

Highlights of New Wild Poliovirus and cVDPV Positives Reported Globally this Week

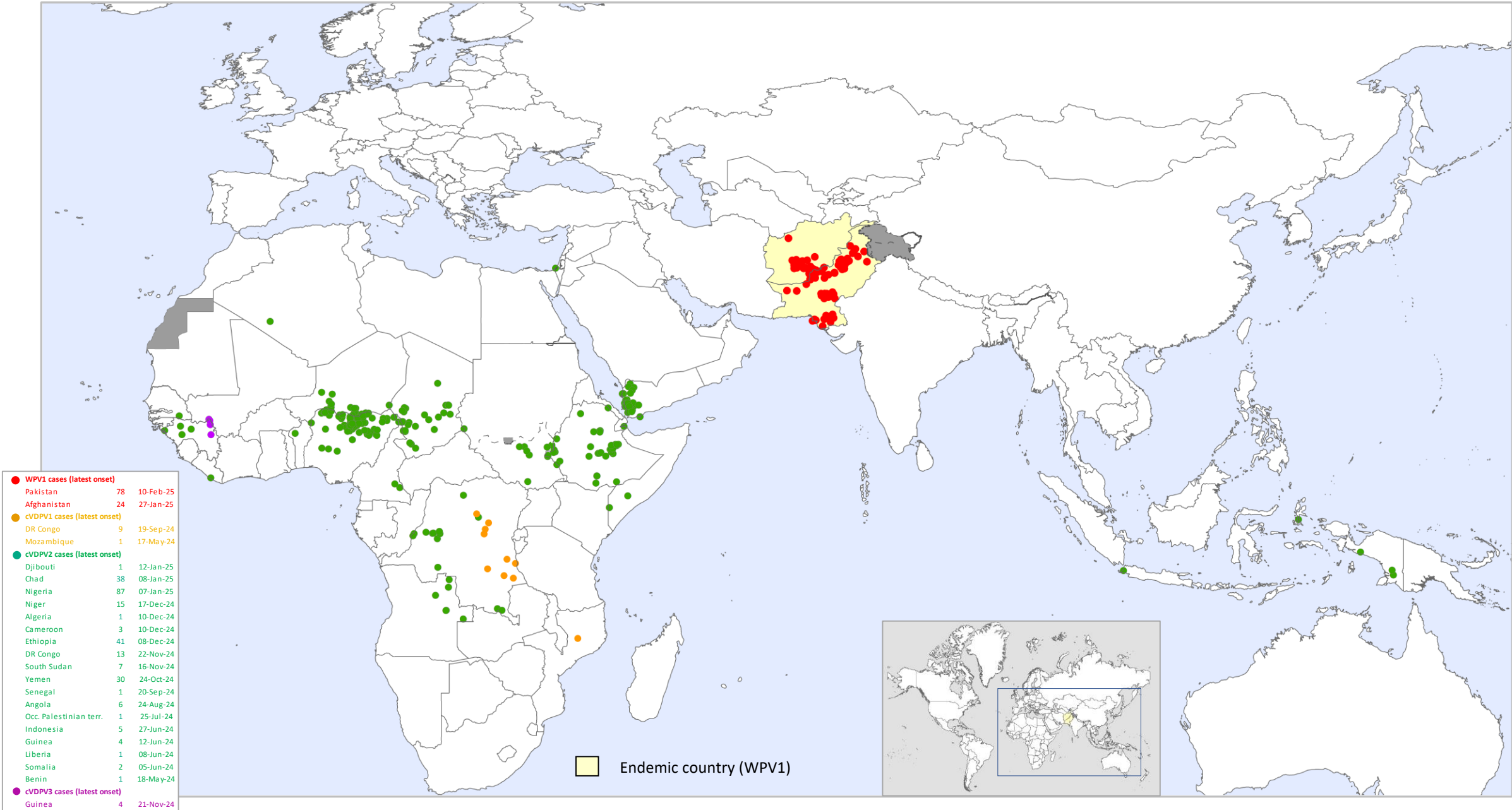
Country	WPV1			cVDPV1			cVDPV2			cVDPV3			Location State/Province/Governorate
	AFP	ENV	other ¹	AFP	ENV	other ¹	AFP	ENV	other ¹	AFP	ENV	other ¹	
PAKISTAN	3	28											SINDH, BALOCHISTAN, PUNJAB, KPAKHTUNKHWA
ALGERIA								2					TAMANGHASSET
CAMEROON							1	1					EXTREME NORD
CHAD							4	3					N'DJAMENA, MAYO KEBBI EST, TANDJILE
DJIBOUTI							1	2					DJIBOUTI
GUINEA								1					CONAKRY
NIGERIA							7		2				KANO, BORNO, JIGAWA

