# NPAIHB Weekly Update June 10, 2025





NORTHWEST PORTLAND AREA INDIAN HEALTH BOARD Indian Leadership for Indian Health

# Agenda

- Welcome & Introduction: Bridget Canniff
- NPAIHB Announcements, Events, Resources, & Updates
- IHS Communicable Disease Update: Dr. Tara Perti
- State & Tribal Partner Updates
- Questions & Comments

Please sign in, using the chat box, with your full name and tribe or organization

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### Upcoming Indian Country ECHO **Telehealth Opportunities**

- NW Elders, Knowledge Holders and Culture Keepers ECHO 2<sup>nd</sup> Tuesday of every month at 12pm PT ۰
  - Tuesday, June 10<sup>th</sup> 12pm PT
  - Didactic Topic: Indigenous Inclusion & Intervention: The Flight of Eagles
  - To join via Zoom: https://echo.zoom.us/j/82466510555?pwd=JPP3b5k9wU2dFHTxyDs7Pn7CWI5Bba.1 •
- Trauma Care ECHO 2<sup>nd</sup> Wednesday of every month at 6:30am PT ۰
  - Wednesday, June 11<sup>th</sup> at 6:30am PT
  - To join via Zoom: https://echo.zoom.us/j/93729666650?pwd=bFhTZnA4NnlqTmR6Ylg4bnM1R1lZQT09 •
- Journey to Health ECHO 2<sup>nd</sup> & 4<sup>th</sup> Thursday of every month at 7am/12pm PT ۰
  - Thursday, June 12<sup>th</sup> at 12pm PT
  - Didactic Topic: Overcoming Hardship
  - To join via Zoom: https://echo.zoom.us/j/93413601610?pwd=YVhMN1NUNIIYWHZUZk1CUnF0TEY5QT09 •
- Clinical Dementia ECHO 2<sup>nd</sup> Thursday of every month at 11am PT ۰
  - Thursday, June 12<sup>th</sup> at 11am PT
  - Didactic Topic: TBI Overlays with Dementia
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- Diabetes ECHO 2<sup>nd</sup> Thursday of every month at 12pm PT ۰
  - Thursday, June 12<sup>th</sup> at 11am PT
  - Didactic Topic: MASLD Medication Management and Monitoring •
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- emRIC ECHO 3<sup>rd</sup> Monday of every month at 8:30am PT .
  - Monday, June 16<sup>th</sup> at 8:30 am PT
  - Didactic Topic: Metabolic Steatotic Liver Disease (MASLD) •
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- Cardiology ECHO 3rd Monday of every month at 11am PT •
  - Monday, June 16<sup>th</sup> at 11am PT
  - Didactic Topic: Afib and ECG Refresher
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## Healthy Native Youth Community of Practice

Next monthly gathering: June 11, 10 – 11 AM Pacific

Zoom Registration Link: https://us06web.zoom.us/meeting/register/tZAo d-orTosGdNk5F3RvEYH4VMzCXzEHxsi

As a community, we share our strengths and experiences about how we can uplift and support our Native youth. Sessions include resources and opportunities to engage with topical experts and caring adults.

## WHEN?

60-minute virtual gatherings are held the second Wednesday of April, May, and June 2025.

Start Times: 9:00 AK, 10:00 PST, 11:00 MST, 12:00 CST, 1:00 EST



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CONTACT US: native@npaihb.org

**REGISTER VIA THE EVENTS CALENDER** https://www.npaihb.org/





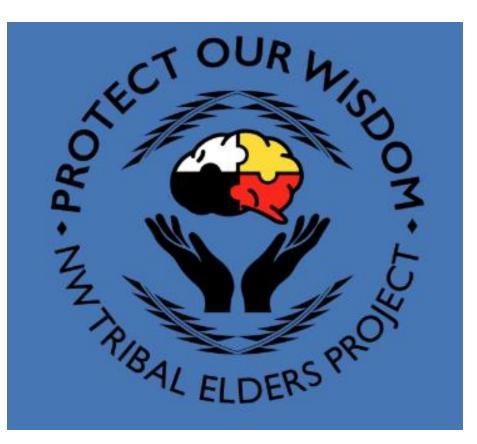
## Save the Date!

Northwest Tribal Brain Health + Dementia Summit

August 12-14, 2025

Clearwater Resort Casino, Suquamish, WA

More info to come! Please contact wminer@npaihb.org with questions or comments.



## NPAIHB Weekly Update Schedule

## June 17: Tribal Best Practices: Improving Immunization Rates Marc R. Mason, RN **Community Health Nurse, Immunization Coordinator** Confederated Tribes of Warm Springs Community Health Programs

## June 24: Legislative & Policy Updates







NORTHWEST PORTLAND AREA INDIAN HEALTH BOARD Indian Leadership for Indian Health

# NPAIHB has a new home!

As of May 21, 2025, our new office address is:

Please update your address books and contact lists. Our phone number and email address remain unchanged.

Northwest Portland Area Indian Health Board 920 NW 17<sup>th</sup> Ave Portland, OR 97209

Questions? Please contact operations@npaihb.org.





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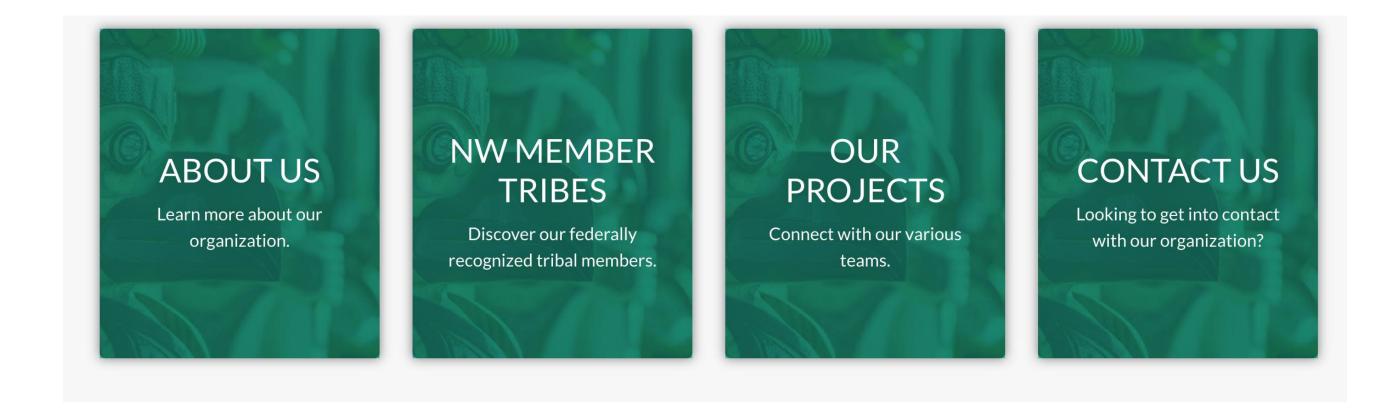
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### Weekly Update

### May 27, 2025 Weekly Update: Legislative & Policy Updates / Communicable Disease Update

### May 20, 2025 Weekly Update: Northwest Tribal Elders Project / Communicable Disease Update

### **Upcoming Events**





#### **TRIBAL RESEARCHERS' CANCER CONTROL** FELLOWSHIP PROGRAM

#### NW NARCH SUMMER INSTITUTE

EVENT DETAIL



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## Portland Area IHS Communicable Diseases Update

