

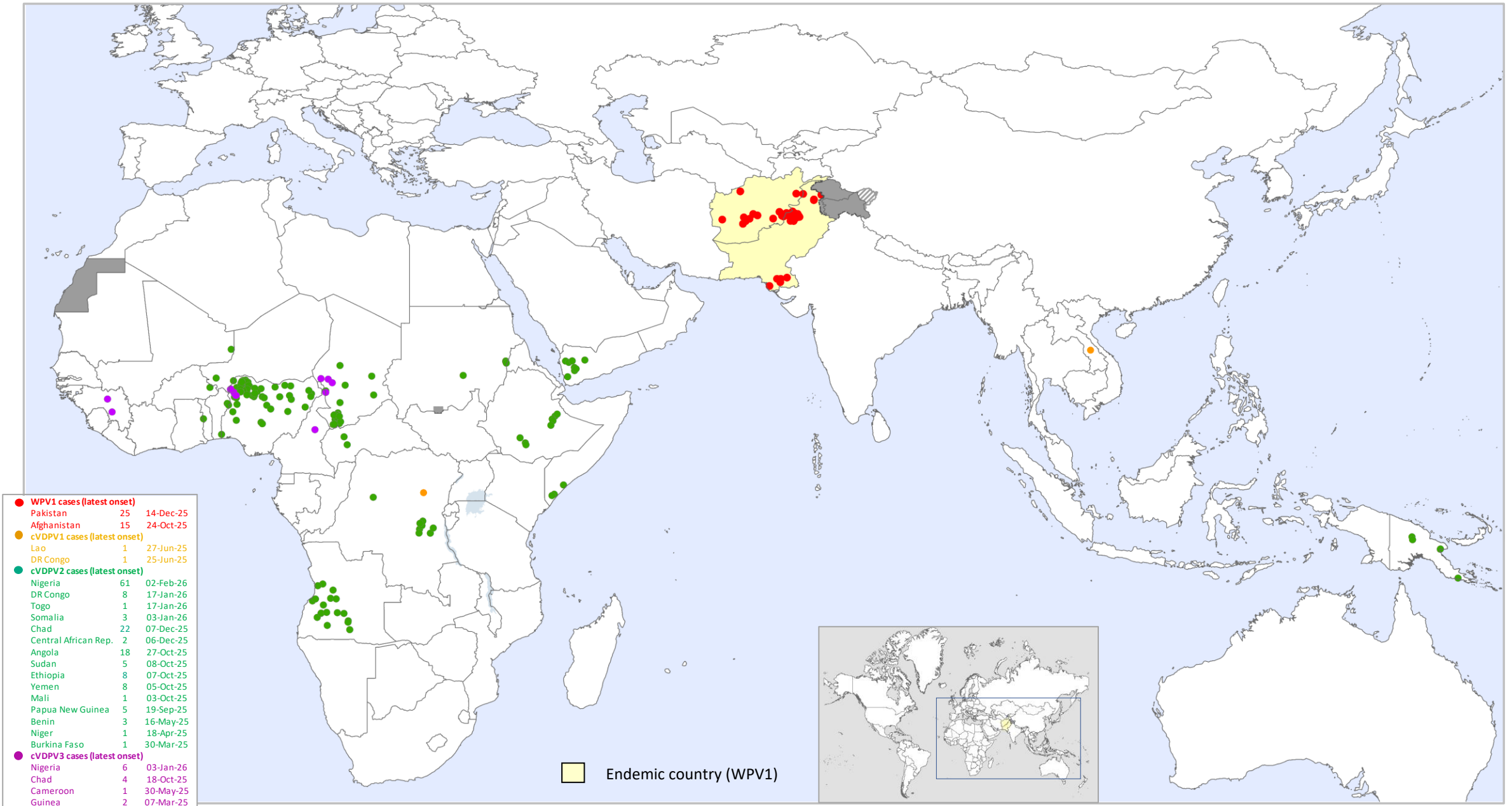
Highlights of New Wild Poliovirus and cVDPV Positives Reported Globally this Week

| 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 | | 2 | | | | | | | | | | | BALUCHISTAN |
| CHAD | | | | | | | 1 | | | | | | LOGONE ORIENTAL |
| MALAWI | | | | | | | | 1 | | | | | SOUTHERN |
| NIGERIA | | | | | | | 4 | | 2 | | | | KEBBI, ZAMFARA |
| SOMALIA | | | | | | | | 1 | | | | | BANADIR |