¹contacts of positive AFP cases, community, healthy children

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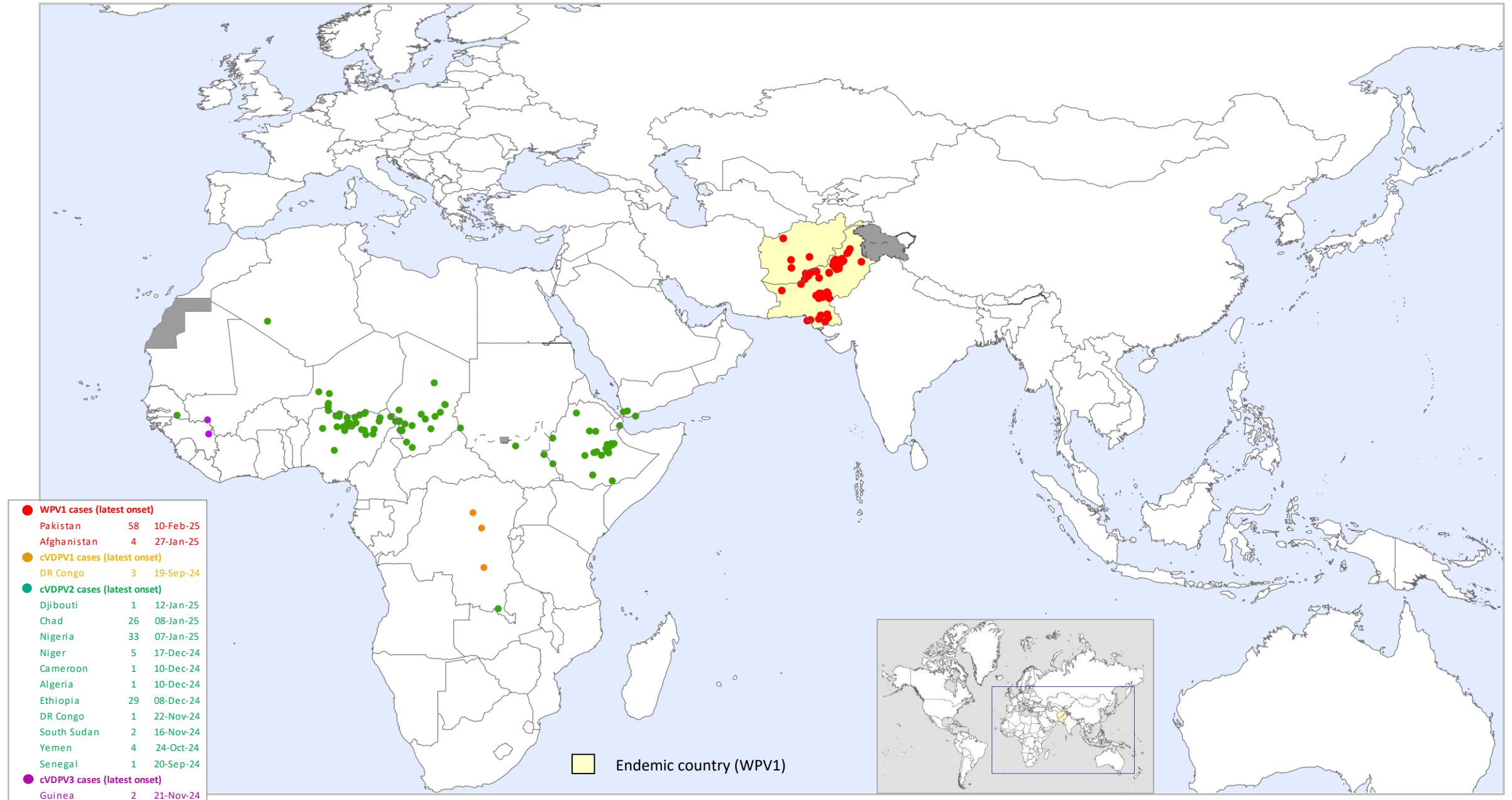
Data in WHO HQ as of 04 Mar. 2025