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June 10, 2025

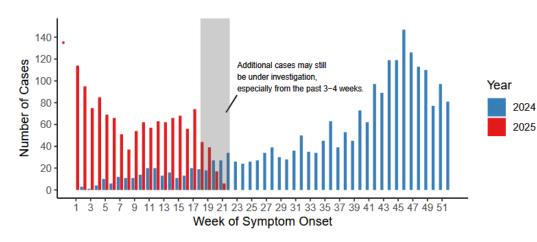


### Outline

- Pertussis update
- Measles update
- Brief H5 update
- Summary and Recommendations

### Pertussis – Washington, 2025 (through Week 22)

#### Pertussis – Washington, 2024-2025



Washington: <u>1,289 cases</u> reported through week 22 (5/31/25) (2024 YTD Cases: 318) (CDC)

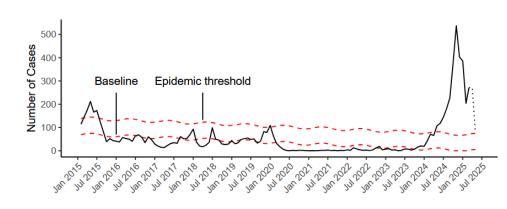
US (excluding US Territories): 12,513 cases reported through Week 22 (5/31/25) (2024 YTD Cases: 7,321)

#### Washington: More cases reported to date in 2025 than any other State

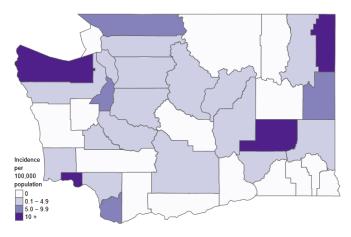
85 cases <1 year old: 76 (89%) were old enough to have received a dose of pertussis containing vaccine, but only 22% had received at least 1 dose (primary series of DTaP recommended at 2,4 and 6 months).

Washington State Department of Health. Pertussis Weekly Update. Available at: <a href="https://doh.wa.gov/sites/default/files/legacy/Documents/Pubs/348-254-PertussisUpdate.pdf">https://doh.wa.gov/sites/default/files/legacy/Documents/Pubs/348-254-PertussisUpdate.pdf</a>. Centers for Disease Control and Prevention. National Notifiable Diseases Surveillance System, Weekly Tables of Infectious Disease Data. Atlanta, GA. Office of Public Health Data, Surveillance, and Technology. Available at: <a href="https://stacks.cdc.gov/view/cdc/182012">https://stacks.cdc.gov/view/cdc/182012</a>.

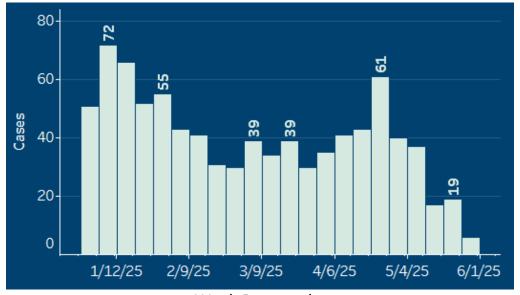
Pertussis – Washington, 2015-2025



### Six-Week Pertussis Incidence Rates by County, Washington – 2025 (Week 16-21)



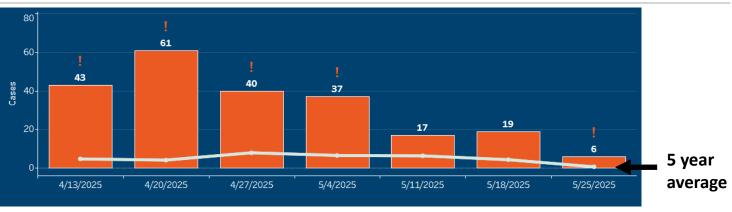
### Pertussis – Oregon, 2025 (through Week 22)



Week Reported

882 cases reported through week 22 (2024 YTD Cases: 257)

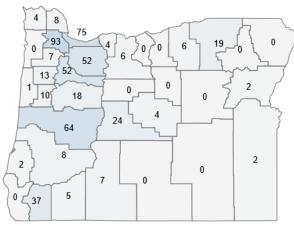
Oregon: Second highest number of cases reported in 2025.



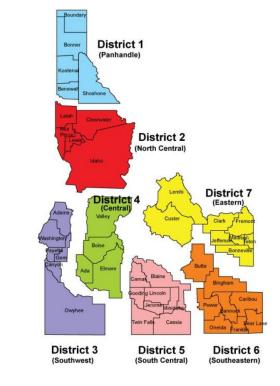
! : More than 2 standard deviations above the 5 year average.

Week Reported

#### Pertussis Cases by County – Oregon, April 2025

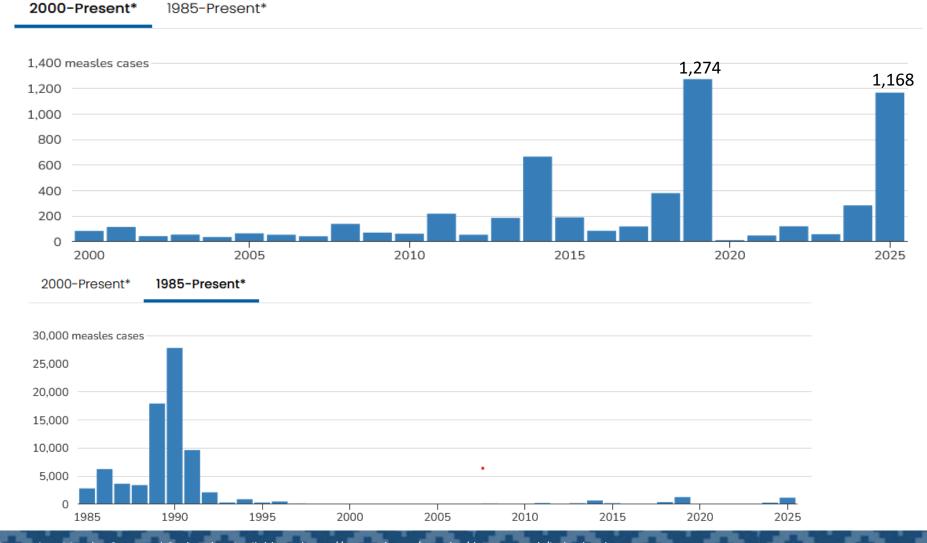


### Pertussis – Idaho, 2025



### Idaho: 397 cases reported through 5/31.

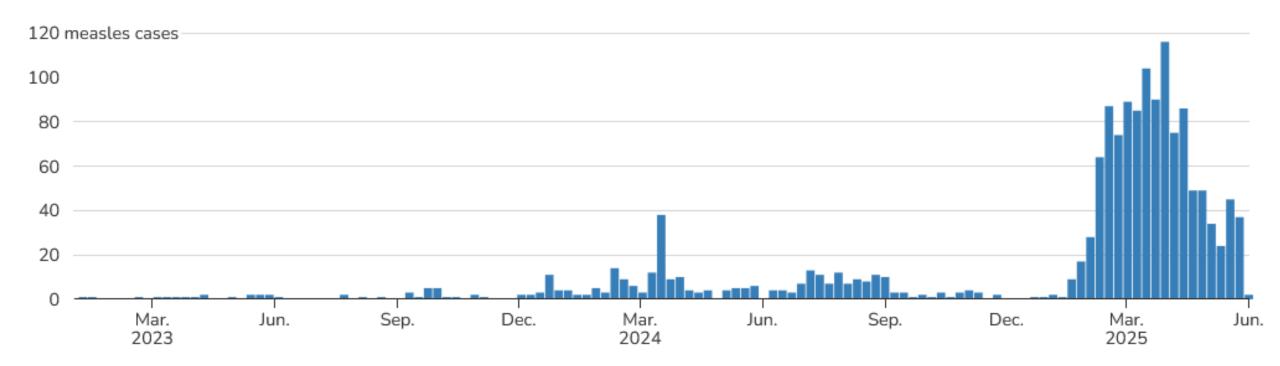
### Yearly Measles Cases – United States, 2000-Present



