepatitis B, acute & HBsAg(+) in infants < 12 months	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0
Hepatitis C, acute & confirmed anti-HCV positive (1 st diagnosis)	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	1	17	0	0	0	0	0
Measles	1	24	0	1	0	0	44	11	137	28	2	3	1	0
Pertussis	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	1	1	0	0	0	0
Legionellosis	0	0	1	0	1	1	0	0	3	0	0	0	0	0
Leishmaniasis	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0
Leptospirosis	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0
Listeriosis	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0
Meningitis														
aseptic	0	0	0	0	1	1	1	0	1	1	1	0	0	0
bacterial (except meningococcal disease)	0	1	0	0	0	1	1	0	4	0	0	0	2	2
unknown aetiology	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0
Meningococcal disease	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0
Q Fever	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Salmonellosis (non typhoid/paratyphoid)	2	2	0	4	2	1	6	1	27	2	2	0	1	0
Shigellosis	1	1	0	1	1	1	3	0	8	0	0	0	0	0
Cluster of foodborne / waterborne disease cases	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0
Typhoid fever/Paratyphoid	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0
Tuberculosis	2	5	0	0	1	0	1	2	3	1	0	2	1	0

Table 3. Number of notified cases by age group and gender, Mandatory Notification System, Greece, November 2017 (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
Botulism	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Chickenpox with complications	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0
Brucellosis	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Malaria	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Hepatitis A	0	0	2	1	1	1	0	0	7	0	3	0	3	1	0	1	0	0	0	0
Hepatitis B, acute & HBsAg(+) in infants < 12 months	0	0	0	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	1	0	0	0	0	2	0	9	0	4	1	1	1	1	0	0	0
Measles	18	10	53	41	40	43	7	8	7	9	4	7	3	2	0	0	0	0	0	0
Pertussis	2	0	1	1	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	1	0	0	0	2	3	0	0
Leishmaniasis	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	1	0	0	0
Leptospirosis	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0
Listeriosis	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0
Meningitis																				
aseptic	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	1	1	1	0	0
bacterial (except meningococcal disease)	0	0	2	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	1	1	4	0	0	0
unknown aetiology	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Meningococcal disease	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0
Q Fever	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0
Salmonellosis (non typhoid/paratyphoid)	5	7	10	9	1	3	0	2	1	1	1	2	0	0	0	1	5	2	0	0
Shigellosis	1	2	4	3	2	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	0
Typhoid fever/Paratyphoid	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Tuberculosis	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	1	1	0	1	1	2	2	2	4	1	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 November 2017 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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