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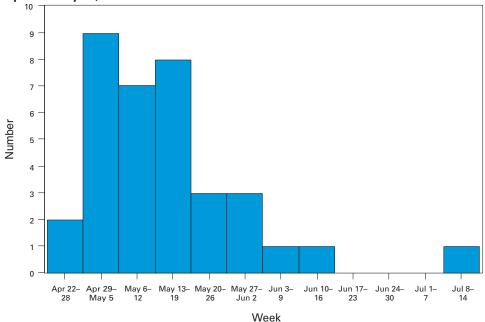
## Rubella Among Hispanic Adults — Kansas, 1998, and Nebraska, 1999

Since 1994, the incidence of rubella has been low; most reported rubella cases have been associated with outbreaks (1,2). Recent outbreaks have occurred primarily among adult Hispanics, many of whom are natives of countries where rubella vaccination is not routine or has been implemented recently (1). This report describes two workplace-associated outbreaks of rubella and summarizes the characteristics of the recent outbreaks in the United States.

#### **Kansas**

During April 22–July 14, 1998, 35 confirmed cases of rubella were reported to the Kansas Department of Health and Environment (Figure 1), compared with one case in

FIGURE 1. Number of confirmed cases of rubella, by week of rash onset — Kansas, April 22–July 14, 1998



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1997 and no cases during January–April 1998. The first case was identified in a 45-year-old Hispanic female employee of a meat-packing plant who developed the characteristic rubella rash on April 22. Of the 35 confirmed cases, 28 (80%) occurred in employees in meat-packing plants in the same region. The median age was 29 years (range: 3 months–47 years); 27 (77%) were men. Of the eight cases among females, four occurred among women of childbearing age; two were infected during pregnancy (one in the second and one in the third trimester). Both women delivered full-term, healthy infants who had no clinical findings suggestive of rubella and had negative rubella IgM antibodies. Of the 35 confirmed cases, 28 (80%) occurred among Hispanics. Of the 32 case-patients with known place of birth, 20 (63%) were born outside the United States in Latin American countries (15 in Mexico, four in El Salvador, and one in Guatemala). Of these, the median length of residence in the United States was 9.5 years. The median age of U.S.-born case-patients during the Kansas outbreak was 34.5 years, compared with 26.5 years in foreign-born case-patients.

Active surveillance for rubella was established in counties where cases had been reported and in adjacent counties. From May 8 to June 19, 1998, worksite vaccination clinics were established in six Kansas meat-packing plants. Clinic activities included 1) screening for persons who presented with rash or who had a history of rash illness during the previous 2 months; 2) vaccination with measles, mumps, and rubella vaccine (MMR) for every consenting employee without contraindications and without proof of rubella immunity; and 3) serologic testing of pregnant women. At these clinics, 7334 doses of vaccine were administered, and 64% of plant employees were vaccinated. An additional 1210 doses of MMR were administered in clinics established in county health departments, associated workplaces (e.g., cattle-feeding farms), and Spanishlanguage churches. The last confirmed case of rubella associated with this outbreak was reported in Kansas on July 11, 1998.

## Nebraska

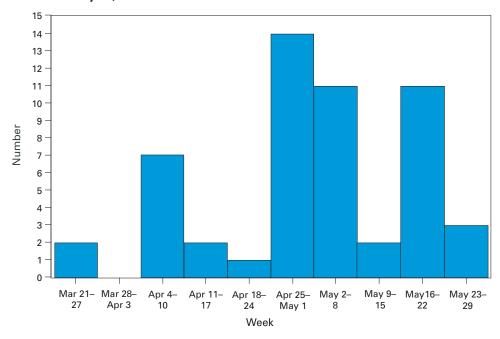
On April 1, 1999, a 29-year-old Hispanic man residing in Omaha sought treatment at a local sexually transmitted diseases clinic. He had a rash, low grade fever, and lymphadenopathy and tested positive for rubella-specific lgM. He worked in a meat-packing plant. Seven additional cases subsequently were detected in the same plant.

Rubella surveillance was enhanced and, during March 21–May 29, the Douglas County Health Department identified 53 confirmed cases of rubella (Figure 2), compared with none for the previous 8 years. Of these, 44 (83%) occurred among Hispanics born outside the United States, and 45 (85%) occurred either among workers in a meat-packing plant or who resided in the same household with a meat-packing–plant worker. Four cases occurred among pregnant women; two were in the first trimester.

Outbreak control measures included mass vaccination campaigns in the community, encouragement by health-care providers to receive vaccination (e.g., assuring that missed opportunities were minimized and vaccinating all family members with no contraindications at the health-care visit), collaboration with the Special Supplemental Food Program for Women, Infants and Children (WIC) to reach potentially undervaccinated populations, and efforts to increase community awareness. Rash onset for the last reported case-patient was July 27, 1999. A total of 95 cases of rubella associated with this outbreak have been reported to the Nebraska Health and Human Services System.

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FIGURE 2. Number of confirmed cases of rubella, by week of rash onset — Nebraska, March 21–May 29, 1999



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Editorial Note: During 1969–1989, the annual number of reported cases of rubella in the United States decreased 99.6% as a result of a successful childhood vaccination program (1). Indigenous rubella is targeted for elimination in the United States by the end of 2000 (3). However, approximately two thirds of other countries did not routinely vaccinate against rubella before 1997 (2). Rubella remains endemic in many Latin American countries, and large epidemics of rubella occur periodically. For example, during January–June 1998, approximately 25,000 cases of rubella were reported to the Ministry of Health in Mexico.

During 1996–1998, 14 rubella outbreaks were reported in the United States (median number of reported cases: 21; range: eight–95). Seven outbreaks were workplace associated and most occurred among workers at food-processing plants or other industries employing predominantly foreign-born workers. Most cases reported in these outbreaks occurred among persons of Hispanic origin (median: 92.5%; range: 32%–100%). No case-patients in the Kansas or Nebraska outbreaks reported having received rubella vaccination.

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Although rubella is near record low levels in the United States, epidemics continue to occur among susceptible foreign-born adults. Workers born outside the United States are a potentially susceptible population in which outbreaks may occur after importation of the virus from areas outside the United States where rubella is endemic. Vaccinating against rubella in workplaces is a strategy to reach this susceptible population and can be a critical step in eliminating indigenous rubella. Public health professionals, other healthcare professionals, and industrial health-care services should design appropriate programs to assure high coverage of foreign-born employees with rubella vaccine.