Centers for Disease Control and Prevention. Measles Cases and Outbreaks. Available at: <u>https://www.cdc.gov/measles/data-research/index.html</u> Filardo TD, Mathis A, Raines K, et al. Measles. In: Manual for the Surveillance of Vaccine Preventable Diseases. 2019. Available at: https://www.cdc.gov/surv-manual/php/table-ofcontents/chapter-7-measles.html?CDC\_AAref\_Val=https://www.cdc.gov/vaccines/pubs/surv-manual/chpt07-measles.html

### Measles – United States, 2023-2025 (through 6/5)

2023-2025\* (as of June 5, 2025)



### Measles — United States, 2025

- Overall, in the U.S., there have been 1168 **confirmed** cases of measles in 33 states through 6/5. 89% of cases are from one of 17 outbreaks (≥3 related cases).
  - <5 years old: 29%, 5-19 years: 38%, ≥ 20 years: 32% (unknown: 1%).
  - 12% hospitalized overall (21% of those <5 years-old hospitalized); 3 deaths among unvaccinated individuals; 2 in healthy school-aged children.
  - 95% unvaccinated or with unknown vaccination status, 2% with one MMR dose, 3% with two MMR doses.

Southwest Outbreak:

- Texas: 742 confirmed cases; 2 deaths in a school-aged children (33 additional cases not associated with the W. Texas outbreak).
- New Mexico: 81 cases; 1 death
- Oklahoma: 16 cases

#### Some of Other States with Ongoing Outbreaks:

- Kansas: 72 cases(70 associated with an outbreak there)
- Colorado: 12 cases (outbreak: 7)

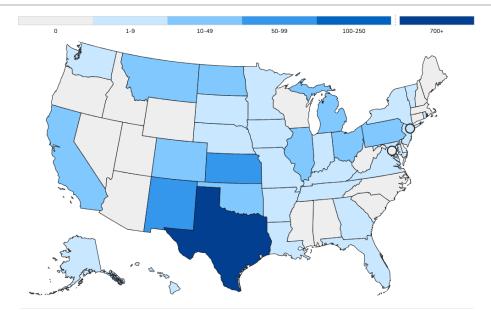
Michigan: 10 cases (outbreak: 4)

- Ohio: 35 cases
- North Dakota: 34 cases

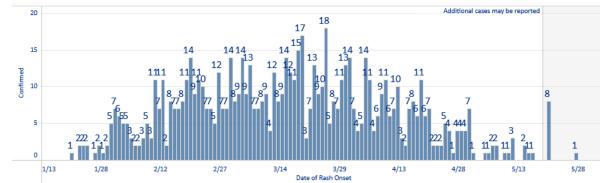
• Arkansas: 7 cases

Illinois: 10 cases

- Montana: 19 cases
- Prior: Pennsylvania:15 cases in April. Indiana: 8 cases in April. Tennessee: 6 cases in May. Georgia: 3 cases in Feb (2 new cases in May-June). New Jersey: 3 cases in February.

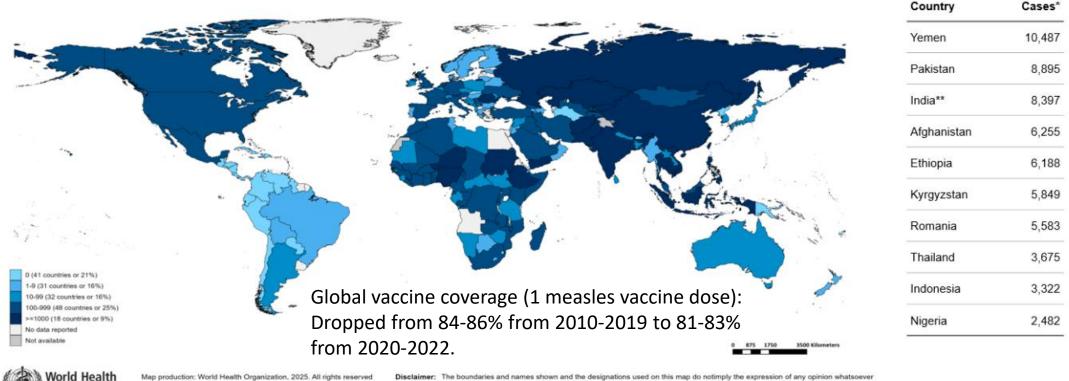






Oklahoma State Department of Health. Measles. Available at: https://oklahoma.gov/health/health-education/acute-disease-service/rash-illness/measles.html Michigan Department of Health and Human Services. Measles Updates. Available at: https://www.michigan.gov/mdhhs/adult.child.serv/childrenfamilies/immunizations/measlesupdates Indiana Department of Health. Measles. Available at: https://www.in.gov/health/idepd/diseases-and-conditions-resource-page/measles/ Montana Department of Health and Human Services. Measles Cases and Outbreaks. Available at: https://dephs.mt.gov/publichealth/cdepi/diseases/Measles Neatb Department of Health and Human Services. Measles Cases and Outbreaks. Available at: https://dephs.mt.gov/publichealth/cdepi/diseases/Measles

### Number of Measles Cases Globally, 10/2024-3/2025



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### CDC: Importations of measles to the U.S. in recent years haven been from travel to the Philippines, Ukraine, Israel, Thailand, Vietnam, England, France, Germany, and India.

WHO. Measles and Rubella Global Update March 2025. Available at: https://view.officeapps.live.com/op/view.aspx?src=https%3A%2F%2Fimmunizationdata.who.int%2Fdocs%2Flibrariesprovider21%2Fmeasles-and-rubella%2Fglobal-mrupdate.pptx%3Fsfvrsn%3D3547ebab 9&wdOrigin=BROWSELINK

Organization

Data source: IVB Database

Centers for Disease Control and Prevention. Clinical Overview of Measles. Available at: <u>https://www.cdc.gov/measles/data-research/index.html</u>; Filardo TD, Mathis A, Raines K, et al. Measles. In: Manual for the Surveillance of Vaccine Preventable Diseases. 2019. Agailable at: <u>https://www.cdc.gov/surv-manual/php/table-of-contents/chapter-7-measles.html</u>; Filardo TD, Mathis A, Raines K, et al. Measles. In: Manual for the Surveillance of Vaccine Preventable Diseases. 2019. Agailable at: <u>https://www.cdc.gov/surv-manual/php/table-of-contents/chapter-7-measles.html</u>; Filardo TD, Mathis A, Raines K, et al. Measles. In: Manual for the Surveillance of Vaccine Preventable Diseases. 2019. Agailable at: <u>https://www.cdc.gov/surv-manual/php/table-of-contents/chapter-7-measles.html</u>; Filardo TD, Mathis A, Raines K, et al. Measles. In: Manual for the Surveillance of Vaccine Preventable Diseases. 2019. Agailable at: <u>https://www.cdc.gov/surv-manual/php/table-of-contents/chapter-7-measles.html</u>; Filardo TD, Mathis A, Raines K, et al. Measles. In: Manual for the Surveillance of Vaccine Preventable Diseases. 2019. Agailable at: <u>https://www.cdc.gov/surv-manual/php/table-of-contents/chapter-7-measles.html</u>; Filardo TD, Mathis A, Raines K, et al. Measles. In: Manual for the Surveillance of Vaccine Preventable Diseases. 2019. Agailable at: <u>https://www.cdc.gov/surv-manual/php/table-of-contents/chapter-7-measles.html</u>; Filardo TD, Mathis A, Raines K, et al. Measles. In: Manual for the Surveillance of Vaccine Preventable Diseases. 2019. Agailable at: <u>https://www.cdc.gov/surv-manual/php/table-of-contents/chapter-7-measles.html</u>; Filardo TD, Mathis A, Raines K, et al. Measles. In: Manual for the Surveillance of Vaccine Preventable Diseases. 2019. Agailable at: <u>https://www.cdc.gov/surv-manual/php/table-of-contents/chapter-7-measles.html</u>; Filardo TD, Mathis A, Raines K, et al. Measles. In: Mathis A, Raines K, et al.

