

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

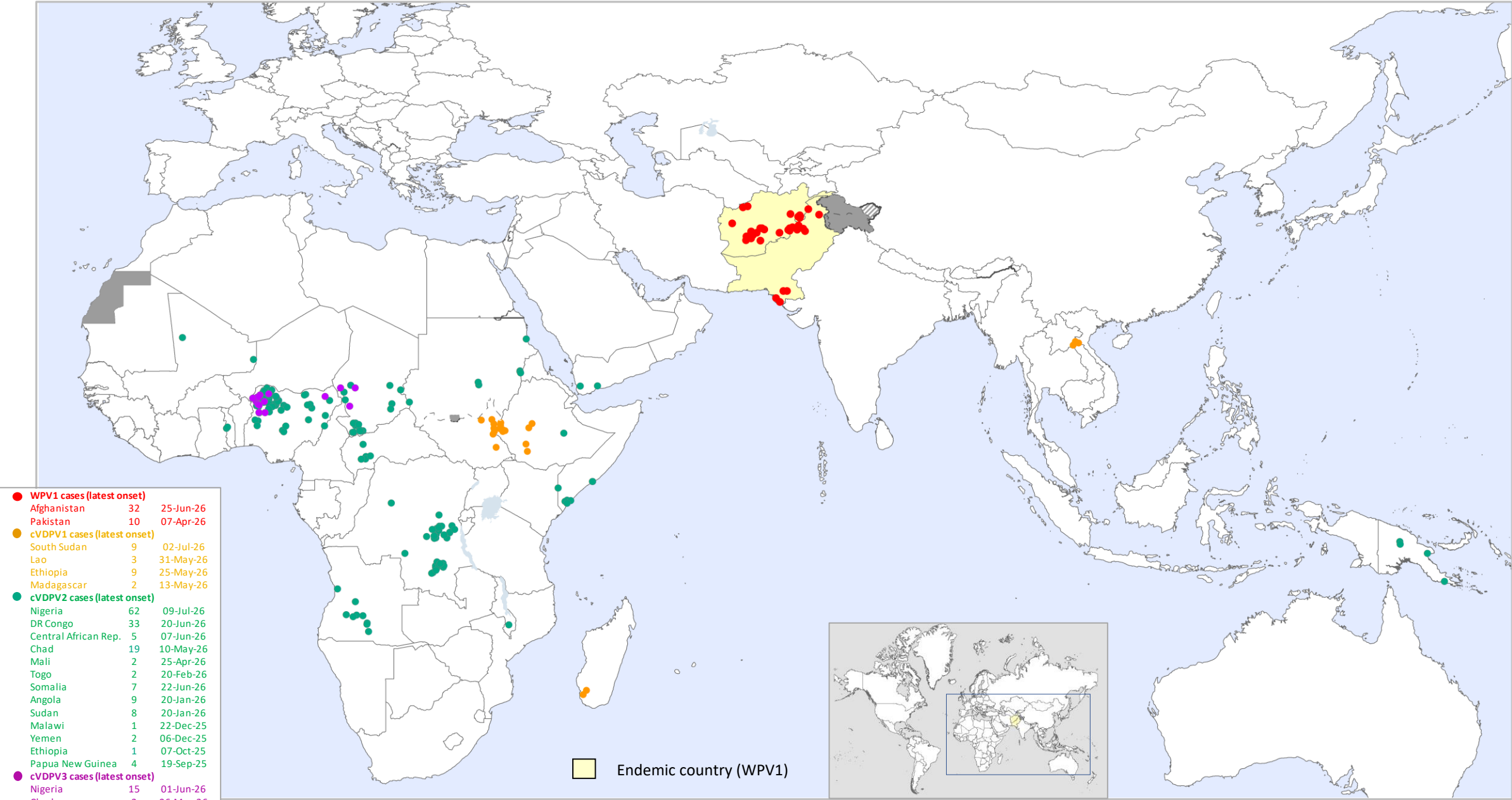
COUNTRY	WPV1			cVDPV1			cVDPV2			cVDPV3			LOCATION STATE/PROVINCE/GOVERNORATE
	AFP	ENV	other ¹	AFP	ENV	other ¹	AFP	ENV	other ¹	AFP	ENV	other ¹	
AFGHANISTAN		5											KANDAHAR, NANGARHAR
PAKISTAN		10											SINDH, BALOCHISTAN, KHYBER PAKHTUNKHWA, PUNJAB
LIBYA								1					SABHA
NIGERIA							1	1	2		1		ZAMFARA, FCT ABUJA, OYO
SOMALIA							1	3					BANADIR, GEDO, HIRAN
SOUTH SUDAN				1	1								JONGLEI, CENTRAL EQUATORIA

