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### SURVEILLANCE DATA, SEPTEMBER 2014, GREECE

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

Disease	Number of notified cases			
	September 2014	Median number September 2004–2013	Min number September 2004–2013	Max number September 2004–2013
Botulism	0	0	0	0
Chickenpox with complications	0	0	0	2
Anthrax	0	0	0	1
Brucellosis	8	10	6	15
Diphtheria	0	0	0	0
Arbo-viral infections	0	0	0	0
Malaria	2	3	2	33
Rubella	0	0	0	0
Smallpox	0	0	0	0
Echinococcosis	1	2	0	5
Hepatitis A	6	9	2	37
Hepatitis B, acute & HBsAg(+) in infants < 12 months	2	4,5	0	18
Hepatitis C, acute & confirmed anti-HCV positive (1 <sup>st</sup> diagnosis)	1	2	0	5
Measles	0	0	0	3
Haemorrhagic fever	0	0	0	1
Pertussis	0	1,5	0	9
Legionellosis	1	2,5	1	7
Leishmaniasis	8	4	2	12
Leptospirosis	6	2	1	4
Listeriosis	0	0	0	3
EHEC infection	0	0	0	1
Rabies	0	0	0	0
Melioidosis/Glanders	0	0	0	0

<b>Meningitis</b>				
<b>aseptic</b>	21	25	11	63
<b>bacterial (except meningococcal disease)</b>	6	11	8	28
<b>unknown aetiology</b>	1	0,5	0	7
<b>Meningococcal disease</b>	4	3	0	7
<b>Plague</b>	0	0	0	0
<b>Mumps</b>	0	0	0	5
<b>Poliomyelitis</b>	0	0	0	0
<b>Q Fever</b>	3	0	0	1
<b>Salmonellosis (non typhoid/paratyphoid)</b>	57	86,5	45	241
<b>Shigellosis</b>	12	7	1	12
<b>Severe Acute Respiratory Syndrome</b>	0	0	0	0
<b>Congenital rubella</b>	0	0	0	0
<b>Congenital syphilis</b>	0	0	0	0
<b>Congenital Toxoplasmosis</b>	0	0	0	0
<b>Cluster of foodborne / waterborne disease cases</b>	8	3,5	0	17
<b>Tetanus / Neonatal tetanus</b>	0	1	0	3
<b>Tularaemia</b>	0	0	0	0
<b>Trichinosis</b>	0	0	0	0
<b>Typhoid fever/Paratyphoid</b>	1	1	0	4
<b>Tuberculosis</b>	35	49	29	80
<b>Cholera</b>	0	0	0	0

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

<i>Disease</i>	<i>Number of notified cases</i>													
	<i>Region</i>	<i>Eastern Macedonia and Thrace</i>	<i>Central Macedonia</i>	<i>Western Macedonia</i>	<i>Epirus</i>	<i>Thessalia</i>	<i>Ionian islands</i>	<i>Western Greece</i>	<i>Stereia Greece</i>	<i>Attica</i>	<i>Peloponnese</i>	<i>Northern Aegean</i>	<i>Southern Aegean</i>	<i>Crete</i>
<b>Brucellosis</b>	0	0	0	1	1	0	1	3	2	0	0	0	0	0
<b>Malaria</b>	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0
<b>Echinococcosis</b>	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0
<b>Hepatitis A</b>	0	2	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	1	0
<b>Hepatitis B, acute &amp; HBsAg(+) in infants &lt; 12 months</b>	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0
<b>Hepatitis C, acute &amp; confirmed anti-HCV positive (1<sup>st</sup> diagnosis)</b>	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0
<b>Legionellosis</b>	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0
<b>Leishmaniasis</b>	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	1	3	1	1	0	0	0
<b>Leptospirosis</b>	0	3	0	0	0	2	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
<b>Meningitis</b>														
<b>aseptic</b>	3	2	1	0	7	0	1	1	3	0	1	0	1	1
<b>bacterial (except meningococcal disease)</b>	0	1	1	0	0	0	1	0	1	1	0	1	0	0
<b>Unknown aetiology</b>	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
<b>Meningococcal disease</b>	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	0
<b>Q Fever</b>	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1
<b>Salmonellosis (non typhoid/paratyphoid)</b>	3	4	1	3	8	2	1	3	29	1	0	0	2	0
<b>Shigellosis</b>	0	1	0	0	3	0	1	0	6	1	0	0	0	0
<b>Cluster of foodborne / waterborne disease cases</b>	0	4	0	0	0	1	0	0	2	1	0	0	0	0
<b>Typhoid fever / Paratyphoid</b>	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
<b>Tuberculosis</b>	2	6	0	2	2	0	6	1	10	2	0	1	2	1

**Table 3.** Number of notified cases by age group and gender, Mandatory Notification System, Greece, September 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	1	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	1	1	0	1	0	1	1	0	0	0
Malaria	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Echinococcosis	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Hepatitis A	0	1	0	1	0	1	2	0	0	0	1	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	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Hepatitis C, acute & confirmed anti-HCV positive (1 <sup>st</sup> diagnosis)	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	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	1	0	0	0
Leishmaniasis	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	1	1	1	0	0	0	1	0	1	1	0	0
Leptospirosis	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	3	0	0	0
Meningitis																				
aseptic	5	0	4	0	5	0	0	0	2	0	0	1	2	1	0	0	1	1	0	0
bacterial (except meningococcal disease)	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	1	0	0
Unknown aetiology	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Meningococcal disease	1	0	1	0	1	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	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0
Salmonellosis (non typhoid/paratyphoid)	5	3	1 2	7	5	6	1	3	3	2	2	0	0	0	2	0	3	2	0	1
Shigellosis	1	1	0	2	1	6	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Typhoid fever / Paratyphoid	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0
Tuberculosis	0	1	0	1	0	0	4	0	11	1	3	0	0	0	4	0	5	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](http://www.keelpno.gr)).

It should be noted that data for September 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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