### Measles — Washington State Residents, 2025 (N=6)

Date Reported	County	Age	Exposure
2/26/25	King	Infant	International Travel
3/17/25	Snohomish	Adult	Linked to 1 <sup>st</sup> Case
4/1/25	Snohomish	Adult	International Travel
4/4/25	King	Adult	International Travel
4/20/25	King	Infant	International Travel
5/20/25	King	Adult	International Travel

There have also been 3 additional cases among travelers to Washington State, who are not residents of Washington State.

Out-of-state visitor:

Monday, 5/19 7 PM-11 PM: EdgeWater Dining and Spirits

Tuesday, May 20, 8:30 AM-12:30 PM: Urgent Care of Idaho – Burley Clinic at 382 Overland Ave. This location shares a waiting room with two other businesses: Canyon Foot & Ankle Specialists; Smithson Counseling & MindWire Neurofeedback

Tuesday, May 20, 10:00 AM-12:30 PM: Intermountain Health Cassia Regional Hospital

- Anyone who was at one of these locations should check their immunization records to see if they are protected from measles and to ensure they get vaccinated if not immune.
- Anyone at one of these locations should monitor for symptoms <u>until 6/14/25</u>. If symptoms develop they should call the clinic or hospital ahead to notify them of the need for evaluation for measles.

Press Release: https://phd5.idaho.gov/Documents/Press-Releases/2025/SCPHD May 23 2025 Measles Exposure Eng.pdf

### Clinical Evaluation

- Symptoms/signs: Fever, descending maculopapular rash (no vesicles), and cough, coryza, or conjunctivitis.
- Epidemiologic risk factors in the past 21 days (international travel, travel to community in the U.S. with an outbreak, contact with a known measles case).
- Vaccination history (prior vaccination does not rule-out; modified measles is milder and less contagious).
- Contact local health department immediately if measles is suspected.
- Recommend testing in collaboration with local health jurisdiction and sending specimens to the State Public Health Laboratory (PHL).
- When sending testing to the State PHL, the local health jurisdiction needs to approve testing being sent.
- Specimens to be sent:
  - Throat or nasopharyngeal swab for measles PCR in viral transport media
  - Urine for measles PCR (testing according to State Health Department)
  - Blood for measles antibodies (IgM and IgG)

### American Academy of Pediatrics Project Firstline Poster

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Project Firstline is a national collaborative led by the U.S. Canters for Disease Control and Provention (DC) to provide infection control training and education to frontline healthcare workers and public health parsonnel. American Academy of Prolatives is proud to partner with Project Firstline, as supported through Cooperative Agroument CD. CH AO 118-1002. CDC is an agency within the Dopartment of Health and Human Sorvices (H-S). In contents of the Hyper do not necessarily programs that policies of CDC or HE and a build not be considered an endosement by the Inclusion Technology (Inclusion) and the Inclusion of the Inclusio

#### https://downloads.aap.org/AAP/ PDF/ThinkMeasles-final.pdf

### Infection Prevention in Healthcare Settings

- All health care workers should have presumptive evidence of immunity.
  - Documentation of 2 doses of measles vaccination at least 28 days apart (those who received a killed or unknown type of vaccine or a measles vaccine given together with immune globulin from 1963-1967 should be revaccinated with 2 doses of MMR vaccine)
  - · Laboratory evidence of immunity
  - Prior laboratory-confirmed disease
  - Those born before 1957: Consider 2 doses of MMR vaccine (this is more strongly recommended for communities with outbreaks)
- Any health care workers who are not immune should not enter the room of any patient being evaluated for measles or for 2 hours after they leave.
- Consider measles in anyone with a fever and generalized maculopapular rash with recent international travel or travel to an area with a measles outbreak, or exposure to a measles case.
- Having a protocol to screen patients for possible measles on triage (e.g. fever and rash, with international travel, travel to a community with a measles outbreak, or known exposure to measles in the past 21 days) can help minimize exposure to other patients. Patients with possible measles should be provided with a surgical mask to wear and immediately isolated. They should not be waiting in the waiting room.
- If a patient calls due to symptoms after an exposure or international travel, advise them regarding which entrance to use, to wear a face mask and who to notify of their arrival.
- Use an airborne infection isolation room if possible; otherwise place in a private room (one with HEPA filtration of exhaust from room if available) with the door closed, with no other patients entering the room for 2 hours (or based on air changes per hour (ACH), the time for 99.9% of airborne contaminants to be removed). The room can be cleaned with standard procedures after 2 hours. Facilities can also set-up an area for evaluation outside as needed.
- Anyone entering this room should wear an N-95 mask (or PAPR).
- If transport is required to another facility, notify EMS and hospital regarding suspected measles and need for airborne precautions.

Centers for Disease Control and Prevention. Immunization of health-care personnel: recommendations of the Advisory Committee on Immunization Practices (ACIP). MMWR Recomm Rep. 2011;60(RR-7):1-45. Available at: <u>https://www.cdc.gov/mmwr/preview/mmwrhtml/rr6007a1.htm</u> Centers for Disease Control and Prevention. Interim Infection Prevention and Control Recommendations for Measles in Healthcare Settings. Available at: <u>https://www.cdc.gov/infection-control/hcp/measles/index.html</u> Centers for Disease Control and Prevention. Guidelines for Environmental Infection Control in Health-Care Facilities. Available at: https://www.cdc.gov/infection-control/media/pdfs/guideline-environmental-h.pdf. 2003.

### Project Firstline Measles Infection Control Micro-Learn

#### About the Micro-Learns

**User Guide** 

The Project Firstline Infection Control Micro-Learns are a series of guided infection control discussions that provide brief, onthe-job educational opportunities. Each micro-learn focuses on a single infection control topic and connects infection control concepts to immediate, practical value. Healthcare workers can easily apply the key points to their daily work and perform the recommended actions to keep germs from spreading.

Infection Control Micro-Learns

#### Using the Micro-Learns

The micro-learns can be incorporated into existing opportunities where groups of healthcare workers gather, such as pre-shift "huddles" or team meetings. The sessions should be led or facilitated by an experienced team member with infection control expertise.

Each micro-learn package includes an adaptable discussion guide for the facilitator and one job aid, which facilitators are encouraged to review prior to presenting.

- Discussion Guide. The discussion guide is not a script. Facilitators are encouraged to adapt the guide for their audience by incorporating relevant and practical questions and ideas. For instance, facilitators can connect the content to the audience's job duties, facility-specific cases or issues, resources and points of contact, or other information.
- Job Aid. The one-page, visual job aid helps to reinforce the key messages of the micro-learn. Facilitators are encouraged to make the job aid available after the microlearn session, such as in digital or hard copy form.