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# Adoption of Perinatal Group B Streptococcal Disease Prevention Recommendations by Prenatal-Care Providers — Connecticut and Minnesota, 1998

Group B streptococcal (GBS) infections are the leading bacterial cause of serious neonatal disease in the United States (1). In 1996, in collaboration with the American Academy of Pediatrics and the American College of Obstetricians and Gynecologists, CDC issued consensus guidelines for preventing perinatal GBS disease (2–4). These guidelines recommend using either a screening-based or a risk-based strategy to identify women who should receive intrapartum antimicrobial prophylaxis. To assess adoption of the GBS disease prevention guidelines, the Connecticut and Minnesota state health departments surveyed prenatal-care providers during January–April 1998. This report presents the survey findings, which indicate that most prenatal-care providers in Connecticut and Minnesota have adopted perinatal GBS disease prevention policies and that strategy choice may vary by state and provider type.

In Connecticut, surveys were mailed to all (n=576) licensed obstetricians/ gynecologists (OBs). Group practices were allowed to submit a single response for all members. A second mailing was sent to nonrespondents. A sample of nonrespondents was then contacted by telephone to determine reasons for nonresponse. After eliminating providers from the sample who did not deliver prenatal care and those who were represented by a response from another provider in their practice, the final response rate was 77% (250 of 323). In Minnesota, surveys were mailed to a random sample of approximately 50% of practicing OBs, a random sample of approximately 25% of family physicians (FPs) who indicated on their licensure application they provided prenatal care, and all certified nurse midwives (CNMs). After three mailings, 431 (77%) of those sampled responded. The response rate was similar for all three provider groups.

In 1998, most prenatal-care providers in Connecticut and Minnesota reported that their practices had a perinatal GBS disease prevention policy, although most practices did not have a written policy (Table 1). Practices in Connecticut were more likely than

TABLE 1. Number and percentage of prenatal-care providers with group B strepto-coccal (GBS) disease prevention policies, by type of policy — Connecticut and Minnesota, 1998

	Connec	cticut	Minnesota		
Policy	No.	(%)	No.	(%)	
Policies at the practice level	(n=250)		(n=431)		
Written policy	114	(46)	199	(46)	
Any GBS disease prevention policy*	237	(95)	348	(81)	
No policy*	5	(2)	74	(17)	
Not reported	8	(3)	9	(2)	
GBS disease prevention strategy					
used by individual physicians	(n=250)		(n=431)		
Screening-based <sup>†</sup>	181	(72)	143	(33)	
Risk-based <sup>†</sup>	62	(25)	236	(55)	
Other	3	(1)	28	(6)	
None/Unknown	4	(2)	24	(6)	
Culture sites					
(screening-based strategy only)	(n=181)		(n=143)		
Vagina and rectum	128	(71)	108	(76)	
Vagina only	37	(20)	23	(16)	
Cervix only	7	(4)	4	(3)	
Other/Unknown	9	(5)	8	(6)	
Timing of culture					
(screening-based strategy only)	(n=181)		(n=143)		
34–38 weeks	148	(82)	114	(80)	
First trimester	12	(7)	3	(2)	

<sup>\*</sup>p<0.001 for the presence of any GBS disease prevention policy, Connecticut compared with Minnesota.

those in Minnesota (p<0.001) to have a GBS disease prevention policy, primarily because of the relatively low percentage of Minnesota family practices with a policy. More than 90% of individual providers from both states reported having a GBS disease prevention policy. Most providers in Connecticut chose a screening-based strategy (72%), and most in Minnesota chose a risk-based strategy (55%). When the analysis was limited to OBs in both states, OBs in Connecticut were more likely than OBs in Minnesota to choose a screening-based strategy (p<0.001).

Of providers who used a screening-based strategy, 71% from Connecticut and 76% from Minnesota collected specimens from both the vagina and rectum, as recommended by the consensus guidelines. Providers using the screening-based strategy from Connecticut (82%) and Minnesota (80%) obtained cultures within 1 week of the recommended 35–37 weeks' gestation. Of providers who used a risk-based strategy in Minnesota, 80% indicated that they would administer intrapartum prophylaxis for all five of the high-risk criteria (i.e., previous infant with invasive GBS disease, GBS bacteriuria during the current pregnancy, delivery at <37 weeks' gestation, duration of rupture of membranes  $\geq$ 18 hours, and intrapartum fever  $\geq$ 100.4 F [ $\geq$ 38 C]) as specified in the consensus guidelines. Questions about indications for prophylaxis under the risk-based strategy were not asked in the Connecticut survey.

<sup>†</sup> p<0.001 for screening-based vs. risk-based strategy, Connecticut compared with Minnesota.

In Minnesota, differences were observed between the responses of FPs compared with OBs or CNMs (Table 2). OBs and CNMs were more likely than FPs (p<0.001) to report that their practices had a GBS disease prevention policy. Individual FPs were less likely to choose a risk-based strategy or to use penicillin for intrapartum prophylaxis (p<0.001 for all comparisons except strategy choice between FPs and OBs). OBs were significantly more likely than either CNMs (91% vs. 46%, p=0.001) or FPs (91% vs. 73%, p=0.03) to report collecting specimens from both the vagina and rectum. FPs were less likely to respond that they would follow all five recommended indications than either OBs (69% vs. 89%, p=0.004) or CNMs (69% vs. 84%, p=0.04).

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**Editorial Note:** Perinatal GBS disease is largely preventable through targeted use of intrapartum antibiotic prophylaxis (2). Since the release of the 1996 consensus prevention guidelines, the incidence of perinatal GBS disease has declined in the United States (5). Prenatal-care providers play a critical role in preventing GBS disease. The findings in this report suggest that most prenatal-care providers in Connecticut and Minnesota have adopted one of the two GBS disease prevention strategies recom-

TABLE 2. Number and percentage of prenatal-care providers with group B streptococcal (GBS) disease prevention policies, by type of policy and provider specialty — Minnesota, 1998

	Gynec	ricians/ ologists 127)	Certified midw (n=1	/ives	Fam physio (n=2	ians
Policy	No.	(%)	No.	(%)	No.	(%)
Policies at the practice level						
Written policy	63	(50)	57	(55)	79	(40)
Any GBS disease						
prevention policy*	120	(94)	93	(89)	135	(68)
No policy*	7	(6)	11	(11)	56	(28)
Not reported	0	_	0	_	9	(4)
GBS disease prevention strategy						
used by individual physicians						
Screening-based <sup>†</sup>	46	(36)	13	(12)	84	(42)
Risk-based <sup>†</sup>	74	(58)	75	(72)	87	(44)
Other	6	(5)	10	(10)	12	(6)
None/Unknown	1	(1)	6	(6)	17	(8)
Antibiotic for						
intrapartum prophylaxis						
Penicillin*	91	(72)	72	(69)	81	(40)
Ampicillin*	35	(28)	28	(27)	112	(56)
Other	0	_	1	(1)	2	(1)
Not reported	1	(1)	3	(3)	5	(2)

<sup>\*</sup>p<0.001 for comparison of family physicians with obstetricians/gynecologists and family physicians with certified nurse midwives.