¹contacts of positive AFP cases, community, healthy children

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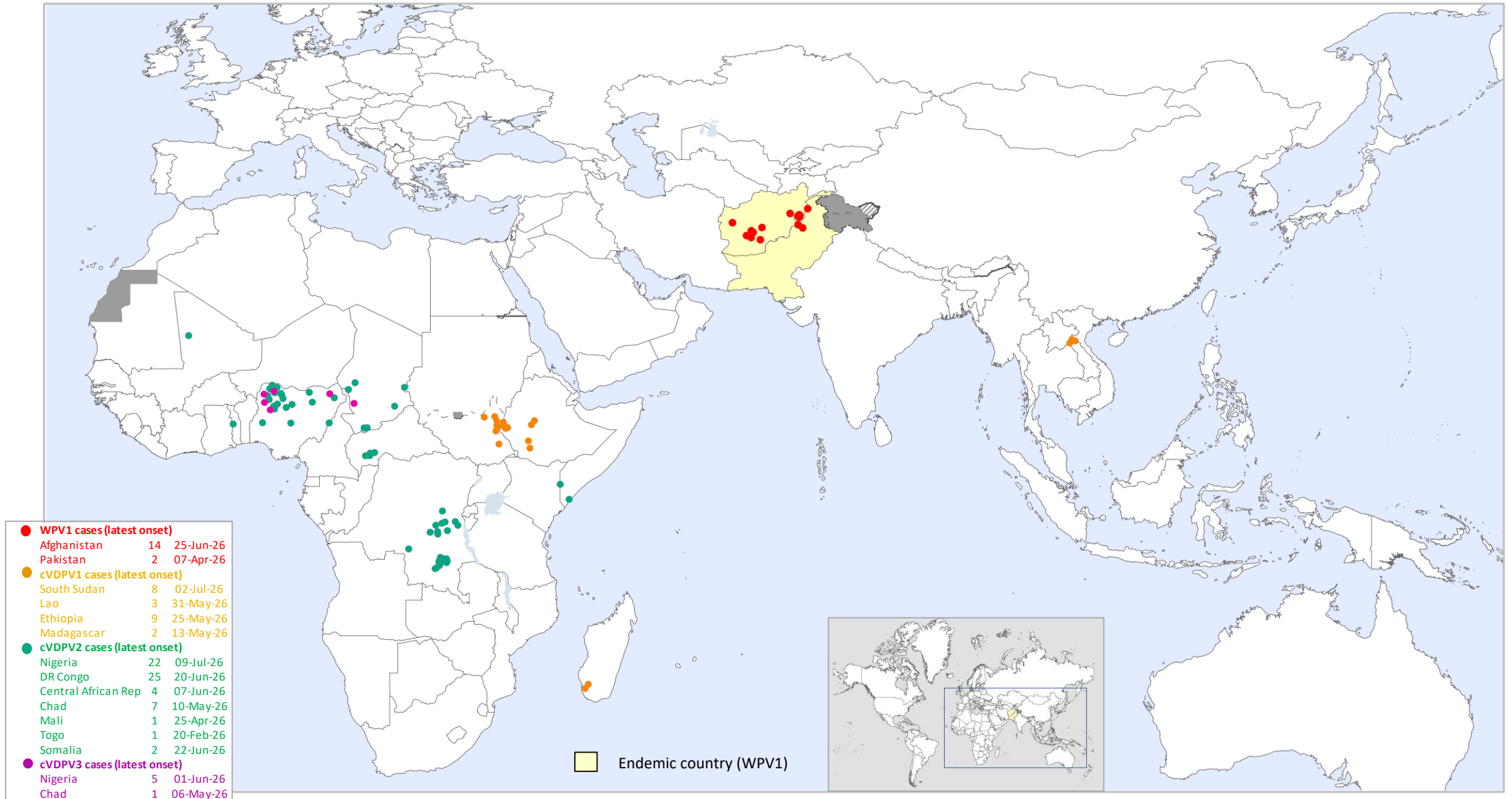
Global WPV1 & cVDPV Cases¹, Previous 12 Months²