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#### Notes for Facilitators

- Before presenting a micro-learn, check the policies and protocols at your facility and adapt the content accordingly.
- Build on your knowledge, experience, and awareness to connect the content to local context or relevant recent events so that your audience can apply the concepts confidently.
- The micro-learns reinforce infection control concepts when risks are observed in patients or in the
  patient environment, not necessarily in visitors or other staff members.

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### Reduce the Risk of Spread



#### Identify and Isolate

- Quickly identify and isolate patients with known or suspected measles.
- Isolate patients in an airborne infection isolation room. If that isn't possible, select a private room with a door that shuts and doesn't vent air out into the facility.
- If unsure of where to place a patient, consult with your facility's Infection Preventionist.
- Follow your facility's guidance on how to isolate patients.
- Limit transport or movement of patients outside of the room unless medically necessary.

#### Inform

 Make sure to notify appropriate personnel in your facility as well as public health departments when a measles case is suspected.

#### Actions You Can Take to Prevent the Spread

- Be up to date on your MMR vaccine.
- Put on a fit-tested N-95 or higher-level respirator before entering a measles patient's room.
- Recommend that the patient wear a mask until appropriately isolated in an airborne infection isolation room.
- Clean your hands before and after seeing the patient.
- Continue to follow routine practices to clean and disinfect surfaces and handle linens.
- Use additional personal protective equipment (PPE) if needed for a specific task.

https://www.cdc.gov/project-firstline/media/pdfs/PFL-MeaslesMicroLearn.pdf

### Brief H5N1 Update

OR **Exposure Sources of Cases** со AZ Other (backyard Poultry Farms/ flocks, wild Total Number of Culling birds, other **Dairy Herds** Operations Unknown Cases mammals) PR U.S. 70 confirmed 41 confirmed 24 confirmed 2 confirmed 3 confirmed Choose variable Choose time period 7 probable 1 probable 5 probable 1 probable **Commercial Flocks** by State 11 confirmed 11 confirmed Washington 0 0 0 3 probable 3 probable 1 confirmed 1 confirmed Oregon 0 0 0 Idaho 0 0 0 0 0

#### No human cases in the U.S. since Feb. 2025

CDC. H5 Bird Flu: Current Situation. Available at: https://www.cdc.gov/bird-flu/situation-summary/index.htm

USDA. HPAI Confirmed Cases in Livestock. Available at: https://www.aphis.usda.gov/livestock-poultry-disease/avian/avian-influenza/hpai-detections/hpai-confirmed-cases-livestock

USDA. Confirmations of Highly Pathogenic Avian Influenza in Commercial and Backyard Flocks. Available at: https://www.aphis.usda.gov/livestock-poultry-disease/avian/avian-influenza/hpai-detections/commercial-backyard-flocks

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Number of New Confirmed Cases in Cattle by State, Last 30 Days

### H5 Wastewater Detections, May 25, 2025 - May 31, 2025



Select a detection type below to add or remove it from the map.

H5 Detection ONO Detection No Samples in Last Week

Sewershed	State/ Territory	County	05/31/2025	05/24/2025	05/17/2025	05/10/2025
ID:1747	Oregon	Umatilla	+	+	+	-
ID:1738	Oregon	Linn	+		-	-
ID:1755	Oregon	Washington	+	No Data	+	-
ID:1752	Oregon	Washington	+	No Data	+	-
ID:1753	Oregon	Washington	+	No Data	+	-
ID:1736	Oregon	Lincoln	+	No Data	-	+
ID:1751	Oregon	Wasco	-	+	+	+
ID:1734	Oregon	Lane	-	+	+	-
ID:1717	Oregon	Clackamas	-	+	+	-
ID:1721	Oregon	Columbia	-			-
ID:1722	Oregon	Coos	-	+		-
ID:1723	Oregon	Deschutes	No Data	+		-
ID:1726	Oregon	Douglas	No Data	+		-
ID:1733	Oregon	Lane	-	+		-
ID:1735	Oregon	Lincoln	-	+		-
ID:1743	Oregon	Marion	-	+	+	1.1
ID:1741	Oregon	Marion	-	+	-	+
ID:1729	Oregon	Jackson	-	+	-	-
ID:1732	Oregon	Klamath	-	+	No Data	-
ID:1746	Oregon	Polk	-	+	-	No Data
ID:1716	Oregon	Benton	-	+	-	-
ID:1720	Oregon	Clatsop	No Data	+	-	-
ID:1739	Oregon	Malheur	No Data	+	No Data	No Data
ID:1740	Oregon	Marion	No Data	+	-	-
ID:1748	Oregon	Umatilla	No Data	+	-	-
ID:1719	Oregon	Clackamas	-	-	+	-
ID:1728	Oregon	Hood River	-	-	+	-
ID:1731	Oregon	Josephine	No Data	-	+	-
ID:1754	Oregon	Washington	-	No Data	+	-
ID:1757	Oregon	Yamhill	-	-	-	-

### **Resources for H5 Prevention**

Centers for Disease Control and Prevention. Reducing Exposure for Workers to Avian Influenza A Viruses. Available at: <u>https://www.cdc.gov/bird-flu/worker-safety/index.html</u>

Idaho State Department of Agriculture. Avian Influenza. Available at: <u>https://agri.idaho.gov/animals/animal-disease/avian-influenza/</u>

Oregon Department of Agriculture. Avian Influenza. Available at: <u>https://www.oregon.gov/oda/animal-health-feeds-livestock-id/animal-diseases/avian-influenza/Pages/default.aspx</u>

Oregon Department of Fish and Wildlife. Wildlife and Fish Health - Avian Flu. Available at: <u>https://www.dfw.state.or.us/wildlife/health\_program/avian-flu/index.asp</u>

Washington Department of Health. Avian Influenza. Available at: <u>https://doh.wa.gov/you-and-your-family/illness-and-disease-z/avian-influenza</u>

Washington State Department of Agriculture. Available at: <u>https://agr.wa.gov/departments/animals-livestock-and-pets/avian-health/avian-influenza</u>

Washington Department of Fish and Wildlife. Wildlife and Fish Health - Avian Flu. Available at: <u>https://wdfw.wa.gov/species-habitats/diseases/bird-flu#human-hpai</u>

### Examples of Flyers on PPE for Workers



Dairy Workers should wear appropriate PPE to reduce their risk of H5 bird flu.



#### The milking parlor option is for limited settings, where the source of contamination is only from one side. Talk to your supervisor to know if this applies to you.

You should wear personal protective equipment (PPE) when in contact with or around dairy cows, raw milk, other animals, or surfaces and other items that might be contaminated with virus. Ask your supervisor if you have questions about what type of PPE to wear or when or how to use it. Recommended PPE may include:

- Head cover or hair cover
- Safety goggles
- Optional face shield over the top of goggles
- NIOSH Approved\* particulate respirator (such as an N95\*)
- Coveralls that keep you dry
- Optional waterproof apron over the top of the coveralls
- Disposable gloves with optional outer work gloves
- Boot covers or boots

In milking parlors, where the source of contamination is only from one side, you may be able to use a sleeved apron in place of the coveralls and waterproof apron.

More information on worker safety and putting on and removing PPE is available at https://www.cdc.gov/bird-flu/prevention/farm-workers.html. When working with animals

or materials that could be infected or contaminated with H5N1 bird flu, monitor your health and continue to monitor for 10 days after your last exposure.

#### **AVIAN INFLUENZA GUIDANCE** FOR FARM WORKERS

#### What is Avian Flu (H5N1)?

H5N1 is a virus that can cause a disease known as avian influenza or "bird flu." Although it is rare, people can get sick with bird flu when they come into contact with infected birds or animals, their body fluids, feces, or their environments.