<sup>†</sup> p=0.09 for comparison of family physicians with obstetricians/gynecologists and p<0.001 for comparison of family physicians with certified nurse midwives.

mended in the consensus guidelines and that strategy choice may vary by state and provider type. Pregnant women should discuss GBS disease prevention with their prenatal-care providers to optimize GBS disease prevention opportunities.

In Minnesota, FPs providing prenatal care were less likely than OBs or CNMs to report that their practices have a GBS disease prevention policy and to report following all the guidelines within either the risk-based or screening-based strategy. These findings suggest that additional efforts are needed to inform FPs in Minnesota about GBS disease prevention recommendations. FPs also were less likely to use penicillin, the recommended intrapartum antibiotic. Although ampicillin is an acceptable alternative (2), penicillin is preferred because it has a narrower spectrum of activity and is therefore less likely to promote antimicrobial resistance. This study was conducted before the recent shortage of penicillin G for intravenous administration. A new supplier has been identified, and penicillin G should be more available for intrapartum prophylaxis (6).

In 1997, hospital obstetric departments were surveyed in both Connecticut and Minnesota about perinatal GBS disease prevention policies (7). In both states, the percentage of OBs providing prenatal care who reported adopting a perinatal GBS disease prevention policy was higher than the percentage of hospitals with a policy. Hospitals may leave decisions about GBS disease prevention activities to prenatal-care providers. Efforts to expand perinatal GBS disease prevention activities should be directed at both hospitals and prenatal-care providers (8).

Although the surveys presented in this report were not designed to measure provider practices, the results suggest that prenatal-care providers are aware of the recommendations outlined in the consensus guidelines. The screening-based strategy relies on appropriate and accurate specimen collection by prenatal-care providers. Most providers in Connecticut and in Minnesota using the screening-based strategy reported collecting specimens from both the vagina and rectum. Collection site is important because vaginal/rectal specimens improve group B *Streptococcus* isolation rates by 40% over vaginal specimens alone (9,10). At least 80% of prenatal-care providers using the screening-based strategy in both states also reported collecting specimens at appropriate times. The risk-based strategy depends on prenatal-care providers identifying and administering prophylaxis to women at increased risk for delivering an affected infant. In Minnesota, 80% of prenatal-care providers using the risk-based strategy reported following the recommended indications for intrapartum antibiotic prophylaxis.

The findings in this report are subject to at least two limitations. First, because the surveys were conducted in only two states, the results might not be generalizable to other states. Second, the surveys measured only the reported practices of prenatal-care providers and not the services actually rendered.

GBS disease prevention guidelines and order forms for other information for prenatal-care providers and patients are available on the World-Wide Web at http://www.cdc.gov/ncidod/dbmd/gbs or from CDC's National Center for Infectious Diseases, Division of Bacterial and Mycotic Diseases, Respiratory Diseases Branch, Mailstop C-23, 1600 Clifton Road, N.E., Atlanta, GA 30333.

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# National Public Health Week — April 3-9, 2000

"Healthy People in Healthy Communities" is the focus of this year's National Public Health Week, April 3–9, 2000. U.S. residents are living 30 years longer than they did in 1900; at least 25 years are attributable to advances in public health (1). Among the most notable achievements are control of infectious diseases; fewer deaths from heart disease and stroke; healthier mothers and babies; family planning; higher rates of vaccination; safer foods, motor vehicles, and workplaces; fluoridated water; and recognizing tobacco as a health hazard. As part of public health week, the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services and the Surgeon General will release *Healthy People 2010*, health promotion and disease prevention objectives for the next decade. Additional information on National Public Health Week is available from the American Public Health Association, telephone (202) 777-2434, World-Wide Web site at http://www.apha.org\*; or from the CDC Office of Communications, telephone (404) 639-3286, World-Wide Web site at http://www.cdc.gov. *Healthy People 2010* is available at http://www.health.gov/healthypeople.

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## Availability of Work-Related Lung Disease Surveillance Report, 1999

CDC's National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health (NIOSH) has released the Work-Related Lung Disease (WoRLD) Surveillance Report for 1999 (1). This report is the fifth in a series of WoRLD reports presenting summary tables and figures concerning various occupationally relevant respiratory diseases, including pneumoconioses, occupational asthma, other airway diseases, and other respiratory conditions. The report has three major sections: 1) summary highlights and limitations; 2) disease-specific tables and figures; and 3) appendices describing data sources, methods, and supplementary information.

The WoRLD report presents national and state summary statistics such as counts, crude and age-adjusted mortality rates, and years of potential life lost to age 65 years and to life expectancy; U.S. maps showing the geographic distribution of mortality by state; and tables and figures summarizing selected occupational exposure data for asbestos, coal and coal mine dust, silica dust, cotton dust, and other substances. Proportionate mortality ratios by industry and occupation are based on the most recent decade of data from a subset of states for which usual industry and occupation have been coded for decedents. Also included are tables summarizing silicosis and asthma surveillance data collected by states funded by the Sentinel Event Notification Systems for Occupational Risks Program.

The 1999 WoRLD Surveillance Report is available from Surveillance Branch, Division of Respiratory Disease Studies, NIOSH, CDC, 1095 Willowdale Road, Morgantown, WV 26505-2888; fax (304) 285-6111; or e-mail WoRLD@cdc.gov.

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### **Satellite Broadcast on HIV Prevention**

"HIV Prevention with Incarcerated Persons," a satellite broadcast, is scheduled for Thursday, April 27, 2000, at 1–3 p.m. eastern time. Co-sponsors are CDC and the Public Health Training Network. This forum will focus on activities and resources for human immunodeficiency virus (HIV) infection prevention within correctional facilities. Viewers will hear about CDC activities and programs throughout the country.