¹Excludes viruses detected from environmental surveillance; ²Onset of paralysis: 12 Aug. 2025 to 11 Aug. 2026

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Global WPV1 & cVDPV Cases¹, Previous 6 Months²



¹Excludes viruses detected from environmental surveillance; ²Onset of paralysis: 12 Feb. 2026 to 11 Aug. 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-11 Aug ¹		Date of most recent case	Full year total									
	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025	2025	2026		2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025	2026	Date of most recent virus
Pakistan	12	147	84	1	20	6	74	31	19	3	07-Apr-26	141	405	455	65	41	127	648	663	121	16-Jul-26
Afghanistan	21	29	56	4	2	6	25	21	2	15	25-Jun-26	83	60	49	1	22	62	124	94	59	24-Jun-26
Germany	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	NA								3		13-Oct-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	52	21	18		224	468	504	66	63	189	772	760	180	
Tot. in endemic countries	33	176	140	5	22	12	99	52	21	18											
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	2											
No. of countries (endemic)	3	3	3	2	2	2	2	2	2	2											
Total Female	18	72	59	2	10	4	43	30	8	10											
Total Male	15	104	81	4	20	8	56	22	13	8											

Countries in yellow are endemic. ¹Data reported to WHO HQ on week 33 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	South Sudan				9	02-Jul-26				10	15-May-26				2	14-Jul-26
	Madagascar	24			2	13-May-26	7			4	06-Jun-26	92			2	01-Jun-26
	Ethiopia				9	25-May-26										
	Lao PDR			1	3	31-May-26			2		03-Sep-25					
	Israel													11		03-Aug-25
	DR Congo	106 ³	10	1		25-Jun-25		1			23-Jun-24					
	Djibouti													10		18-May-25
cVDPV2 ¹	Algeria			1		25-Jan-25								1		17-Mar-25
	Mozambique	4	1			17-May-24										
	Total type 1	134	11	3	23		7	1	2	14		92	0	22	4	
	Somalia	8	7	2	6	21-Jul-26	3	3			12-Mar-24	9	3	13	15	21-Jul-26
	Nigeria	87	98	66	31	09-Jul-26	38	43	37	14	16-Jul-26	80	24	16	8	13-Jul-26
	DR Congo	121 ³	15	7	27	20-Jun-26	10	1	3	2	27-Jun-26	37	1		1	14-May-26
	Libya														1	23-Jun-26
cVDPV3 ¹	Central African Republic	14		2	4	07-Jun-26	15		1		21-Jun-25	1		1		25-Mar-25
	Chad	55	39	33	7	19-May-26	6	1	11		13-Apr-25	3	16	23	1	04-Feb-26
	South Sudan	3	10			16-Nov-24	3	4			06-May-24		13		2	12-May-26
	Mali	15	1	1	1	25-Apr-26						6				24-Oct-23
	Malawi			1		22-Dec-25						1		2	9	20-Apr-26
	Australia														1	13-Apr-26
	The United Kingdom												6	2	2	03-Mar-26
Gender	Namibia								4					2	5	03-Mar-26
	Sudan		1	13	1	20-Jan-26					15-Oct-25	5	2	6	3	28-Feb-26
	Togo				2	20-Feb-26				3	24-Feb-26					
	Angola		9	19	1	20-Jan-26		2	7		09-Dec-25	1	7	2		26-Jun-25
	Algeria		1			10-Dec-24	3				05-Jan-23	24	11	19	2	11-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
cVDPV1 ¹	Yemen	8	187	31		06-Dec-25	1	1			09-Mar-24	16	26	15		30-Nov-25
	Papua New Guinea			5		19-Sep-25			3		11-Apr-25			64		13-Oct-25
	Ethiopia	1	44	40		07-Oct-25		4			05-Nov-24					20-Dec-24
	Benin	3	1	3		16-May-25			3		27-Sep-25	4	2	4		07-Oct-25
	Germany												25	17		06-Oct-25
	Djibouti			1		12-Jan-25							9	17		18-May-25
	Côte d'Ivoire	6	1			31-Jul-24	16		1		12-May-25	46	30	2		06-Feb-25
cVDPV2 ¹	Niger	3	16	3		18-Apr-25						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							21	7		05-Mar-25
	Israel	1				13-Feb-23								2		11-Feb-25
	Poland												2	1		21-Jan-25
cVDPV3 ¹	Finland												1			19-Nov-24
	Spain												1			16-Sep-24
	Ghana												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
Gender	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
cVDPV1 ¹	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						13				13-Jun-23
	Total type 2	396	448	228	80		134	92	70	19		351	290	227	50	
	Total type 3	0	4	15	9		0	0	4	0		0	3	0	1	
cVDPV3 ¹	Nigeria			8	8	01-Jun-26			3		16-Feb-25				1	16-Jul-26
	Chad			4	1	06-May-26			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	15	9		0	0	4	0		0	3	0	1	
	Gender	Female (all sero type)	222	206	101	41										
cVDPV1 ¹	Male (all sero type)	303	257	141	67											
	Gender Unknown	4		4	4											