#### **How Farm Workers Can Protect Themselves:**



Raw milk and raw milk products may contain harmful bacteria or viruses, including H5N1 virus, and consuming raw milk is a risk for infection Pasteurization removes these germs.

Wash your hands

throughout the day

and before eating,

Trouble breathing

drinking, or smoking.

#### Symptoms of Avian Flu in humans can include:

Headaches		Eye redness, tearing,
Fatigue		or irritation
Fever	•	Runny or stuffy nose
Diarrhea		Muscle or body aches

 Cough Sore throat Seizures

#### What to do if you are exposed or feel sick:

. If you were in contact with birds or animals infected with H5N1 virus or their environments, you should monitor yourself for symptoms during contact and for 10 days after you stopped contact.

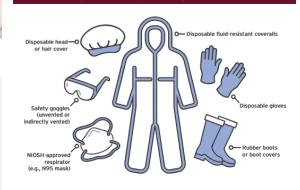
· If you start to feel sick and have symptoms of bird flu, you should isolate away from other people and immediately contact your local health department. You can call 206-418-5500 to ask for the contact information for your local health department.

#### More information:

**CDC** 

For questions about bird flu or about how to get tested: · Call the Washington State Department of Health at 1-800-525-0127 or visit doh.wa.gov/avian-influenza For questions about sick or dead animals on the farm: Contact your farm veterinarian.

#### Prevent avian influenza: keep yourself and your family safe with PPE



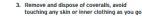
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Sneezing	Safely remove PPE:			
Nausea	1. Clean and disinfect boots			
Vomiting	2. Remove boots			
Rash				

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4. Remove and dispose of gloves

is contaminated: avoid touching your skin

or inner clothing while wearing or

5. Wash hands with soap and water

if reusable

water again

removing PPE

- 6. Remove goggles, head cover, and respirator/mask
- 3. Do not wear or store contaminated clothing or 7. Clean and disinfect goggles and respirator equipment in your home or away from your
- work site. 8. Immediately wash hands with soap and
- . Contact your local public health departmen for additional guidance. You can call 206-418-5500 to ask for the contact 9. Remember that the outside of your PPE

removing PPF.

If your flock or worksite tested positive for bird

Wear PPF when in contact with sick or dead

poultry, their feces, or anything in their coop

or when entering any structures where there

information for your local health department

flu, or if you are awaiting results, wearing personal protective equipment (PPE) can help

keep you and your family healthy.

are sick or dead poultry present.

2. Wash hands with soap and water after

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https://www.cdc.gov/bird-flu/media/pdfs/2024/11/Bird-Flu-Could-Spread-Handout.pdf https://doh.wa.gov/you-and-your-family/illness-and-disease-z/avian-influenza https://doh.wa.gov/sites/default/files/2024-04/420596-AvianFluGuidanceforFarmWorkers.pdf

### Handouts for Hunters

#### USDA Animal and Plant Health Inspection Service U.S. DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE

#### Highly Pathogenic Avian Influenza (HPAI)



When Dressing Game Birds

entering or leaving the area

poultry or pet birds.

hand sanifizer

· Always wear disposable gloves when handling or

available use an alcohol-based hand sanitizer

location away from poultry and other birds.

cleaning game and wash hands with soap and water

immediately afterward. If soap and water are not

Dress game birds in the field whenever possible.

If you can't dress birds in the field, clean them in a

Keep a separate pair of shoes to wear only in your

game cleaning area. If this is not possible, wear rubber

footwear and clean and disinfect your shoes before

the field or at home. Do not use those tools around

Double bag the offal and feathers. Tie the inner bag.

take off your gloves, and leave them in the outer bag

before tying it closed. Then wash your hands or use

· Use dedicated tools for cleaning game, whether in

#### Hunters—Protect Your Poultry and Pet Birds From Avian Influenza

Avian influenza, or "bird flu," is a respiratory disease of birds caused by influenza A viruses. Wild birds such as ducks, gulls, and shorebirds, can carry and spread these viruses but may show no signs of illness. However, avian influenza can kill domestic poultry (such as chickens, turkeys, ducks, and geese).

Avian influenza spreads quickly through direct, bird-tobird contact. It can also spread to birds via contaminated surfaces and materials, including people's clothing, shoes, or hands

If you raise poultry or keep pet birds, follow the recommendations below to make sure you don't spread avian influenza to your birds.

#### When Hunting

- · Do not harvest or handle wild birds that are obviously sick or found dead
- · Wash your hands with soap and water immediately after handling game. If soap and water are not available, use an alcohol-based hand sanitizer

#### Place the bag in a trash can that poultry and pet birds cannot access. Make sure the trash can is covered and children pets or other animals can't get into it

Wash all tools and work surfaces with soap and water. Then disinfect them using a freshly mixed chlorine solution consisting of 1/3 cup of household bleach per I gallon of water

#### After Coming in Contact With Wild Birds on Your Property

- · Do not handle wild birds that are obviously sick or found dead.
- Wear disposable gloves while cleaning bird feeders. and wash hands with soan and water immediately afterward. If soap and water are not available, use an alcohol-based hand sanitizer

#### Protecting Yourself

- Although avian influenza viruses rarely infect people, you should still protect yourself. To reduce your risk
- Do not eat, drink, or put anything in your mouth while cleaning or handling game
- · Avoid cross-contamination. Keep uncooked game in a separate container, away from cooked or ready-toeat foods
- Cook game meat thoroughly. Poultry should reach an internal temperature of 165 °F to kill disease organisms and parasites

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#### About Avian Influenza

Avian influenza viruses are classified based on a combination of two groups of proteins: the hemagglutinin or "H" proteins, of which there are 16 (HI-HI6), and neuraminidase or "N" proteins, of which there are 9 (NI-N9). These viruses are further categorized as either low or high pathogenicity, indicating their ability to produce disease in poultry.

Low pathogenicity avian influenza is common in wild hirds in the Linited States and around the world. In most cases, it causes few or no signs of infection. However, some strains can become highly pathogenic in poultry.

Highly pathogenic avian influenza is extremely contagious and deadly to domestic poultry. If we find it in the United States, we must quickly eradicate the disease to protect our Nation's flocks and economy

#### **Ouestions**?

For more information about avian influenza in domestic and wild birds, go to www.aphis.usda.gov and search "avian influenza"

For more information about avian influenza and human health visit the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (www.cdc.gov) and search "avian influenza."

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#### Avian Influenza and Your Health Hunters and Hunting FAQs

Avian influenza is a virus that is easily spread from bird to bird. This virus is causing significant illness and death in wild bird populations worldwide, including here in Washington state.

Birds infected with avian influenza spread the virus through their saliva, mucous and feces. You can become infected if the virus gets into your eyes, nose, or mouth, or if you breathe it in. Bird flu nfections in people are rare and usually happen after

a long period of contact with infected birds while not

wearing appropriate personal protective equipment (also called PPE) Avian influenza rarely causes illness in humans, but it is possible. Follow these guidelines to stay healthy:

#### Before the hunt:

- · Pack the supplies you'll need to safely dress game,
  - including: Rubber or disposable gloves
- An N95 respirator or well-fitting facemask
- Eve protection (such as safety glasses or goggles)
- A spray bottle with 10% bleach solution (mix 1 cup of bleach with 1 gallon of water)
- Soap

Water

Washington State Department of



· Talk to your healthcare provider about getting the seasonal flu vaccine. It is especially important that people who may have exposure to sick birds get a seasonal flu vaccine. The seasonal flu vaccine will not prevent you from getting the bird flu, but it will reduce the chance you'll get sick with human and bird flu viruses at the same time.