Global WPV1 & cVDPV Cases¹, Previous 12 Months²



¹Excludes viruses detected from environmental surveillance; ²Onset of paralysis: 05 Mar. 2024 to 04 Mar. 2025

Global WPV1 & cVDPV Cases¹, Previous 6 Months²



¹Excludes viruses detected from environmental surveillance; ²Onset of paralysis: 05 Sep. 2024 to 04 Mar. 2025

Global Wild Poliovirus 2018 - 2025

Country or territory	Wild virus type 1 confirmed cases										Wild virus type 1 reported from other sources ²									
	Full year total							01 Jan-04 Mar ¹		Date of most recent case	Full year total							01 Jan-04 Mar	Date of most recent virus	
	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024	2024	2025		2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025		
Pakistan	12	147	84	1	20	6	74	0	6	10-Feb-25	141	405	455	65	43	128	649	115	12-Feb-25	
Afghanistan	21	29	56	4	2	6	25	0	1	27-Jan-25	83	60	49	1	22	62	119	9	26-Jan-25	
Mozambique	0	0	0	0	8	0	0	0	0	10-Aug-22										
Malawi	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	19-Nov-21										
Iran	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	NA		3							20-May-19	
Total (Type 1)	33	176	140	6	30	12	99	0	7		224	468	504	66	65	190	768	124		
Tot. in endemic countries	33	176	140	5	22	12	99	0	7											
Tot. in non-end countries	0	0	0	1	8	0	0	0	0											
No. of countries (infected)	2	2	2	3	3	2	2	0	2											
No. of countries (endemic)	3	3	3	2	2	2	2	2	2											
Total Female	18	72	59	2	10	4	43	0	4											
Total Male	15	104	81	4	20	8	56	0	3											

Countries in yellow are endemic. ¹Data reported to WHO HQ on week 10 in 2024 and 2025.

²Wild viruses from environmental samples, selected contacts, healthy children and other sources.

Global Circulating Vaccine-derived Poliovirus (cVDPV)^{1,2,3}

¹For cVDPV definition see http://polioeradication.org/wp-content/uploads/2016/09/Reporting-and-Classification-of-VDPVs_Aug2016_EN.pdf. ² Include contact, healthy and community samples. ³cVDPV1 and cVDPV2 isolated from four children (3 in 2022 and 1 in 2023)