This broadcast is designed for organizations and persons involved in providing health care and HIV prevention for incarcerated persons and their partners. This audience includes administrators and other staff in correctional facilities, public health programs,

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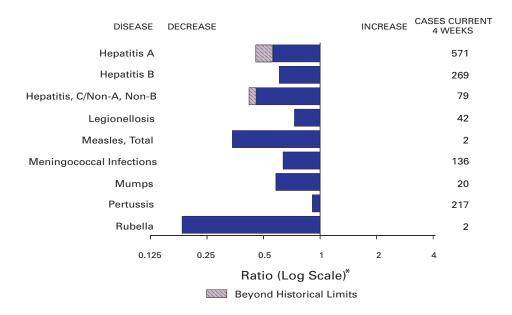
community-based organizations, legislative staffs, and managed care. Speakers will discuss why incarceration is a critical opportunity for HIV prevention, benefits of HIV prevention for correctional programs and public health, specific programs in HIV prevention at correctional facilities, and resources and technical assistance for corrections and public health. Viewers can fax questions and comments before and during the satellite broadcast.

Additional information for organizations and potential viewers is available through the World-Wide Web site for this broadcast, http://www.cdcnpin.org/broadcast, and CDC's Fax Information System, telephone (888) 232-3299 ([888] CDC-FAXX), by entering document number 130026 and a return fax number. Organizations setting up viewing sites can register online or by fax as early as possible so that potential viewers may access information about viewing locations when visiting the web site or calling the information line.

## Erratum: Vol. 49, No. 10

In the article "Hantavirus Pulmonary Syndrome—Panama, 1999–2000," on page 205, the year given in the first sentence of the second paragraph was incorrect. The sentence should read: "In mid-January 2000...."

FIGURE I. Selected notifiable disease reports, comparison of provisional 4-week totals ending March 18, 2000, with historical data — United States



<sup>\*</sup>Ratio of current 4-week total to mean of 15 4-week totals (from previous, comparable, and subsequent 4-week periods for the past 5 years). The point where the hatched area begins is based on the mean and two standard deviations of these 4-week totals.

TABLE I. Summary — provisional cases of selected notifiable diseases, United States, cumulative, week ending March 18, 2000 (11th Week)

		Cum. 2000		Cum. 2000
Anthrax		-	HIV infection, pediatric*§	34
Brucellosis*		4	Plaque	2
Cholera		1	Poliomyelitis, paralytic	- I
	bella syndrome	1 1	Psittacosis*	4
Cyclosporiasis		2	Rabies, human	
Diphtheria		1 -	Rocky Mountain spotted fever (RMSF)	24
	California* serogroup viral	1 1	Streptococcal disease, invasive Group A	606
	eastern equine*	1 :	Streptococcal toxic-shock syndrome*	30
	St. Louis*	1 -	Syphilis, congenital <sup>¶</sup>	1
	western equine*	-	Tetanus	2
Ehrlichiosis	human granulocytic (HGE)*	14	Toxic-shock syndrome	29
	human monocytic (HME)*	1 1	Trichinosis	1 1
Hansen Disea		8	Typhoid fever	59
Hantavirus pu	ulmonary syndrome*†.		Yellowfever	1
	emic syndrome, post-diarrheal*	14		

<sup>-:</sup> no reported cases

\*Not notifiable in all states.

\*Updated weekly from reports to the Division of Viral and Rickettsial Diseases, National Center for Infectious Diseases (NCID).

\*Updated monthly from reports to the Division of HIV/AIDS Prevention–Surveillance and Epidemiology, National Center for HIV,

\*STD, and TB Prevention (NCHSTP), last update February 27, 2000.

\*Updated from reports to the Division of STD Prevention, NCHSTP.

TABLE II. Provisional cases of selected notifiable diseases, United States, weeks ending March 18, 2000, and March 20, 1999 (11th Week)

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	AID Cum.	S Cum.	Chlam Cum.	nydia <sup>§</sup> Cum.	Cryptosp Cum.	oridiosis Cum.	NET Cum.	SS Cum.	PHI Cum.	LIS Cum.
Reporting Area	2000†	1999	2000	1999	2000	1999	2000	1999	2000	1999
UNITED STATES NEW ENGLAND	6,288 511	6,945 352	99,460 4,261	140,011 4,378	220 10	285 14	271 21	240 38	154 22	194 34
Maine N.H.	6	5 13	247 216	146 224	2	1 1	2 4	2 2	2 4	- 2
Vt. Mass.	1 370	4 238	118	91	5 1	1	1	3	2	-
R.I.	17	20	1,657 477	1,889 459	2	8	6	18 1	6	16 1
Conn. MID. ATLANTIC	112 1.592	72 1,492	1,546 4,032	1,569 16,434	- 19	3 56	8 25	12 13	8 37	15 2
Upstate N.Y. N.Y. City	65 986	76 835	N	7,966	12 4	20 28	25	9 1	31	1
N.J. Pa.	387	370 211	668 3,364	2,715	3	3 5	N.	3 N	1 5	1
E.N. CENTRAL	154 590	489	18,024	5,753 21,933	30	53	37	45	8	28
Ohio Ind.	92 56	97 52	4,569 2,256	7,041 2.414	13 3	7 3	10 5	20 9	3 1	9 7
III. Mich.	353 67	231 81	5,061 4,629	5,814 4,226	- 6	6 8	11 10	8 8	2	5 4
Wis.	22	28	1,509	2,438	8	29	Ň	Ň	2	3
W.N. CENTRAL Minn.	151 32	161 28	5,138 1,238	8,986 1,659	16 4	21 10	66 16	52 11	29 10	53 12
lowa Mo.	10 70	13 84	605 902	481 4,142	2	1 4	11 31	5 4	4	2
N. Dak. S. Dak.	2	3	371	195 451	1	2	2	2	1	1
Nebr. Kans.	7 30	10 20	667 1,355	807 1,251	2	2 2	2	16 14	2 2	34
S. ATLANTIC	1,531	1,832	18,454	29,119	37	43	24	22	15	12
Del. Md.	26 153	31 252	607 1,303	653 2,802	3	4	- 5	1 1	- 1	-
D.C. Va.	112 115	69 102	628 2,968	N 3,375	- 1	3	- 5	- 6	U 5	U 2
W. Va. N.C.	6 75	14 125	400 4,000	465 4,750	3	- 1	2	5	1	1 4
S.C. Ga.	156 183	128 207	669 3.442	4,813 5,943	22	30	2	1	3	1 U
Fla.	705	904	4,437	6,318	8	5	4	7	4	4
E.S. CENTRAL Ky.	281 37	300 37	9,702 1,683	9,728 1,655	7	3 1	13 5	18 5	8	11 4
Ténn. Ala.	105 92	130 69	2,956 2,810	2,919 3,051	1 6	1 1	5 1	7 3	5	3
Miss.	47	64	2,253	2,103	-	-	2	3	-	1
W.S. CENTRAL Ark.	542 20	980 34	17,098 939	18,034 1,241	7 1	15 -	10 4	7 2	12 1	12 2
La. Okla.	92 16	67 19	3,442 1,517	2,037 1,737	1	12 1	3	3 1	7 3	2 1
Tex. MOUNTAIN	414 213	860 207	11,200 4,416	13,019	5 16	2 23	3 28	1 14	1 9	7 11
Mont.	3	3	4,416	7,238 225 399	1	1	8 4	-	-	-
ldaho Wyo.	3 1	5 -	168	164	1	2	2	1	2	2 1
Colo. N. Mex.	52 26	56 9	747 416	1,651 933	4	3 10	8	4 1	3	1
Ariz. Utah	56 28	86 27	1,930 468	2,836 370	2 6	7 N	3 2	3 5	3 1	1 5
Nev.	44	21	623	660	-	-	1	-	-	1
PACIFIC Wash.	877 102 22	1,132 58 32	18,335 2,670	24,161 2,573	78 N 1	57 N 3	47 5	31 3	14 7	31 12
Oreg. Calif.	727	1,021	1,005 13,531	1,263 19,221	77	54	5 34	12 16	4	10 9
Alaska Hawaii	26	5 16	496 633	424 680	-	-	3	-	3	-
Guam P.R.	9 153	1 215	- 142	98 U	-	-	N	N 1	U U	U U
V.I. Amer. Samoa	6	3		Ü	-	U U	-	ΰ	Ü	Ü
C.N.M.I.	-	-	-	Ü	-	Ü		Ü	Ü	Ü