#### While in the field: Do not harvest or handle wild birds that are

- obviously sick or found dead. Prevent dogs from having contact with or eating sick or dead wild birds.
- Dress game birds in a well-ventilated area. Wear rubber or disposable gloves, an N95
- respirator or well-fitting facemask, and eye protection when dressing birds. · Do not eat, drink, or smoke while cleaning game
- When done handling game, immediately wash hands thoroughly with soap and water.
- Clean equipment used for dressing with 10% bleach solution

#### doh.wa.gov/avian-influenza

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If you need medical treatment, before you arrive in person first call your healthcare provider to let them

- internal temperature of 165 degrees Fahrenheit

Animal health emergencies can cause stress in affected communities. If you notice changes in your emotions or thinking, or if a situation could be life-threatening, get immediate emergency help by Contact your local health jurisdiction and healthdialing 911. If you have depression, suicidal thoughts, or just need to talk to someone, contact one of these groups:

your pet becomes sick.

#### influenza in humans?

infections in humans include

- Fever or feeling feverish/chills Fatigue (very tired)
- Cough Muscle or body aches Runny or stuffy nose Headaches
- Eve tearing, redness.
   Nausea
- irritation Vomiting
- Sneezing Diarrhea (the runs)
- Sore throat Seizures Trouble breathing
   Rash

#### What should I do if I feel sick and I might have been

exposed to avian influenza? Contact your local health department and let them know about your contact with birds. You can look up the contact information for your



know about your possible exposure to avian influenza.

Mental Health Resources

Washington County Crisis Line

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Washington Listens

(1-800-273-8255)

Call your local county crisis line to request

supports/behavioral-health-recovery/

National Suicide Prevention Lifeline

assistance (24/7/365) for you, a friend, or family

member. www.hca.wa.gov/health-care-services-

Washington Listens is a free, anonymous service for

who feel sad, anxious, or stressed. (1-833-681-0211)

24/7, free and confidential crisis resources for you

or your loved ones: Dial 988 or 1-800-273-TALK

anyone in the state, providing support to people

doh.wa.gov/avian-influenza

CDC. Hunters and Bird Flu. Available at: https://www.cdc.gov/bird-flu/risk-factors/hunters-and-bird-flu.html

USDA. Highly Pathogenic Avian Influenza (HPAI) Hunters—Protect Your Poultry and Pet Birds From Avian Influenza. Available at: https://www.aphis.usda.gov/sites/default/files/fsc hpai hunters.pdf

U.S. Fish & Wildlife Service. Highly Pathogenic Avian Influenza (HPAI). Available at: https://www.fws.gov/avian-influenza?utm campaign=&utm content=&utm medium=email&utm source=govdelivery&utm term=



· Do not feed raw meat or other parts of the

carcass to dogs or other animals. Check yourself for symptoms of illness for 10 days after the last day of exposure to potentially infected birds or contaminated surfaces or equipment.

care provider if you start to feel sick. · Pets that have contact with wild birds, such as hunting dogs, may be at higher risk of exposure to avian flu. Seek veterinary care immediately if

What are the symptoms of avian

The reported signs and symptoms of avian influenza

Short of breath

### Handouts for Those with Backyard Flocks

#### How to Prepare for a Healthy Family and Flock

Your new chicks, ducklings, and other birds can carry germs like Salmonella or bird flu that may make them – and you – sick. Follow these tips to keep your family and your birds safe.

#### Wash your hands after touching or caring for birds.

You can get sick if you touch your birds, or bird supplies, and then touch your eyes, nose, mouth, or face.



Don't touch your face while handling or caring for your birds.
Always wash your hands with soap and water after

touching or caring for your birds. • Supervise children when they are interacting with birds. While chicks and ducklings may seem like the perfect

while chicks and oucklings may seem like the perfect size for your child to hold, children have a higher risk for severe illness. Children under the age of five should not touch or hold birds because of this.



#### Keep your birds outside.

Although it may be tempting, do not bring new birds inside your home. The best way to keep their germs outside, is to keep them outside.

 Keep a separate pair of shoes and other supplies you use when caring for birds outside your home.

Clean your birds' supplies, such as water or food containers, outside.

#### Don't let your birds have contact with wild birds.

 Bird flu spreads from wild birds, especially wild ducks or geese, to backyard poultry. Don't let your birds have contact with other birds or wild animals. This includes having a cover over the top of the area where they live and roam.

#### Don't touch sick or dead birds.

If your birds are sick or dying, wear gloves and an N95 mask when caring for them. **Report sick or dead birds** to your veterinarian and the Washington State Department of Agriculture at 1-800-606-3056.





hy For questions, call y Washington State yard Department of Health at 1-800-525-0127.



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### Avian Influenza in Idaho

Avian influenza (AI) is a virus which can infect all birds. Domesticated birds may become infected through direct contact with infected waterfowl or other infected poultry, or through contact with surfaces that have been contaminated with the viruses.

#### Two different strains:

\*Both strains can occur naturally in wild migratory waterfowl.

- Highly pathogenic avian influenza (HPAI) these virus strains are deadly to domestic poultry and can spread rapidly from flock to flock. This is a reportable disease. Disease can be slow and mild in waterfowl.
- Low pathogenicity avian influenza (LPAI) these virus strains are most likely to be carried by wild migratory waterfowl and shorebirds without causing illness. LPAI can infect domestic poultry. Symptoms are usually milder

#### How is HPAI Spread?

- HPAI is spread by direct contact between birds, by coughing and sneezing and through poop.
- People can spread HPAI by moving infected birds, moving contaminated equipment and feed, and by wearing clothing and shoes that have been in contact with infected birds.

Poultry owners and growers are encouraged to always practice good biosecurity to prevent the spread of AI. Visit agri.idaho.gov for more information.

#### Source: USDA APHIS Defend the Flock

Symptoms Include:

Sudden death without clinical signs

Decreased egg production or soft-

Lack of energy and appetite

shelled or misshapen eggs

Swelling of head, comb, eyelid,

Purple discoloration of wattles,

Nasal discharge, coughing and

If you have multiple sick or dying

chart for reporting guidance.

found at agri.idaho.gov.

The avian influenza flow chart and

bird owner reporting form can be

birds, call a local veterinarian, or

refer to ISDA's avian influenza flow

wattles and hocks

comb and legs

sneezing

Incoordination

**Report Sick Birds** 

https://doh.wa.gov/sites/default/files/2023-03/420467-PrepareHealthyFamilyFlock.pdf https://agri.idaho.gov/wp-content/uploads/animal-industries/hpai-bird-owner-info.pdf https://www.aphis.usda.gov/sites/default/files/bro-protect-poultry-from-ai.pdf

- Pertussis: Washington and Oregon have had the first and second highest number of cases reported to date in 2025 than any other State in the U.S. Washington: 1,289 (CDC); Oregon: 882; Idaho: 397 (Total: 2568; 62% of cases in 2024; over 1/5<sup>th</sup> of cases in the U.S. this year).
- Measles: 1168 cases in 33 states (through 6/5) with 3 deaths. 89% associated with one of 17 outbreaks. 95% unvaccinated or with unknown vaccination status.
- There have been 6 cases of measles among Washington State residents (King and Snohomish Counties) with no outbreak (≥3 related cases); all but one related to international travel. Last case reported on 5/20.
- Measles diagnosed in an out-of-state visitor to Burley, Idaho in South Central Idaho. Potential exposure locations on 5/19 and 5/20. South Central Health District has advised that anyone at one of these locations should monitor for symptoms until 6/14/25.
- Idaho continues to have cases of H5 in dairy cows; Oregon continues to have H5 detected in wastewater surveillance. No human cases in the U.S. since February 2025. No cases of human to human transmission in the U.S.

