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CHALLENGES for sustaining measles and rubella elimination

Increase quality of MR surveillance at all levels to rapidly respond to imported MR cases

Reach vaccination coverage equal to or more than 95% with two doses of MMR among 95% of the country's municipalities

Ensure high quality follow-up campaigns

Maintain MR surveillance during Zika, dengue, and Chikungunya epidemics



Table.1

Classification of Suspect Measles, Rubella, and Congenital Rubella Syndrome (CRS)																
Subregion and Country		Susp. Cases	Measles Confirmed 2016			Year/Week Last Conf. Measles	Rubella Confirmed 2016			Year/Week Last Conf. Rubella	Diagnosis of Discarded Cases 2016		Congenital Rubella Syndrome			Year/Week Last Conf.
		2016	Clin. La	Lab.	Total	case	Clin.	Lab.	Total	Case	Dengue	Others	Susp.	Conf.	CRI*	CRS Case
AND	BOL	87	0	0	0	2000/40	0	0	0	2006/03	0	77	0	0	0	
	COL	1160	0	0	0	2015/36	0	0	0	2012/42	0	1077	416	0	0	2005/34
	ECU	189	0	1	1	2016/14	0	0	0	2004/45	0	166	0	0	0	2002/00
	PER	280	0	0	0	2015/25	0	0	0	2006/45	0	243	0	0	0	2007/16
	VEN	348	0	0	0	2012/16	0	0	0	2007/51	6	341	4	0	0	
BRA	BRA	1595	0	0	0	2015/32	0	0	0	2014/40	0	1490	50	0	0	2009/34
CAP	CRI	21	0	0	0	2005/22	0	0	0	2001/42	3	18	70	0	0	
	GTM	153	0	0	0	1998/05	0	0	0	2006/30	5	144	0	0	0	2005/00
	HND	52	0	0	0	1997/29	0	0	0	2004/11	1	50	15	0	0	2001/00
	NIC	98	0	0	0	1994/14	0	0	0	2004/19	0	98	39	0	0	2005/00
	PAN	46	0	0	0	2011/20	0	0	0	2002/48	0	45	0	0	0	
	SLV	133	0	0	0	2001/19	0	0	0	2006/30	0	119	0	0	0	2001/00
CAR	CAR	461	0	0	0	2011/48	0	0	0	2008/18	0	451	29	0	0	1999/00
LAC	CUB	617	0	0	0	1993/27	0	0	0	2004/06	0	617	0	0	0	
	DOM	92	0	0	0	2011/18	0	0	0	2006/44	0	21	0	0	0	
	HTI	34	0	0	0	2001/39	0	0	0	2006/21	0	31	6	0	0	
MEX	MEX	3401	0	0	0	2015/02	0	0	0	2012/49	0	3304	0	0	0	
NOA	CAN			11	11 ^a	2016/37	0	1	1	2016/06	0	0	0			2015/50
	USA			53	53 ^a	2016/35		1	1	2016/03	0	0	0			2015/00
SOC	ARG	218	0	0	0	2014/36	0	0	0	2014/22	8	133	93	0	0	2009/27
	CHL	161	0	0	0	2015/27	0	0	0	2011/25	0	154	66	0	0	
	PRY	275	0	0	0	1998/44	0	0	0	2005/21	23	237	0	0	0	2003/06
	URY	0	0	0	0	1999/08	0	0	0	2001/37	0	0	0			
TO	TAL	9421	0	65	65		0	2	2		46	8816	788	0	0	

*Congenital Rubella Infection; (a) Provisional data.

... No report received



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Table No.2
Infection Source of Measles and Rubella Confirmed Cases for the Period of Weeks 01-42, 2016

Table No.3 Measles/Rubella Suspect Cases Under Investigation for the Period of Weeks 01-42, 2016

Subre	Subregion and		Mea	asles		Rubella				
	ountry	-	IR	CAC	U	1	IR	CAC	U	
AND	BOL COL ECU	1								
BRA	PER VEN BRA									
CAP	CRI GTM									
	HND NIC PAN									
CAR LAC	SLV CAR CUB									
LAC	DOM HTI									
MEX NOA	MEX CAN	10	0.4		1 3	1				
soc	USA ARG CHL	26	24		3	1				
	PRY URY									
TO	DTAL I: Import	37	24	0	4	2	0	0	0	

	Pending Cases	Cumu- lative	Week of Onset								
Country	2015	2016	1-37	38	39	40	41	42	% Pend. Cases		
BOL	0	10	7	0	1	0	0	2	11		
COL	2	83	62	5	5	8	2	1	7		
ECU	0	22	21	1	0				12		
PER	0	37	28	3	0	1	0	5	13		
VEN	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	0 7		
BRA	234	105	77	10	6	5	7	0	7		
CRI	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		
GTM	1	4	3	1	0	0	0	0	0 3 2 0 2		
HND	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	2		
NIC	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		0		
PAN	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	2		
SLV	9	14	6	1	1	2	4	0	11		
CAR	0	10	4	0	1	1	4	0	2		
CUB	0	0	0	0	0	0			0		
DOM	62	71	71	0	0				77		
HTI	0	3	2	1	0	0	0	0	9 2		
MEX	0	61	13	6	6	14	14	8	2		
CAN											
USA											
ARG	3	77	62	5	3	4	3	0	35		
CHL	0	7	4	1	0	0	0	2	4		
PRY	3	15	12	0	2	0	1	0	5		
URY	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		
TOTAL	314	522	372	35	25	35	37	18	6		

I: Imported; IR: Import-related; CAC: Country-acquired case U: Unknown.

... No report received

Table 4 Indicators of Integrated Measles/Rubella Surveillance for the Period of Weeks 01-42, 2016

Subregion and Country		Sites Reporting Weekly		% Cases with Adequate	% Cases with	% Blood Samples	% Lab. Results	Rate of Suspected Cases Last 52 weeks (2015/43-2016/42)		
		Total Units	% This Week	Investigation	Adequate Sample	Received in Lab. ≤5 days	<4 days	Measles/Rubella (100,000 pop.)	CRS (10,000 lb)	
AND	BOL	3514		99	97	41	73	1.1	0.0	
	COL	5355	94	71	96	87	92	3.4	11.3	
	ECU	3208		92	96	75	72	1.5	0.0	
	PER	7061		84	89	75	31	1.2	0.0	
	VEN	13092		88	98	71	66	1.4	0.1	
	BRA	12224	76		38	38	54	1.0	0.2	
CAP	CRI	57		57	95	86	90	0.5	10.5	
	GTM	1506	51	3	94	53	62	1.0	0.0	
	HND	470	91	63	100	73	100	0.7	0.9	
	NIC	370		95	97	98	85	1.9	3.3	
	PAN	306	4	87	100	67	98	1.4	0.0	
	SLV	1246		68	91	93	80	3.2	0.0	
CAR	CAR	714	81	87	98	20	72	6.7	0.7	
LAC	CUB	168		100	100	100	100	6.0	0.0	
	DOM	247			98	9	13	1.0	0.0	
	HTI	320	77	85	97	82	76	0.4	0.2	
MEX	MEX	139		99	96	91	86	6.4	0.0	
NOA	CAN									
	USA									
SOC	ARG	809		20	86	73	44	0.7	0.0	
	CHL	799	88	38	88	93	95	1.5	2.8	
	PRY	1063	91	83	97	81	66	5.6	0.0	
	URY	345		0	0	0	0	0.1	0.0	
Total and	Average*	53013	79	86	86	74	76	1.3	2.0	

*Weighted ... No report received