

Wild Poliovirus Cases @ 20 Feb 2013

Total Cases	Year to date 2013	Year to date 2012	Total in 2012
Globally	2	18	223
Endemic countries	2	17	217
Non Endemic countries	0	1	6

CASE BREAKDOWN BY COUNTRY

Countries	Year-to-date 2013				Year-to-date 2012				Total in 2012	Date of most recent case
	WPV1	WPV3	W1W3	Total	WPV1	WPV3	W1W3	Total		
Pakistan	2			2	10		1	11	58	26-Jan-13
Afghanistan					4			4	37	20-Dec-12
Nigeria					1	1		2	122	22-Dec-12
Chad					1			1	5	14-Jun-12
Niger									1	15-Nov-12
Total	2	0	0	2	16	1	1	18	223	14-Jan-13
Total in endemic countries	2	0	0	2	15	1	1	17	217	
Total outbreak	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	6	

Afghanistan

- No new WPV cases were reported in the past week. The total number of WPV cases for 2012 remains 37. The most recent case had onset of paralysis on 20 December 2012 (WPV1 from Nangarhar).
- Two new cases of cVDPV2 were reported in the past week, bringing the total number of cVDPV2 cases for 2012 to nine, and one for 2013. The most recent cVDPV2 case had onset of paralysis on 22 January 2013 (from Hilmand). This is the first case reported in Afghanistan in 2013.
- SNIDs were held on 10-12 February using trivalent OPV in Helmand and Kandahar and using bivalent OPV elsewhere
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<http://www.polioeradication.org/Dataandmonitoring/Poliothisweek.aspx#sthash.keVhpQj9.dpuf>

Nigeria

- One new WPV case was reported in the past week (WPV1 from Kano), bringing the total number of WPV cases for 2012 to 122. It is the most recent case in the country and had onset of paralysis on 22 December.
- All states with recently-confirmed WPV cases have been covered by at least two large-scale SIAs.
- No new cases of circulating vaccine-derived poliovirus type 2 (cVDPV2) were reported in the past week. The total number of cVDPV2 cases for 2012 remains eight. The most recent cVDPV2 case had onset of paralysis on 24 November 2012 (from Kebbi).
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Pakistan

- No new WPV cases were reported in the past week. The total number of WPV cases for 2013 remains two, and the total number of WPV cases for 2012 remains 58. The most recent WPV case had onset of paralysis on 26 January 2013 (WPV1 from Khyber Pakhtunkhwa – KP).
- No new cVDPV2 cases were reported in the past week. The total number of cVDPV2 cases for 2012 remains 16. The most recent cVDPV2 case had onset of paralysis on 14 December 2012 (from Balochistan).
- Response activities to the latest WPV cases from 2013 were conducted in parts of KP and in areas of Karachi.
- All provinces with recently-confirmed WPV or cVDPV cases have been covered by at least two large-scale SIAs, in response.
- The security situation continues to be monitored closely, in consultation with law enforcement agencies
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Horn of Africa

- One new cVDPV2 case was reported in the past week, from Somalia, with onset of paralysis on 9 January 2013.
- This latest case is linked to a cVDPV2 outbreak ongoing in south-central Somalia since 2011 – nine cases were reported in 2011 and one case in 2012 (July). Additionally, in 2012 this outbreak spread across the border to Kenya, with three cases reported from Dadaab, in North Eastern Province between April and June 2012.
- In late 2012 and January 2013, access to populations is being achieved for the first time in three years in key areas of south-central Somalia, as a result of concerted local-access negotiations. An emergency action plan for south-central Somalia has been developed and is being implemented. At the same time, efforts are on-going to further boost population immunity levels in accessible, polio-free areas of Somalia, as well as in border areas of Kenya.
- However, confirmation of this most recent case underscores that the outbreak is ongoing and more outbreak response must be implemented.
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West Africa

- No new WPV cases were reported in the past week. One WPV case was reported in the region in 2012, a WPV1 from Tahoua province in Niger with onset of paralysis on 15 November 2012. This is the first case in the country since December 2011 and is related to virus originating in Nigeria.
- In Niger, outbreak response immunization activities were conducted 15-18 January, in close coordination with Nigeria, and were followed by NIDs with trivalent OPV on 2-5 February, again synchronized with Nigeria. Vaccinations also focused on reaching mobile populations associated with population movements from Mali, including in refugee camps. OPV continues to be added to broader humanitarian assistance efforts in the region, including in Mali, Mauritania, Burkina Faso and Niger.
- Multi-country campaigns are planned across West Africa in April and May 2013.
- SIAs in Central African Republic (CAR) originally scheduled for 8-10 March using trivalent OPV have been postponed until 22-28 April due to security concerns
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Chad

- No new WPV cases were reported in the past week. The total number of WPV cases for 2012 remains five. The most recent WPV case had onset of paralysis on 14 June 2012 (WPV1 from Lac).
- No new cVDPV2 cases were reported in the past week. The total number of cVDPV2 cases for 2012 remains 12. The most recent cVDPV2 case had onset of paralysis on 20 October 2012 (from Wadi Fira).
- SIAs were conducted on 8-10 February using trivalent OPV.
- The next Technical Advisory Group (TAG) meeting is tentatively scheduled for early April, to review impact of the ongoing emergency action plan.
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Democratic Republic of the Congo (DRC)

- No new WPV cases were reported in the past week. No WPV cases have been reported in 2012. The most recent WPV case had onset of paralysis on 20 December 2011 (WPV1 from Maniema).
- No new cVDPV2 cases were reported in the past week. The total number of cVDPV2 cases for 2012 remains 17. The most recent cVDPV2 case had onset of paralysis on 4 April 2012 (from Katanga).
- SIAs will take place 20-22 June using trivalent OPV and 18-20 July using bivalent OPV.
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