¹contacts of positive AFP cases, community, healthy children

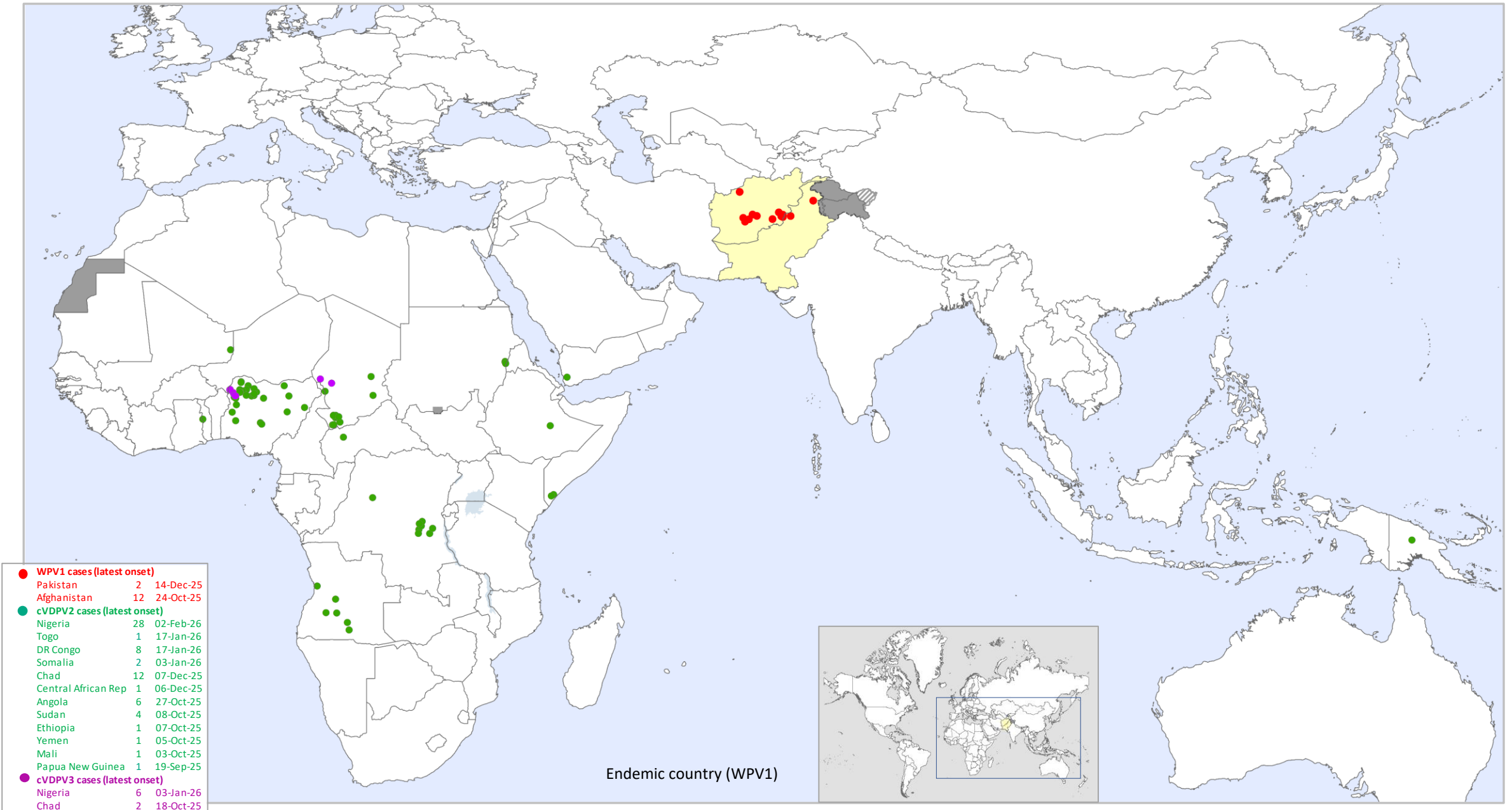
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Global WPV1 & cVDPV Cases¹, Previous 12 Months²