N: Not notifiable U: Unavailable : no reported cases C.N.M.L: Commonwealth of Northern Mariana Islands
\* Individual cases may be reported through both the National Electronic Telecommunications System for Surveillance (NETSS) and the Public
Health Laboratory Information System (PHLIS).
\* Updated monthly from reports to the Division of HIV/AIDS Prevention—Surveillance and Epidemiology, National Center for HIV, STD, and
TB Prevention, last update February 27, 2000.
\* Chlamydia refers to genital infections caused by C. trachomatis. Totals reported to the Division of STD Prevention, NCHSTP.

TABLE II. (Cont'd) Provisional cases of selected notifiable diseases, United States, weeks ending March 18, 2000, and March 20, 1999 (11th Week)

-	Gono	rrhea	Hep C/N	oatitis IA,NB	Legio	nellosis		me ease
Reporting Area	Cum. 2000	Cum. 1999	Cum. 2000	Cum. 1999	Cum. 2000	Cum. 1999	Cum. 2000	Cum. 1999
UNITED STATES	52,130	76,133	413	739	124	189	593	915
NEW ENGLAND Maine N.H. Vt. Mass. R.I. Conn.	1,253 15 19 10 463 111 635	1,545 10 18 13 604 115 785	- - - - -	2 - - 1 1 - -	9 2 2 - 3 - 2	12 2 1 3 3 1 2	87 - 15 - 44 - 28	225 1 - - 95 2 127
MID. ATLANTIC Upstate N.Y. N.Y. City N.J. Pa.	3,100 1,077 - 321 1,702	9,231 1,163 3,825 1,588 2,655	10 10 - -	30 18 - - 12	20 11 - - 9	52 12 8 5 27	396 176 2 - 218	490 112 16 114 248
E.N. CENTRAL Ohio Ind. III. Mich. Wis.	11,282 2,656 1,036 3,281 3,377 932	13,113 3,504 1,450 4,183 2,934 1,042	57 - - 3 54 -	393 - - 7 109 277	31 17 5 1 7	58 15 4 10 17 12	4 - - - U	33 9 1 2 1 20
W.N. CENTRAL Minn. Iowa Mo. N. Dak. S. Dak. Nebr. Kans.	1,797 484 133 367 54 211 548	4,227 608 179 2,520 14 35 388 483	53 - - 48 - - 1 4	45 - - 40 - - 1 4	7 1 2 4 - - -	7 3 2 - 1 1	22 6 - 5 - - 11	13 2 2 3 1 - - 5
S. ATLANTIC Del. Md. D.C. Va. W. Va. N.C. S.C. Ga. Fla.	13,155 321 604 503 1,870 105 3,625 574 2,345 3,208	22,429 376 3,251 1,522 2,259 130 4,201 2,264 3,948 4,478	19 - 2 - 1 7 - 9	46 19 - 6 4 10 6	28 2 8 - 3 N 3 2	23 2 4 N 4 4 5	61 1 44 - 5 4 4 - - 3	107 5 85 1 - 1 13 1 - 1
E.S. CENTRAL Ky. Tenn. Ala. Miss.	7,026 682 2,286 2,244 1,814	7,712 792 2,367 2,785 1,768	83 9 20 3 51	47 5 22 1 19	3 1 1 1	11 5 5 1	- - - -	12 - 4 5 3
W.S. CENTRAL Ark. La. Okla. Tex.	9,119 486 2,558 697 5,378	10,372 585 2,158 905 6,724	94 3 36 - 55	83 3 61 2 17	- - - -	1 - 1 -	-	- - - -
MOUNTAIN Mont. Idaho Wyo. Colo. N. Mex. Ariz. Utah Nev.	1,829 - 4 17 775 77 646 69 241	2,083 4 25 8 454 187 1,076 40 289	58 - - 42 8 4 4 -	58 4 4 21 8 7 11 1	9 - 1 1 4 - - 3	12 - - 1 1 1 5 4	1 - - - - 1 -	2 - - 1 - 1 -
PACIFIC Wash. Oreg. Calif. Alaska Hawaii	3,569 492 110 2,828 62 77	5,421 456 200 4,569 80 116	39 4 8 27	35 2 4 29	17 5 N 12 -	13 2 N 11 -	22 - 1 21 - N	33 - 1 32 - N
Guam P.R. V.I. Amer. Samoa C.N.M.I.	30 - - -	16 67 U U U	1 - - -	- U U U	- - - -	- U U U	N - -	N U U U

N: Not notifiable

U: Unavailable

-: no reported cases

TABLE II. (Cont'd) Provisional cases of selected notifiable diseases, United States, weeks ending March 11, 2000, and March 20, 1999 (11th Week)