	Country	AFP cases (Paralysis onset between 2022-2025)					Other sources (Human) ² (Collection between 2022-2025)					Other sources (Environment) (Collection between 2022-2025)				
		2022	2023	2024	2025	Onset of most recent case	2022	2023	2024	2025	most recent collection date	2022	2023	2024	2025	most recent collection date
cVDPV1 ¹	DR Congo	149 ³	106 ³	10		19-Sep-24	6		1		23-Jun-24					
	Mozambique	22	4	1		17-May-24	1				25-Oct-22					
	Madagascar	16	24			16-Sep-23	11	7			20-Jun-23	155	92			31-Jul-23
	Malawi	4				01-Dec-22	1				19-Sep-22					
	Congo	1				15-Oct-22										
	Yemen															
	Total type 1	192	134	11	0		19	7	1	0		155	92	0	0	
cVDPV2 ¹	Algeria	3		1		10-Dec-24	2	3			05-Jan-23	18	24	11	3	09-Feb-25
	Cameroon	3		3		10-Dec-24			1		02-Aug-24		13	2	1	27-Jan-25
	Chad	44	55	37	2	08-Jan-25	4	6	1		10-Oct-24	7	3	14	3	24-Jan-25
	Poland													2	1	21-Jan-25
	United Kingdom											6		6	1	20-Jan-25
	Nigeria	48	87	98	3	07-Jan-25	28	38	43	1	16-Jan-25	82	80	24		28-Oct-24
	Germany				1									25	1	13-Jan-25
	Djibouti					12-Jan-25						12		7		22-Dec-24
	South Sudan		3	10		16-Nov-24		3	4		06-May-24			13		10-Dec-24
	Ethiopia	1	1	42		08-Dec-24			4		05-Nov-24			1		13-Jun-24
	Côte d'Ivoire		6			21-Nov-23		16			25-Sep-23	3	46	29		27-Nov-24
	DR Congo	372 ³	120 ³	14		22-Nov-24	30	10	1		07-Apr-24	10	37	1		23-Jan-24
	Finland													1		19-Nov-24
	Benin	13	3	1		18-May-24	1				01-Jun-22	9	4	1		19-Nov-24
	Niger	16	3	16		17-Jan-24	3				19-May-22	20	4	24		12-Nov-24
	Yemen	161	8	37		24-Oct-24	33	1	1		09-Mar-24	26	16	7		25-Jun-24
	Senegal			1		20-Sep-24					27-Oct-21	1	1	8		21-Oct-24
	Spain													1		16-Sep-24
	Angola			7		24-Aug-24			1		30-Mar-24		1	7		29-May-24
	Ghana	3				14-Sep-22	4				01-Jun-22	21		1		20-Aug-24
	Egypt											6	11	2		01-Aug-24
	occupied Palestinian territory			1		25-Jul-24								20	3	0-1
	Kenya		8			21-Aug-23		6	5		13-Jul-24		8	1		15-May-24
	Indonesia	1	6	7		27-Jun-24	3	7	14		10-Jul-24		1			07-Dec-23
	Bahrain													1		30-Jun-24
	Zimbabwe		1			02-Dec-23		2			12-Nov-23			17	10	25-Jun-24
	Guinea		47	5		12-Jun-24		10	1		17-Mar-24			29	5	28-Mar-24
	Liberia			1		08-Jun-24			12		20-Mar-24			2	16	04-Jun-24
	Somalia	5	8	3		05-Jun-24	4	3	3		12-Mar-24	4	9	3		14-May-24
	Sierra Leone					28-Feb-21					19-Mar-21			15		28-May-24
	Uganda													1		07-May-24
	Equatorial Guinea													1		26-Mar-24
	Mozambique	4	1			28-Sep-23		4			08-Dec-23			1		05-Mar-24
	Gambia													1		15-Feb-24
	Sudan	1				31-Oct-22						1	5	2		24-Jan-24
	Mali	2	15	1		02-Jan-24							6			24-Oct-23
	Mauritania		1			17-Oct-23					19-Jul-21		3			13-Dec-23
	Burkina Faso		3			04-Jun-23							1			12-Dec-23
	Congo					10-Feb-21								2		07-Dec-23
	Tanzania		2			14-Jul-23		6			12-Aug-23		6			20-Nov-23
	Central African Republic	6	14			07-Oct-23		15			14-Jun-23	8		1		19-May-23
	Botswana											5	5			25-Jul-23
	Burundi	1	1			15-Jun-23	2				24-Nov-22	7	13			13-Jun-23
	Zambia		1			03-Apr-23		4			25-May-23	3	2			06-Jun-23
	Israel		1			13-Feb-23						55				24-Oct-22
	Malawi												1			02-Jan-23
	United States of America	1				20-Jun-22						30				20-Oct-22
	Togo	2				30-Sep-22						2				06-Sep-22
	Canada											2				08-Sep-22
	Eritrea	1				02-Mar-22										
	Ukraine															
	Pakistan															
	Guinea-Bissau															
	Tajikistan															
	Afghanistan															
	Iran															
	Total type 2	688	395	285	6		114	134	91	1		338	351	264	13	
cVDPV3 ¹	Guinea			4		21-Nov-24								3		06-Aug-24
	French Guiana															
	Israel	1				12-Feb-22	3				24-Mar-22	25				15-Mar-22
	occupied Palestinian territory											9				12-Mar-22
	China															
	Total type 3	1	0	4			3	0	0			34	0	3		
Gender	Female (all sero type)	374	221	136												
	Male (all sero type)	500	301	160												
	Gender Unknown	4	6	4												

