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## **Weekly Epidemiological Report**

**Week 25: 16<sup>th</sup> – 22<sup>nd</sup> June 2025**

### **Highlight of the week**

#### **MEASLES AND RUBELLA OUTBREAK PREPAREDNESS AND RESPONSE GUIDELINE VALIDATION WORKSHOP**



The Nigeria Centre for Disease Control and Prevention (NCDC), in collaboration with the World Health Organization (WHO) and partners, convened a national stakeholders' workshop to strengthen measles and rubella control in the country. The meeting brought together representatives from relevant ministries, departments, agencies, and development partners.

At the workshop, stakeholders reviewed and validated the draft National Measles Outbreak Preparedness and Response Plan (2025–2027) as well as the National Measles and Rubella Outbreak Preparedness and Response Guideline. These draft documents, once adopted, will provide a structured framework for coordinated prevention, preparedness, response, and recovery in the event of measles and rubella outbreaks.

The validation marks a key step towards enhancing Nigeria's capacity for early outbreak detection, strengthening surveillance, and using outbreak response activities to improve routine immunization and close existing immunity gaps, in line with global measles elimination strategies.

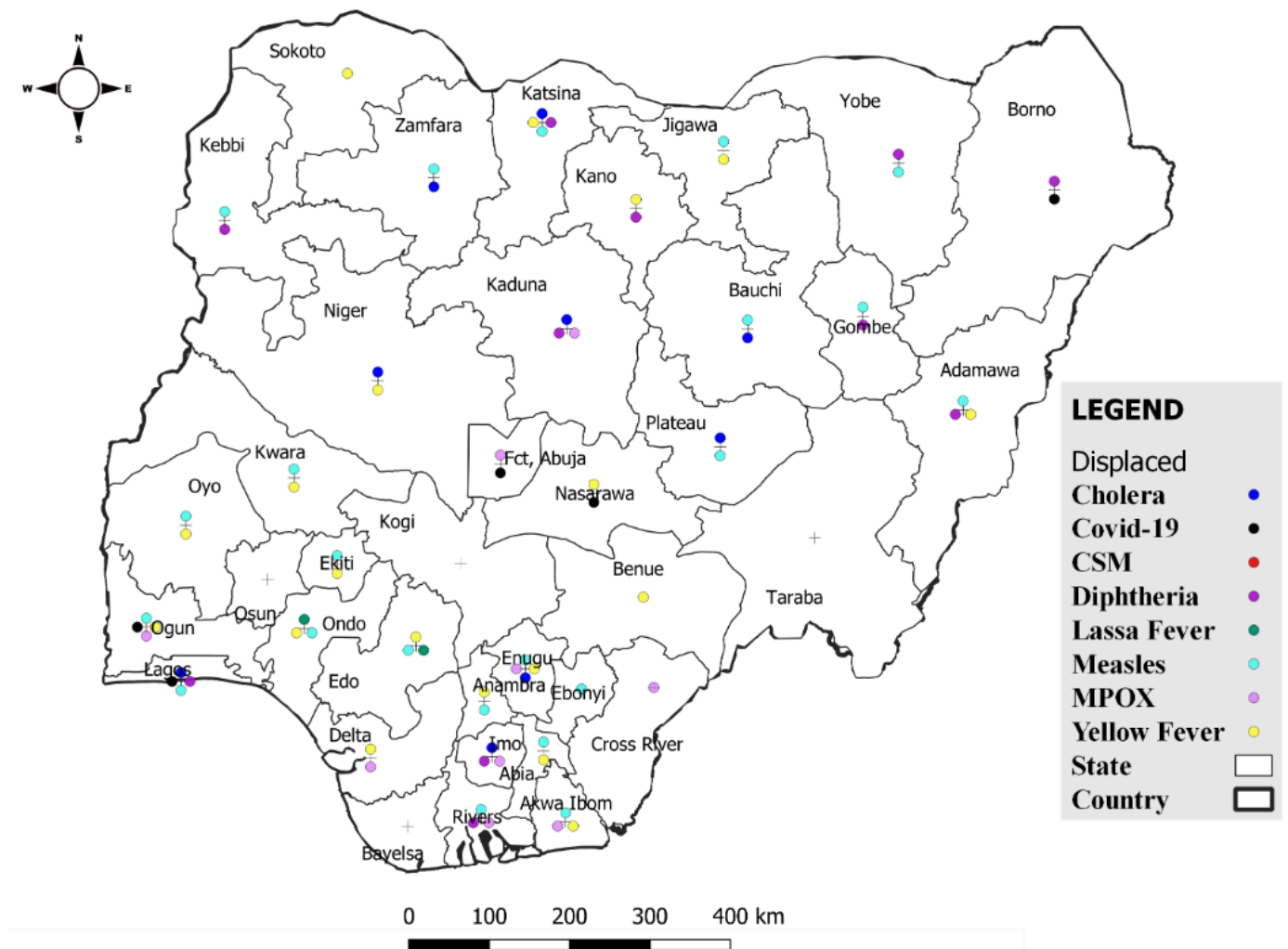
## Summary of Incidents

**Ongoing incidents**  
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The Ongoing incidents within the reporting week are Cholera, Mpox and Diphtheria.