		<u>. J</u>	, ,			Salmon	ellosis*		
		laria		s, Animal		TSS	PHLIS		
Reporting Area	Cum. 2000	Cum. 1999	Cum. 2000	Cum. 1999	Cum. 2000	Cum. 1999	Cum. 2000	Cum. 1999	
UNITED STATES	138	250	759	1,037	4,127	5,083	2,464	4,671	
NEW ENGLAND Maine N.H. Vt. Mass. R.I.	1 1 - -	4 - - 4 -	93 17 2 6 31	156 23 14 30 37 15	275 29 20 12 159 6	280 26 9 11 164 13	242 12 15 4 149 12	300 16 11 13 159 28	
Conn. MID. ATLANTIC Upstate N.Y. N.Y. City N.J. Pa.	14 9 2 - 3	81 18 35 21 7	37 165 131 U 22 12	37 210 130 U 47 33	49 338 109 129 - 100	57 768 144 244 198 182	50 540 124 194 51 171	73 572 175 229 163 5	
E.N. CENTRAL Ohio Ind. III. Mich. Wis.	11 2 1 2 6	24 2 4 10 5 3	8 2 - - 6	1 - - - 1	550 162 61 179 98 50	790 173 44 243 190 140	249 70 46 1 88 44	679 132 50 243 174 80	
W.N. CENTRAL Minn. Iowa Mo. N. Dak. S. Dak. Nebr. Kans.	6 4 - - 1 1	10 - 2 6 - - - 2	72 22 8 2 9 18 - 13	156 18 20 5 28 35 1	221 42 25 76 2 11 27 38	294 80 37 65 2 8 26 76	184 48 19 64 10 13 7 23	320 110 32 96 11 17 24 30	
S. ATLANTIC Del. Md. D.C. Va. W. Va. N.C. S.C. Ga. Fla.	40  19  12  4  5	57 20 6 9 1 4 - 6	321 10 71 - 81 22 64 23 28 22	357 7 88 - 83 15 79 24 33 28	796 10 134 81 22 159 76 124 190	916 17 107 20 106 17 194 56 183 216	437 7 103 U 66 14 69 41 137	838 18 112 U 104 20 171 58 245 110	
E.S. CENTRAL Ky. Tenn. Ala. Miss.	6 2 - 4	5 1 2 2	32 5 23 4	53 17 19 17	221 41 56 83 41	315 67 85 93 70	99 19 54 23 3	191 41 82 55 13	
W.S. CENTRAL Ark. La. Okla. Tex.	1 - 1 -	9 1 6 1	8 - - 8	24 - - 24 -	239 43 26 28 142	366 54 57 43 212	244 22 72 18 132	489 44 69 29 347	
MOUNTAIN Mont. Idaho Wyo. Colo. N. Mex. Ariz. Utah Nev.	12 1 - 6 - 2 2 1	10 1 1 - 3 1 3 1	31 9 - 16 - 2 4 -	27 12 - 7 1 - 7	416 18 24 6 93 41 135 63 36	365 4 14 3 105 50 113 43 33	270 - - 3 82 28 108 49	360 1 19 6 112 45 103 49 25	
PACIFIC Wash. Oreg. Calif. Alaska Hawaii	47 2 5 39 - 1	50 3 7 36 - 4	29 - - 22 7 -	53 - - 50 3 -	1,071 53 52 908 12 46	989 57 72 790 7 63	199 99 58 - 8 34	922 136 98 623 5 60	
Guam P.R. V.I. Amer. Samoa C.N.M.I.	- - - -	- U U U	- 6 - -	14 U U U	10 - - -	14 61 U U U	U U U U	U U U U	

N: Not notifiable U: Unavailable -: no reported cases
\*Individual cases may be reported through both the National Electronic Telecommunications System for Surveillance (NETSS) and the Public Health Laboratory Information System (PHLIS).

TABLE II. (Cont'd) Provisional cases of selected notifiable diseases, United States, weeks ending March 18, 2000, and March 20, 1999 (11th Week)

	eeks enu	Shigel		ou, and iv	1	<u>1999 (11tl</u> philis	i vveek)	
Ŀ	NETS	SS	P	HLIS	(Primary 8	Secondary)		culosis
Reporting Area	Cum. 2000	Cum. 1999	Cum. 2000	Cum. 1999	Cum. 2000	Cum. 1999	Cum. 2000	Cum. 1999†
UNITED STATES	2,506	2,562	1,015	1,396	1,106	1,391	1,569	2,501
NEW ENGLAND	60	64	43	61	14	13	47	72
Maine N.H.	2 1	1 4	1	5	-	-	- 1	3
Vt. Mass.	1 41	3 42	- 31	3 38	- 12	1 8	- 35	35
R.I.	7	9	4	7	1	1	2	15
Conn.	8	5	7	8	1	3	9	19
MID. ATLANTIC Upstate N.Y.	122 70	212 39	138 31	128 19	22 1	61 7	312 20	432 35
N.Y. City N.J.	39	71 67	60 15	57 52	6 4	22 14	187 <i>7</i> 9	222 101
Pa.	13	35	32	- 52	11	18	26	74
.N. CENTRAL	380	457	119	210	244	210	179	249
Ohio nd.	26 60	159 18	4 9	16 8	13 92	18 56	34 15	64 23
II.	115	171	2	159	68	103	111	113
Mich. Wis.	170 9	52 57	99 5	13 14	56 15	26 7	13 6	37 12
W.N. CENTRAL	173	130	92	116	16	59	83	83
Minn. owa	42 25	19 2	38 21	22 3	2 6	5 2	31 7	33
Mo. V. Dak.	85	81 1	25	79 1	5	48	34	38 1
S. Dak.	1	-	-	i	-	-	3	3
Vebr. Kans.	14 6	9 18	4 4	4 6	2 1	1 3	2 6	1 7
S. ATLANTIC	293	394	66	105	343	511	253	382
Del. Md.	1 24	5 24	- 8	1 5	2 64	1 111	38	4 44
D.C.	-	19	Ū	Ú	15	33	-	10
/a. V. Va.	12 1	16 3	12 1	5 1	25 1	34 1	8	17 7
N.C. S.C.	18 3	53 24	5 1	33 10	111 11	120 47	43 18	60 75
Ga.	25	42	18	17	59	94	99	74
Fla. E.S. CENTRAL	209 121	208 292	21 70	33 176	55 188	70 244	47 109	91 133
<y.< td=""><td>28</td><td>27</td><td>16</td><td>20</td><td>18</td><td>26</td><td>-</td><td>15</td></y.<>	28	27	16	20	18	26	-	15
Геnn. Ala.	58 9	214 28	51 1	145 11	123 24	122 59	48 61	42 59
Miss.	26	23	2	-	23	37	-	17
W.S. CENTRAL Ark.	238 45	401 30	192 3	456 20	167 12	202 20	27 20	406 14
_a.	19	30	34	26	45	29	-	U
Okla. Fex.	9 165	111 230	4 151	26 384	36 74	51 102	7	20 372
MOUNTAIN	210	156	63	87	36	32	67	64
Иont. daho	22	3 2	-	2	-	-	-	-
Nyo.	1	2	1	1	-	-	-	
Colo. N. Mex.	29 25	31 18	15 13	20 12	3 3	-	6 15	U 11
Ariz. Jtah	79 5	83 11	28 6	38 12	28	32	22 7	27 11
Nev.	49	6	-	2	2	-	17	15
PACIFIC	909	456	232	57	76	59	492	680
Wash. Oreg.	162 75	13 12	182 43	27 15	11 2	5 1	35 -	29 19
Calif. Alaska	660 2	419	1		63	51 1	428 12	590 8
Hawaii	10	12	6	15	-	i	17	34
Guam	:	3	U	U	-	-	-	-
P.R. V.I.	1 -	7 U	U U	U U	20	52 U	-	Ū
Amer. Samoa C.N.M.I.	-	U U	U	U	-	U	-	U

