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SURVEILLANCE DATA, DECEMBER 2018, GREECE

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

<i>Disease</i>	<i>Number of notified cases</i>			
	December 2018	Median number December 2004–2017	Min number December 2004–2017	Max number December 2004–2017
Botulism	0	0	0	2
Chickenpox with complications	1	1	0	4
Anthrax	0	0	0	2
Brucellosis	1	7	3	15
Chikungunya virus infection*	1	0	0	0
Dengue fever	0	0	0	0
Diphtheria	0	0	0	0
Arbo-viral infections	0	0	0	1
Malaria	3	2	0	8
Rubella	0	0	0	0
Smallpox	0	0	0	0
Echinococcosis	0	1	0	6
Zika (virus infection)	0	0	0	2
Hepatitis A	9	12	4	35
Hepatitis B, acute & HBsAg(+) in infants <12 months	2	3	1	18
Hepatitis C, acute & confirmed anti-HCV positive (1st diagnosis)	9	1	0	19
Measles	1	0	0	358
Haemorrhagic fever	0	0	0	1
Pertussis	0	1	0	6
Legionellosis	1	2	0	7
Leishmaniasis	1	4	1	10
Leptospirosis	2	1	0	6
Listeriosis	0	0	0	3
EHEC infection	0	0	0	1
Rabies	0	0	0	0

Melioidosis/Glanders	0	0	0	0
Meningitis				
aseptic	17	17	6	53
bacterial (except meningococcal disease)	9	14	7	51
unknown aetiology	0	0	0	3
Meningococcal disease	4	8	0	15
Plague	0	0	0	0
Mumps	1	0	0	2
Poliomyelitis	0	0	0	0
Q Fever	1	0	0	2
Salmonellosis (non typhoid/paratyphoid)	33	26	11	92
Shigellosis	15	4	1	10
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	1	0	2
Tetanus/Neonatal tetanus	0	0	0	1
Tularaemia	0	0	0	0
Trichinosis	0	0	0	1
Typhoid fever/Paratyphoid	1	0	0	4
Tuberculosis	48	38	23	88
Cholera	0	0	0	0

*Imported case

Table 2. Number of notified cases by place of residence (region), Mandatory Notification System, December 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	Stereia Greece	Attica	Peloponnese	Northern Aegean	Southern Aegean	Crete	Unknown
Chickenpox with complications	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Anthrax	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Brucellosis	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Chikungunya virus infection	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0
Malaria	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	0
Hepatitis A	0	3	3	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	0
Hepatitis B, acute & HBsAg(+) in infants <12 months	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0
Hepatitis C, acute & confirmed anti-HCV positive (1st diagnosis)	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	1	5	0	0	1	0	0
Measles	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Legionellosis	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0
Leishmaniasis	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Leptospirosis	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Meningitis														
aseptic	0	1	0	1	0	0	2	1	6	0	2	0	4	0
bacterial (except meningococcal disease)	1	2	0	0	1	0	1	1	3	0	0	0	0	0
Meningococcal disease	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0
Mumps	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Q Fever	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
Salmonellosis (non typhoid/paratyphoid)	3	3	0	1	2	0	2	11	7	0	1	0	3	0
Shigellosis	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	12	1	0	0	0	0	0
Cluster of foodborne/waterborne disease cases	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0
Typhoid fever/Paratyphoid	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0
Tuberculosis	1	9	0	2	4	0	2	1	15	1	13	0	0	0

Table 3. Number of notified cases by age group and gender, Mandatory Notification System, Greece, December 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	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Anthrax	0	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	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Chikungunya virus infection	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Malaria	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Hepatitis A	0	0	1	2	1	3	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Hepatitis B, acute & HBsAg(+) in infants <12 months	0	0	0	0	0	1	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	2	0	1	2	1	0	2	1	0	0	0	0
Measles	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	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Leishmaniasis	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
Leptospirosis	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Meningitis																				
aseptic	5	1	0	1	3	1	1	1	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	0
bacterial (except meningococcal disease)	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	4	0	0
Meningococcal disease	0	0	1	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0
Mumps	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Q Fever	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
Salmonellosis (non typhoid/paratyphoid)	3	0	5	4	8	4	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	3	1	0	2	2	0	0
Shigellosis	0	0	2	4	2	7	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Typhoid fever/Paratyphoid	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Tuberculosis	1	0	0	0	0	0	5	1	8	2	4	4	5	1	3	2	6	5	1	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 December 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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