Environmental surveillance for poliovirus in selected sewage sites established and working

Changes from previous week

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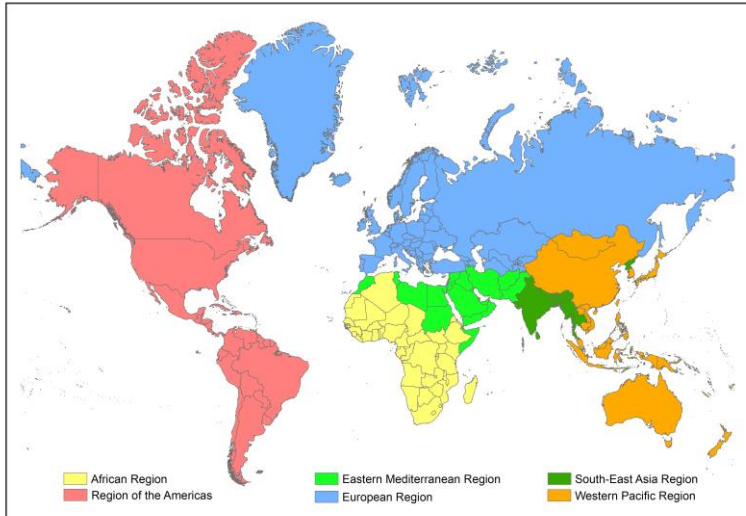
Global Surveillance Indicators: Year to Date Comparison

2025 & 2026: 01 Jan. to 11 Aug. 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	22'082	17'851	0	0	91	102	20	9	2'789	2'492	998
Central	3'822	4'700	0	0	20	40	12	7	508	597	218
South/East	4'944	3'565	0	0	39	20	7	2	1'118	660	328
West	13'316	9'586	0	0	32	42	1	0	1'163	1'235	452
American	817	685	0	0	0	0	0	0	252	198	107
Eastern Mediterranean	19'065	18'237	21	18	20	7	1	0	3'989	2'575	347
European	632	590	0	0	0	0	0	0	232	178	46
South East Asian	18'443	12'756	0	0	0	0	0	0	2'970	2'230	438
Western Pacific	2'950	3'181	0	0	0	3	0	1	1'901	1'726	767
Global	63'989	53'300	21	18	111	112	21	10	12'133	9'399	2'703

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 33, 2026