¹Excludes viruses detected from environmental surveillance; ²Onset of paralysis: 04 Mar. 2025 to 03 Mar. 2026

Global WPV1 & cVDPV Cases¹, Previous 6 Months²



¹Excludes viruses detected from environmental surveillance; ²Onset of paralysis: 04 Sep. 2025 to 03 Mar. 2026

Global Wild Poliovirus 2018 - 2026

| Country or territory | Wild virus type 1 confirmed cases | | | | | | | | | | Wild virus type 1 reported from other sources ² | | | | | | | | | | |
|-----------------------------|-----------------------------------|------------|------------|----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|----------------------------|----------|--|-----------------|------------|------------|-----------|-----------|------------|------------|------------|----------------------------|---------------------------|
| | Full year total | | | | | | | | 01 Jan-03 Mar ¹ | | Date of most recent case | Full year total | | | | | | | | 01 Jan-03 Mar ¹ | Date of most recent virus |
| | 2018 | 2019 | 2020 | 2021 | 2022 | 2023 | 2024 | 2025 | 2025 | 2026 | | 2018 | 2019 | 2020 | 2021 | 2022 | 2023 | 2024 | 2025 | 2026 | |
| Pakistan | 12 | 147 | 84 | 1 | 20 | 6 | 74 | 31 | 6 | 0 | 14-Dec-25 | 141 | 405 | 455 | 65 | 41 | 127 | 649 | 661 | 26 | 03-Feb-26 |
| Germany | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 3 | | 13-Oct-25 |
| Afghanistan | 21 | 29 | 56 | 4 | 2 | 6 | 25 | 16 | 1 | 0 | 24-Oct-25 | 83 | 60 | 49 | 1 | 22 | 62 | 124 | 75 | | 23-Dec-25 |
| Mozambique | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 8 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 10-Aug-22 | | | | | | | | | | |
| Malawi | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 19-Nov-21 | | | | | | | | | | |
| Iran | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | NA | | 3 | | | | | | | | 20-May-19 |
| Total (Type 1) | 33 | 176 | 140 | 6 | 30 | 12 | 99 | 47 | 7 | 0 | | 224 | 468 | 504 | 66 | 63 | 189 | 773 | 739 | 26 | |
| Tot. in endemic countries | 33 | 176 | 140 | 5 | 22 | 12 | 99 | 47 | 7 | 0 | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Tot. in non-end countries | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 8 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | | | | | | | | | | | |
| No. of countries (infected) | 2 | 2 | 2 | 3 | 3 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 0 | | | | | | | | | | | |
| No. of countries (endemic) | 3 | 3 | 3 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 2 | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Total Female | 18 | 72 | 59 | 2 | 10 | 4 | 43 | 27 | 4 | 0 | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Total Male | 15 | 104 | 81 | 4 | 20 | 8 | 56 | 20 | 3 | 0 | | | | | | | | | | | |

Countries in yellow are endemic. ¹Data reported to WHO HQ on week 10 in 2025 and 2026