 Environmental surveillance for poliovirus in selected sewage sites established and working

Changes from previous week

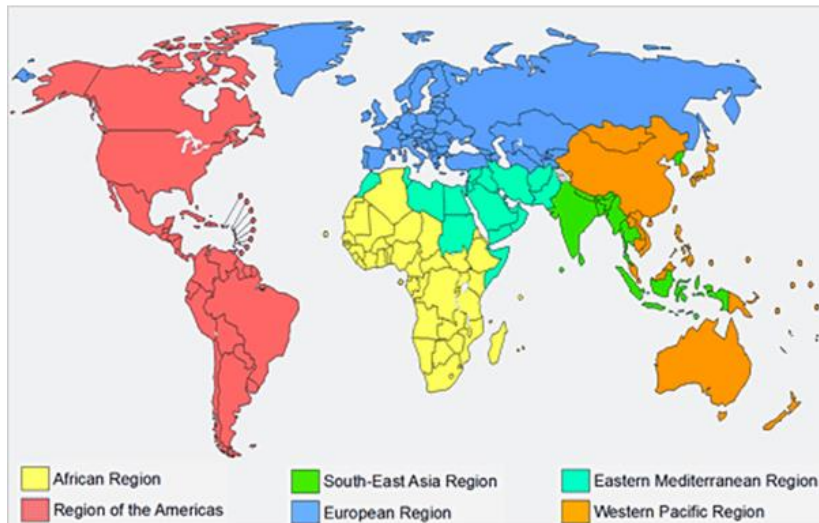
Global Surveillance Indicators: Year to Date Comparison

2024 & 2025: 01 Jan. to 04 Mar. 2025*

WHO Region	AFP cases		Wild poliovirus cases		cVDPV ¹ cases		Polio compatibles		Pending final classification (year to date comparison)		
									Total		> 90 days
	2024	2025	2024	2025	2024	2025	2024	2025	2024	2025	2025
African	3,563	3,701	0	0	6	5	1	1	1,539	3,454	0
Central	398	405	0	0	2	2	0	1	202	160	0
South/East	902	939	0	0	1	0	0	0	528	937	0
West	2,263	2,357	0	0	3	3	1	0	809	2,357	0
American	146	133	0	0	0	0	0	0	58	63	0
Eastern Mediterranean	3,938	4,652	0	7	0	1	0	0	1,594	1,636	0
European	181	146	0	0	0	0	0	0	155	133	0
South East Asian	4,691	4,704	0	0	0	0	0	0	1,809	1,701	0
Western Pacific	34	70	0	0	0	0	0	0	23	52	0
Global	12,553	13,406	0	7	6	6	1	1	5,178	7,039	0

¹cVDPV includes all three serotypes 1, 2 and 3. Please refer to slide 5 for the distribution of cases by serotype.

WHO Regions



For data at country, regional and global levels from 2000 onwards, see the WHO website at <https://extranet.who.int/polis/public/CaseCount.aspx>

*Data reported to WHO/HQ on week 10, 2025