N: Not notifiable

V: Unavailable

V: In reported cases

\*Individual cases may be reported through both the National Electronic Telecommunications System for Surveillance (NETSS) and the Public Health Laboratory Information System (PHLIS).

\*Cumulative reports of provisional tuberculosis cases for 1999 are unavailable ("U") for some areas using the Tuberculosis Information System (TIMS).

TABLE III. Provisional cases of selected notifiable diseases preventable by vaccination, United States, weeks ending March 18, 2000, and March 20, 1999 (11th Week)

and March 20, 1999 (11th Week)													
	H. influ		H	lepatitis (Vi	iral), by typ	ре			Meas	les (Rubeo	la)		
	inva		Α		В		Indige		Impo		Total		
Reporting Area	Cum. 2000†	Cum. 1999	Cum. 2000	Cum. 1999	Cum. 2000	Cum. 1999	2000	Cum. 2000	2000	Cum. 2000	Cum. 2000	Cum. 1999	
UNITED STATES	244	267	2,337	3,786	895	1,200	-	3	-	-	3	21	
NEW ENGLAND	20	18	44	42	11	39	-	-	-	-	-	1	
Maine N.H.	1 3	2	1 7	2 5	1 6	2	-	-	-	-	-	- 1	
Vt.	2	3	2	-	2	1	-	-	-	-	-	- :	
Mass. R.I.	11	10	11	17 -	2	21 2		-	-	-	-	-	
Conn.	3	1	23	18	-	13	-	-	-	-	-	-	
MID. ATLANTIC	33 17	42 19	97 51	245 56	78 21	178 31	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Upstate N.Y. N.Y. City	5	10	46	90 77	57	54		-	-	-	-	-	
N.J. Pa.	10 1	12 1	-	34 78	-	24 69	-	-	-	-	-	-	
E.N. CENTRAL	31	37	287	848	113	118	-	3	-	-	3	-	
Ohio	16	15	90	170	24	22		2		-	2	-	
Ind. III.	3 9	3 16	5 75	17 166	5	4	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Mich.	3	3	111	477	84	85	-	1	-	-	1	-	
Wis.	-	-	6	18	-	7	-	-	-	-	-	-	
W.N. CENTRAL Minn.	12 5	17 5	247 21	190 6	50 3	59 4	_		_	-	-	-	
Iowa	-	3	28	28	9	10	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Mo. N. Dak.	3 1	3	135	115	25	32	Ū	-	Ū	-	-	-	
S. Dak.	- 1	1	- 8	2 19	- 5	- 8	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Nebr. Kans.	2	1 4	55	20	8	5	-	-	-	-	-	-	
S. ATLANTIC	62	57	254	278	186	168	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Del. Md.	20	19	33	- 87	26	46	-	-	-	-	-	-	
D.C.	-	2	-	15	-	6	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Va. W. Va.	13 1	7 1	42 22	25 2	28	14	-	-	_	-	-	-	
N.C. S.C.	5 1	9	56 3	36 4	73 2	44 24	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Ga.	17	13	33	86	10	27	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Fla.	5	4	65	23	47	7	U	-	U	-	-	-	
E.S. CENTRAL Ky.	13 7	20 5	78 7	101 18	61 13	98 7	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Tenn.	4	7	21	46	28	46	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Ala. Miss.	2	6 2	14 36	24 13	5 15	25 20	-		-	-	-	-	
W.S. CENTRAL	14	18	362	742	37	155	_	-	_	_	-	2	
Ark. La.	2	6	40 8	8 37	11 17	12 45	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Okla.	12	10	71	127	9	29				-	-	-	
Tex.	-	2	243	570	-	69	-	-	-	-	-	2	
MOUNTAIN Mont.	36	34 1	167 1	367 4	79 3	99 1	-	-	-	-	-	-	
ldaho	2	1	8	9	4	4	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Wyo. Colo.	10	1 1	5 38	1 69	20	1 22	-	-	-	-	-	-	
N. Mex.	10 12	9 18	20 68	7 224	17 28	30	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Ariz. Utah	2	3	13	16	3	21 7	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Nev.	-	-	14	37	4	13	-	-	-	-	-	-	
PACIFIC Wash.	23 2	24	801 40	973 61	280 7	286 5	-	-	-	-	-	18 3	
Oreg.	7	8	49	58	19	22	-	-	-	-	-	8 7	
Calif. Alaska	4 1	14 2	709 3	849 3	250 3	249 6	-	-	-	-	-	7	
Hawaii	9	-	-	2	1	4	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Guam	-	-	-	2	-	2	Ų	-	Ų	-	-	-	
P.R. V.I.	-	Ū	15 -	17 U	8	25 U	U U	-	U U	-	-	Ū	
Amer. Samoa C.N.M.I.	-	U U	-	U U	-	U U	U U	-	U	-	-	U U	

N: Not notifiable U: Unavailable -: no reported cases
\*For imported measles, cases include only those resulting from importation from other countries.
'Of 61 cases among children aged <5 years, serotype was reported for 26 and of those, 5 were type b.