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 **1 child in 2023**

| | Country | AFP cases (Paralysis onset between 2023-2026) | | | | | Other sources (Human) ² (Collection between 2023-2026) | | | | | Other sources (Environment) (Collection between 2023-2026) | | | | |
|---------------------|--------------------------------|--|------------|-----------|-----------|---------------------------|--|-----------|----------|-----------|-----------------------------|---|------------|-----------|-----------|-----------------------------|
| | | 2023 | 2024 | 2025 | 2026 | Onset of most recent case | 2023 | 2024 | 2025 | 2026 | most recent collection date | 2023 | 2024 | 2025 | 2026 | most recent collection date |
| cVDPV1 ¹ | Lao PDR | | | 1 | | 27-Jun-25 | | | 2 | | 03-Sep-25 | | | | | |
| | Israel | | | | | | | | | | | | 10 | | 09-Jul-25 | |
| | DR Congo | 106 ³ | 10 | 1 | | 25-Jun-25 | | 1 | | | 23-Jun-24 | | | | | |
| | Djibouti | | | | | | | | | | | | 10 | | 18-May-25 | |
| | Algeria | | | 1 | | 25-Jan-25 | | | | | | | 1 | | 17-Mar-25 | |
| | Mozambique | 4 | 1 | | | 17-May-24 | | | | | 25-Oct-22 | | | | | |
| Madagascar | 24 | | | | 16-Sep-23 | 7 | | | | 20-Jun-23 | 92 | | | | 31-Jul-23 | |
| Total type 1 | 134 | 11 | 3 | 0 | | 7 | 1 | 2 | 0 | | 92 | 0 | 21 | 0 | | |
| cVDPV2 ¹ | Nigeria | 87 | 98 | 66 | 7 | 02-Feb-26 | 38 | 43 | 37 | 2 | 10-Feb-26 | 80 | 24 | 16 | 2 | 27-Jan-26 |
| | Somalia | 8 | 7 | 2 | 1 | 03-Jan-26 | 3 | 3 | | | 12-Mar-24 | 9 | 3 | 13 | 2 | 21-Jan-26 |
| | Malawi | | | | | | | | | | | 1 | | 2 | 1 | 19-Jan-26 |
| | Togo | | | | 1 | 17-Jan-26 | | | | | | | | | | |
| | DR Congo | 121 ³ | 15 | 6 | 2 | 17-Jan-26 | 10 | 1 | 3 | | 09-Dec-25 | 37 | 1 | | | 23-Jan-24 |
| | Algeria | | 1 | | | 10-Dec-24 | 3 | | | | 05-Jan-23 | 24 | 11 | 19 | 2 | 11-Jan-26 |
| | Namibia | | | | | | | | | | | | | 2 | 2 | 07-Jan-26 |
| | The United Kingdom | | | | | | | | | | | | 6 | 2 | 1 | 05-Jan-26 |
| | Zambia | 1 | | | | 03-Apr-23 | 4 | | | | 25-May-23 | 2 | | 1 | | 29-Dec-25 |
| | Tanzania | 2 | | | | 14-Jul-23 | 6 | | | | 12-Aug-23 | 6 | 1 | 8 | | 16-Dec-25 |
| | Chad | 55 | 39 | 31 | | 07-Dec-25 | 6 | 1 | 9 | | 01-Apr-25 | 3 | 16 | 23 | | 09-Dec-25 |
| | Angola | | 9 | 19 | | 27-Oct-25 | | 2 | 6 | | 09-Dec-25 | 1 | 7 | 2 | | 26-Jun-25 |
| | Central African Republic | 14 | | 2 | | 06-Dec-25 | 15 | | 1 | | 21-Jun-25 | 1 | | 1 | | 25-Mar-25 |
| | Mali | 15 | 1 | 1 | | 03-Nov-25 | | | | | | 6 | | | | 24-Oct-23 |
| | Ethiopia | 1 | 44 | 40 | | 07-Oct-25 | | 4 | 4 | | 15-Oct-25 | | 2 | | | 20-Dec-24 |
| | Papua New Guinea | | | 5 | | 19-Sep-25 | | | 3 | | 11-Apr-25 | | | 65 | | 13-Oct-25 |
| | Sudan | | 1 | 7 | | 08-Oct-25 | | | | | | 5 | 2 | 1 | | 16-Apr-25 |
| | Benin | 3 | 1 | 3 | | 16-May-25 | | | 3 | | 27-Sep-25 | 4 | 1 | 4 | | 07-Oct-25 |