### Recommendations

- Ensure patients at your clinics are up to date on immunizations to protect your patients and the community.
- Consider using multiple strategies to increase vaccination rates (e.g. reminder/recall, electronic prompts, standing orders, increasing patient access, provider audit and feedback with benchmarks, CME on provider communication techniques (e.g. boostoregon.org webinars including on motivational interviewing), vaccine clinics, reviewing/addressing vaccination status with WIC beneficiaries, messaging utilizing trusted messengers).
- Pertussis: DTaP (5 doses): 3 dose primary series at 2, 4 and 6 months, followed by a booster dose at 15-18 months and 4-6 years. Tdap: -1 dose at age 11-12 years, then either Td or Tdap every 10 years. During each pregnancy, in the early part of 27-36 weeks gestation. Anyone who expects to be in close contact with the infant and is not up to date on pertussis immunizations should be immunized at least 2 weeks prior to meeting the infant.
  - Measles: Children: Dose #1 at 12-15 months; Dose #2 at 4-6 years old, before school entry.
  - For international travelers or those living or traveling to a community with an outbreak: Infants should receive dose #1 early, at ≥6 months, prior to international travel. This should also be considered for those living or traveling to a community with an ongoing outbreak. If vaccinated before 12 months, they should be revaccinated with the 2 dose series, starting at 12-15 months. Dose #2 can also be given early, at least 28 days after Dose #1. Those ≥ 12 months old should receive 2 doses at least 28 days apart prior to travel.
  - Adults without presumptive evidence of immunity (i.e. documentation of 1 or 2 doses of MMR vaccine (depending upon risk), laboratory evidence of immunity, laboratory-confirmed disease, or birth before 1957) should also be immunized, with the number of doses depending upon their risk. <u>Those who should receive 2 doses of MMR vaccine (separated by at least 28 days)</u>:
    - International travelers (2<sup>nd</sup> dose at least two weeks prior to travel). This should also be considered for those living or traveling to a community with an outbreak.
    - College students.
    - Household/close contacts of immunosuppressed persons.
    - People with HIV infection with CD4 >200 (live vaccines contraindicated in immunosuppressed persons and pregnant women).
    - Healthcare workers (those born before 1957 and without presumptive immunity should consider 2 doses of MMR vaccine; this is more strongly recommended for communities with outbreaks).
    - Those vaccinated between 1963-1967 and received a killed or unknown type of measles vaccine or a measles vaccine given together with immune globulin should also be immunized (2 doses if above risk factors).

HHS: All individuals should consult with their health care providers to understand their options regarding vaccinations.

### Recommendations (cont.)

- When pertussis is suspected:
  - <u>Recommend testing</u>: Nasopharyngeal swab [polyester (e.g. Dacron), rayon, or nylon-flocked] placed in liquid transport media or nasopharyngeal wash/aspirate for Bordatella pertussis PCR within 3-4 weeks of cough onset.
  - **Consider treatment** prior to results for highly suspected cases of pertussis, those at high risk for severe disease (e.g. infants <1 year, immunocompromised, persons with asthma), or those who will have contact with someone at high risk for severe disease (including pregnant women in their third trimester).
    - Symptom severity can be decreased when treatment is provided prior to the onset of a paroxysmal cough.
    - Treatment also given to prevent transmission. Patients are infectious from the onset of their illness to 3 weeks after the start of the paroxysmal cough.
    - CDC recommends initiating treatment for infants < 1 year or pregnant women up to 6 weeks after onset of cough, and for others, up to 3 weeks after onset of cough.
    - First-line treatment: Azithromycin (preferred for newborns <1 month old), erythromycin, or clarithromycin (≥ 1 month old). Trimethoprim-sulfamethoxazole (≥ 2 months old) is an alternative option.</li>
  - **Consider post-exposure prophylaxis** for all household contacts, and other contacts who are either at high risk of severe infection or who will have contact with others at high risk (within 21 days of cough onset for index patient, or for those at high risk, within 21 days of exposure to an infectious pertussis case).
  - **Isolation:** Patients with pertussis need to stay home until 5 days of treatment or, if not treated, until 3 weeks after start of coughing paroxysms (6 weeks for infants < 1 year old).

### Recommendations (cont.)

- Prepare for measles:
  - Ensure all health care workers have presumptive evidence of measles immunity.
  - If a measles case is identified in your community, develop signage and a protocol to screen patients for possible measles on triage (e.g. fever and rash, with international travel, travel to a community with a measles outbreak, or known exposure to measles in the past 21 days), providing patients with possible measles a mask to wear and to immediately bring back to a designated room available (e.g. airborne infection isolation room if available).
- **Consider measles** in anyone with a fever and generalized maculopapular rash with recent international travel or travel to an area with a measles outbreak, or exposure to a measles case.
- **Recommend testing performed in collaboration with local health jurisdiction** (throat or NP swab for measles PCR in viral transport media, possibly urine for measles PCR, blood for measles IgM and IgG).
- H5: Precautions for farm workers, hunters, backyard flock owners, and others who work with animals. Avoid raw dairy products and undercooked poultry/eggs. Avoid raw pet food; prevent cats from hunting birds. Don't handle sick wildlife without PPE.

### Patient Education Resources for Immunizations for Measles and Other Vaccine Preventable Diseases

- IHS: <u>https://www.ihs.gov/epi/health-surveillance/educational-resources/</u>; <u>https://www.ihs.gov/NIPHC/public-health-messaging/</u>
- NPAIHB: Email vaccinative@npaihb.org to access the vaccine resource folder (while website is down; in the future, resources will be available at indiancountryecho.org).
- Centers for Disease Control and Prevention: <u>https://www.cdc.gov/measles/resources/index.html</u>
- Washington State Department of Health: <u>https://doh.wa.gov/you-and-your-family/illness-and-disease-z/measles</u>; <u>https://doh.wa.gov/you-and-your-family/immunization</u>; <u>https://doh.wa.gov/sites/default/files/2025-03/820310-MeaslesCommunicationsToolkit.pdf</u>
- Oregon Health Authority: <u>https://www.oregon.gov/oha/ph/diseasesconditions/diseasesaz/pages/measles.aspx;</u> <u>https://www.oregon.gov/oha/ph/preventionwellness/vaccinesimmunization/gettingimmunized/pages/index.aspx</u>
- Idaho Department of Health & Welfare: <u>https://healthandwelfare.idaho.gov/services-programs/children-families/child-and-adolescent-immunization;</u> <u>https://healthandwelfare.idaho.gov/services-programs/children-families/adult-immunization</u>
- Boost Oregon: <u>https://boostoregon.org</u>
- Immunize.org: https://www.immunize.org/clinical/a-z/?wpsolr\_fq%5B0%5D=audiences\_str%3AVaccine%20Recipients&wpsolr\_fq%5B1%5D=imm\_language\_str%3AEnglish
- Vaccine Education Center at Children's Hospital of Philadelphia: <u>https://www.chop.edu/vaccine-education-center</u>
   <u>https://www.chop.edu/vaccine-update-healthcare-professionals/resources/vaccine-and-vaccine-safety-related-ga-sheets</u>
- Indian Country ECHO/UNM Project ECHO: <u>https://projectecho.app.box.com/s/piod28mg2rv66c7zpbf13u9lr3hzhiup</u>

"Making a Strong Vaccine Recommendation: Vaccine Communication"; "MMR Vaccine Outreach Strategies; "Current Measles Response and Clinical and Prevention Best Practices"

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