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POLIO CASES IN MAY 2023

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**WPV1 POSITIVE ENVIRONMENTAL
 SAMPLES IN MAY 2023**

6,467,587
**CHILDREN VACCINATED IN
 MAY 2023**

6,788
**COMMUNITY MOBILIZERS
 IN MAY 2023**

8,323
**FEMALE FRONTLINE WORKERS IN
 MAY 2023**

392
**PERMANENT TRANSIT SITES IN
 MAY 2023**

10
**CROSS-BORDER VACCINATION
 POINTS IN MAY 2023**

POLIO SNAPSHOT AFGHANISTAN

May 2023

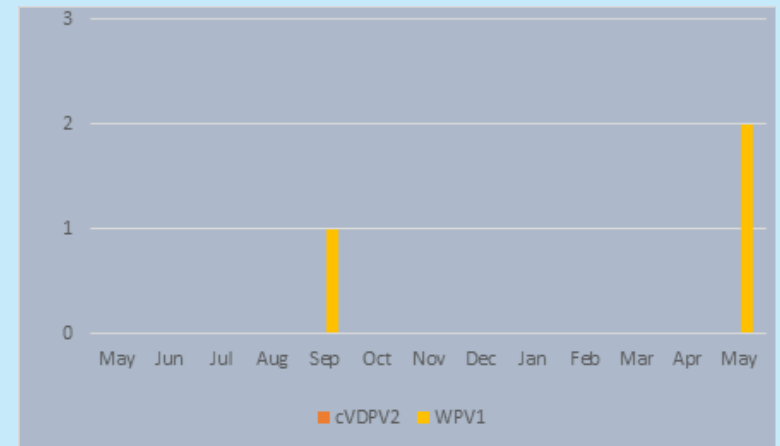



WPV1 and cVDPV2 cases in May 2023

- 0 cVDPV2 cases
- 2 WPV1 cases

Total WPV1 and cVDPV2 cases in 2023

- 0 cVDPV2 cases in 2023
- 2 WPV1 cases in 2023



WILD POLIOVIRUS AND cVDPV2 CASE COUNT 2022-2023

Data as of 31 May 2023



POLIO TRANSMISSION

- Two new WPV1 cases were reported from Nangarhar province.
- Seven new WPV1 samples were reported: six from Nangarhar province in the East and one from Kandahar province in the South.



AFP / ENVIRONMENTAL SURVEILLANCE

- 470 children with Acute Flaccid Paralysis (AFP) were reported in May: 210 girls and 260 boys. A total of 2,343 AFP cases have been reported since the beginning of 2023. Of these, 2,016 cases have been discarded as non-polio, 323 cases are pending final classification.
- The non-polio AFP rate is 21, stool adequacy is above 90%, and national non-polio enterovirus rate is above 9%.
- In all regions, non-polio AFP rate is above 16, stool adequacy above 89%, and non polio enterovirus rate is ranging from 6-15% in 2023.



SUPPLEMENTARY VACCINATION ACTIVITIES

- A Sub National Immunization Day (sNID) vaccination campaign was held from 15-18 May. 6,467,587 children were vaccinated with bOPV.



COMPLEMENTARY VACCINATION ACTIVITIES

- 10 cross-border vaccination points, 46 cross-border teams and 392 permanent transit sites were operational in May.
- Permanent transit teams vaccinated 753,103 children, and cross-border teams vaccinated 152,225 children against polio this month.
- 3,169 children under 10 were given OPV in UNHCR repatriation centres and IOM sites receiving returnees and refugees from Pakistan and Iran in May.
- From January 1st 2023 to date, 14,530 returnee children were vaccinated with OPV.
- 4,383 international travelers were vaccinated this month in compliance with International Health Regulations.



Key communication activities

- 934,613 caregivers, including 569,821 women, engaged on polio, routine immunization, maternal and child health and COVID 19 in the South, East, South-East, North and West regions..
- 21,753 community influencers facilitated sessions on polio awareness across the country.
- 2,173 women in South region were reached with polio awareness messaging by Female Communication Engagement Officers
- 166,264 soap bars and 9,263 polio-branded baby blankets provided to households in the South, East and South-East regions to promote hygiene and polio eradication efforts.

Radio PSAs	65	Journalists trained	98	Total social media reach	53,557,344
TV PSAs	7	Total social media engagement	2,210,392	New followers	147,750



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