| | Germany | | | | | | | | | | | | 25 | 17 | | 06-Oct-25 |
| | Yemen | 8 | 187 | 30 | | 05-Oct-25 | 1 | 1 | | | 09-Mar-24 | 16 | 26 | 13 | | 30-Sep-25 |
| | Côte d'Ivoire | 6 | 1 | | | 31-Jul-24 | 16 | | 1 | | 12-May-25 | 46 | 30 | 2 | | 06-Feb-25 |
| | Djibouti | | | 1 | | 12-Jan-25 | | | | | | | 9 | 17 | | 08-May-25 |
| | Niger | 3 | 16 | 3 | | 18-Apr-25 | | | | | 19-May-22 | 4 | 24 | | | 12-Nov-24 |
| | Cameroon | | 3 | | | 10-Dec-24 | | 1 | | | 02-Aug-24 | 13 | 2 | 2 | | 07-Apr-25 |
| | Burkina Faso | 3 | | 1 | | 30-Mar-25 | | | | | | 1 | | | | 12-Dec-23 |
| | Senegal | | 1 | | | 20-Sep-24 | | | | | | 1 | 8 | 1 | | 05-Mar-25 |
| | occupied Palestinian territory | | 1 | | | 25-Jul-24 | | | | | | | 20 | 7 | | 05-Mar-25 |
| | Israel | 1 | | | | 13-Feb-23 | | | | | | | | 2 | | 11-Feb-25 |
| | Poland | | | | | | | | | | | | | 2 | 1 | 21-Jan-25 |
| | South Sudan | 3 | 10 | | | 16-Nov-24 | 3 | 4 | | | 06-May-24 | | 13 | | | 10-Dec-24 |
| | Finland | | | | | | | | | | | | 1 | | | 19-Nov-24 |
| | Spain | | | | | | | | | | | | 1 | | | 16-Sep-24 |
| | Ghana | | | | | 14-Sep-22 | | | | | 01-Jun-22 | | 1 | | | 20-Aug-24 |
| | Egypt | | | | | | | | | | | 11 | 2 | | | 01-Aug-24 |
| | Kenya | 8 | | | | 21-Aug-23 | 6 | 5 | | | 13-Jul-24 | 8 | 1 | | | 15-May-24 |
| | Indonesia | 6 | 7 | | | 27-Jun-24 | 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 | 15 | | | 04-Jun-24 |
| | Sierra Leone | | | | | | | | | | | | 15 | | | 28-May-24 |
| | Uganda | | | | | | | | | | | | 1 | | | 07-May-24 |
| | Equatorial Guinea | | | | | | | | | | | | 1 | | | 26-Mar-24 |
| Mozambique | 1 | | | | 28-Sep-23 | 4 | | | | 08-Dec-23 | | 1 | | | 05-Mar-24 | |
| Gambia | | | | | | | | | | | | 1 | | | 15-Feb-24 | |
| Mauritania | 1 | | | | 17-Oct-23 | | | | | | 3 | | | | 13-Dec-23 | |
| Congo | | | | | | | | | | | 2 | | | | 07-Dec-23 | |
| Botswana | | | | | | | | | | | 5 | | | | 25-Jul-23 | |
| Burundi | 1 | | | | 15-Jun-23 | | | | | 24-Nov-22 | 13 | | | | 13-Jun-23 | |
| Total type 2 | 396 | 448 | 217 | 11 | | 134 | 92 | 67 | 2 | | 351 | 289 | 221 | 10 | | |
| cVDPV3 ¹ | Nigeria | | | 5 | 1 | 03-Jan-26 | | | | | | | | | | |
| | Chad | | | 4 | | 18-Oct-25 | | | 1 | | 22-Jul-25 | | | | | |
| | Cameroon | | | 1 | | 30-May-25 | | | | | | | | | | |
| | Guinea | | 4 | 2 | | 07-Mar-25 | | | | | | | | | | |
| | French Guiana | | | | | | | | | | | | 3 | | | 06-Aug-24 |
| Total type 3 | 0 | 4 | 12 | 1 | | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | | 0 | 3 | 0 | 0 | | |
| Gender | Female (all sero type) | 222 | 206 | 92 | 1 | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | Male (all sero type) | 303 | 258 | 136 | 7 | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | Gender Unknown | 4 | | 4 | 4 | | | | | | | | | | | |