TABLE III. (Cont'd) Provisional cases of selected notifiable diseases preventable by vaccination, United States, weeks ending March 18, 2000, and March 20, 1999 (11th Week)

			na ivia	rcn Zu,	1999	Tith	/vеек)					
	Mening Dise	ococcal ease		Mumps			Pertussis		Rubella			
Reporting Area	Cum. 2000	Cum. 1999	2000	Cum. 2000	Cum. 1999	2000	Cum. 2000	Cum. 1999	2000	Cum. 2000	Cum. 1999	
UNITED STATES	528	601	9	84	88	49	758	1,086	-	5	8	
NEW ENGLAND	28	33	1	1	3	9	190	118	-	1	2	
Maine N.H.	3	3 3	-	-	1	- 7	7 42	18	-	1	-	
Vt.	1	2	-	-	-	2	45	9	-	-	-	
Mass. R.I.	18	22 2	1	1	2	-	86 6	85 2	_	-	2	
Conn.	6	1		-	-	-	4	4	-	-	-	
MID. ATLANTIC	39	61	1	5	13	7	66	137	-	2	-	
Upstate N.Y. N.Y. City	9 10	9 22	1 -	3	2	7	45	95 10	-	2	_	
N.J.	10	14	-	-	-	-	-	3	-	-	-	
Pa.	10	16		2	8		21	29	-	-	-	
E.N. CENTRAL Ohio	77 18	94 35	2	11 3	10 3	3	140 108	135 <i>7</i> 9	-	-	-	
Ind.	17	6	-	-	-	-	8	8	-	-	-	
III. Mich.	18 20	34 10	2	3 5	3 4	3	8 6	20 14	_	-	_	
Wis.	4	9	-	-	-	-	10	14	-	-	-	
W.N. CENTRAL	52	78	-	10	2	2	27	32	-	2	-	
Minn. Iowa	3 9	18 13	-	3	2	-	9 7	6	-	-	-	
Mo.	35	27		1	-		3	7		-	-	
N. Dak. S. Dak.	1 2	5	U	-	-	U	1 1	1	U	-		
Nebr.	1	3	-	4	-	2	2	1	-	-	-	
Kans.	1	12	-	2	-	-	4	17	-	2	-	
S. ATLANTIC Del.	93	80 1	1 -	10 -	12	8 -	53 1	61	-	-	1	
Md.	9	16 1	1	3	3 1	-	14	23	-	-	1	
D.C. Va.	16	10	-	1	2	-	3	7		-	-	
W. Va. N.C.	2 17	1 13	-	2	- 1	-	15	21	-	-	-	
S.C.	6	15	-	4	2	1	11	5	-	-	_	
Ga. Fla.	18 25	14 9	Ū	-	3	7 U	9	4 1	Ū	-	-	
E.S. CENTRAL	33	51	-	1	1	1	19	24	-		_	
Ky.	8	10	-	-	-	-	12	5	-	-	-	
Tenn. Ala.	14 10	16 15	-	1	1	- 1	1 6	12 6	_	-	-	
Miss.	1	10	-		-	-	-	ī	-	-	-	
W.S. CENTRAL	23	55	-	-	12	-	3	30	-	-	4	
Ark. La.	3 12	12 29	-	-	2	-	3	2 2	-	-	_	
Okla. Tex.	8	11 3	-	-	1 9	-	-	3 23	-	-	4	
iex. MOUNTAIN	-	54	-		9 7	-	182	23 181	-	-	1	
Mont.	35 1	54	-	3	-	12	182	181	-	-	- 1	
daho	4	6	-	-	-	3	31	74 1	-	-	-	
Nyo. Colo.	8	2 16		-	2	4	96	37	-	-	-	
N. Mex. Ariz.	4 11	7 18	-	1	N	2 3	31 17	9 39	-	-	-	
Utah	6	3		-	4	-	4	18	-	-	1	
Nev.	1	2	-	2	1	-	2	2	-	-	-	
PACIFIC Wash.	148 10	95 14	4	43 2	28	7 7	78 27	368 129	-	-	-	
Oreg.	13	23	N	N	N	-	16	3	-	-	-	
Calif. Alaska	122 1	50 4	4	40	23 1	-	32 2	224 1	-	-	-	
Hawaii	2	4	-	1	4	-	1	11	-	-	-	
Guam	-	-	U	-	1	U	-	-	U	-	-	
P.R. V.I.	-	2 U	U	-	Ū	U	-	Ū	U U	-	Ū	
Amer. Samoa	-	U	U	-	U	U	-	U	Ü	-	U	
C.N.M.I.	-	U	U	-	U	U	-	U	U	-	U	

C.N.M.I.

N: Not notifiable

U: Unavailable

-: no reported cases

TABLE IV. Deaths in 122 U.S. cities,\* week ending March 18, 2000 (11th Week)

All Causes, By Age (Years)  All Causes, By Age (Years)  All Causes, By Age (Years)															
	4	All Cau	ses, By	Age (Ye	ears)	P&I <sup>+</sup>			All Cau	ises, By	Age (Y	ears)	Ш	P&I <sup>†</sup>	
Reporting Area	All Ages	≥65	45-64	25-44	1-24	<1	Total	Reporting Area	All Ages	≥65	45-64	25-44	1-24	<1	Total
NEW ENGLAND Boston, Mass. Bridgeport, Conn Cambridge, Mass Fall River, Mass. Hartford, Conn. Lowell, Mass. Lynn, Mass. New Bedford, Ma New Haven, Conn Providence, R.I. Somerville, Mass. Springfield, Mass. Waterbury, Conn. Worcester, Mass.	. 8 U U 23 16 ss. 25 . 44 U 1	299 91 26 6 U 16 11 22 31 U 13 15 49	69 25 7 2 U U 6 4 3 4 U - 2 3 13	25 13 1 - U U 1 1 - 4 U - - 1 4	8 4 - - - - - 1 U	16 8 - - U U - - - 4 U - 2 - 2	38 14 2 2 U U 3 - 1 7 U - 1 4 4	S. ATLANTIC Atlanta, Ga. Baltimore, Md. Charlotte, N.C. Jacksonville, Fla Miami, Fla. Norfolk, Va. Richmond, Va. Savannah, Ga. St. Petersburg, F Tampa, Fla. Washington, D.d Wilmington, Del E.S. CENTRAL	U 72 53 53 Fla. 71 188 C. 100	645 U 127 56 79 U 43 35 34 60 130 59 22	211 U 49 19 31 U 18 13 9 4 35 26 7	88 U 37 4 12 U 4 3 6 3 12 7	34 U 8 1 4 U 2 2 3 4 7 3 -	28 U 5 4 4 U 5 - 1 - 4 5	85 U 21 11 10 U 4 6 10 6 16 1
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\*Mortality data in this table are voluntarily reported from 122 cities in the United States, most of which have populations of 100,000 or more.

A death is reported by the place of its occurrence and by the week that the death certificate was filed. Fetal deaths are not included.

\*Pneumonia and influenza.

\*Because of changes in reporting methods in this Pennsylvania city, these numbers are partial counts for the current week. Complete counts will be available in 4 to 6 weeks.

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