Environmental surveillance for poliovirus in selected sewage sites established and working

Changes from previous week

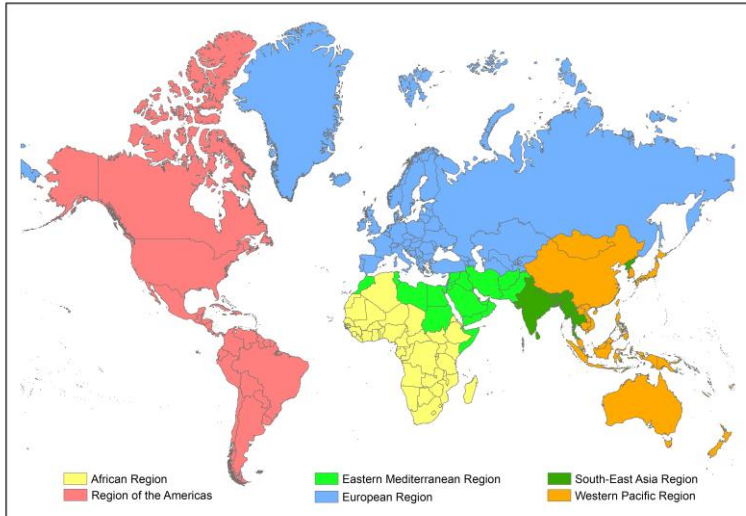
Global Surveillance Indicators: Year to Date Comparison

2025 & 2026: 01 Jan. to 03 Mar. 2026*

| WHO Region | AFP cases | | Wild poliovirus cases | | cVDPV ¹ cases | | Polio compatibles | | Pending final classification (year to date comparison) | | |
|------------------------------|---------------|--------------|-----------------------|----------|--------------------------|-----------|-------------------|----------|---|--------------|-----------|
| | | | | | | | | | Total | | > 90 days |
| | 2025 | 2026 | 2025 | 2026 | 2025 | 2026 | 2025 | 2026 | 2025 | 2026 | 2026 |
| African | 3'701 | 2'296 | 0 | 0 | 5 | 11 | 1 | 0 | 3'454 | 1'079 | 0 |
| Central | 405 | 506 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 160 | 273 | 0 |
| South/East | 939 | 643 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 937 | 373 | 0 |
| West | 2'357 | 1'147 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 9 | 0 | 0 | 2'357 | 433 | 0 |
| American | 133 | 90 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 63 | 47 | 0 |
| Eastern Mediterranean | 4'652 | 3'804 | 7 | 0 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1'636 | 2'417 | 0 |
| European | 146 | 106 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 133 | 101 | 0 |
| South East Asian | 4'704 | 2'877 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1'701 | 1'248 | 0 |
| Western Pacific | 70 | 145 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 52 | 123 | 0 |
| Global | 13'406 | 9'318 | 7 | 0 | 7 | 12 | 1 | 0 | 7'039 | 5'015 | 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, 2026