\*Ongoing incidents are defined as confirmed cases where a national EOC or equivalent has been activated.

Figure 1: Priority Diseases under surveillance in Nigeria, week 25, 2025.



## Summary of Diseases

**Table 1: Week 25 (16<sup>th</sup> – 22<sup>nd</sup> June 2025)**

<b>Lassa Fever<sub>1</sub></b>	<b>Cerebrospinal Meningitis (CSM)<sub>2</sub></b>	<b>Yellow Fever<sub>2</sub></b>
197 Suspected case(s)	0 Suspected case(s)	34 Suspected case(s)
10 Confirmed case(s)	0 Confirmed case(s)	0 Confirmed case(s)
0 Death(s)	0 Death(s)	0 Death(s)
<b>Cholera<sub>2</sub></b>	<b>Measles<sub>2</sub></b>	<b>Mpox<sub>2</sub></b>
306 Suspected case(s)	208 Suspected case(s)	20 Suspected case(s)
2 Confirmed case(s)	120 Confirmed case(s)	7 Confirmed case(s)
9 Death(s)	0 Death(s)	0 Death(s)
<b>Acute Flaccid Paralysis (AFP)<sub>2</sub></b>	<b>COVID-19<sub>2</sub></b>	<b>Diphtheria<sub>2</sub></b>
2 Suspected case(s)	80 Suspected case(s)	173 Suspected case(s)
0 Confirmed case(s)	3 Confirmed case(s)	97 Confirmed case(s)
0 Death(s)	0 Death(s)	6 Death(s)
<b>National Sentinel influenza surveillance<sub>3</sub></b>		
80 Suspected case(s)		
3 Confirmed case(s)		

Information for all the diseases was retrieved from the Technical Working Group and Situation Reports of Nigerian Centre for Disease Control and Prevention

1. Case Fatality Rate (CFR) for this disease is reported for confirmed cases only.
2. CFR for this disease is reported for total cases i.e. suspected + confirmed.
3. Information for sentinel influenza was retrieved from the laboratory.

## Lassa Fever

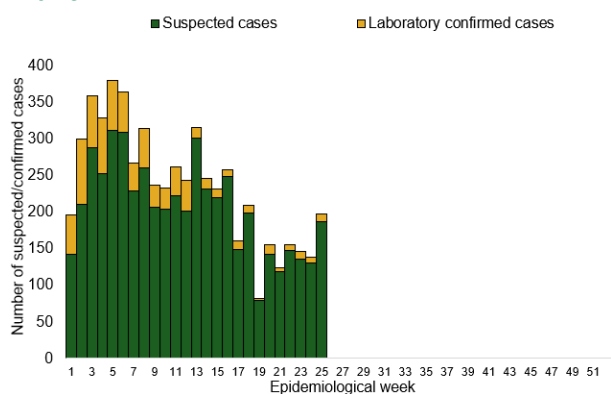
**Table 1: Week 25**

Suspected cases	Confirmed cases	Deaths	Number of States and LGAs affected
197	10	0	State: 13 LGA: 16

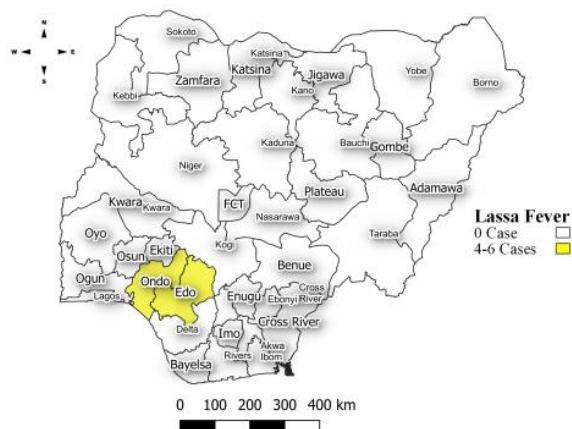
**Table 2: Lassa Fever Year to date (week 1 – 25, 2024/2025)**

Suspected cases		Confirmed cases		Deaths		CFR	
2024	2025	2024	2025	2024	2025	2024	2025
6,902	5,943	920	781	162	145	17.6%	18.6%

*Figure 2: Trend of suspected and confirmed cases of Lassa Fever by epidemiological week, 2025.*



*Figure 3: **Confirmed** cases of Lassa Fever by State, Nigeria, week 25, 2025.*



### Key points

- There were 197 suspected cases of Lassa Fever reported from 16 LGAs in 13 states. There were 10 laboratory confirmed cases and no death was recorded.

### Actions

#### To date:

- National Lassa fever multi-partner, multi-sectoral Technical Working Group (TWG) continues to coordinate the response activities at all levels.
- Participated in the NCDC/CEPI monthly meeting
- Provided support on the Ondo state After Action Review.

## Cerebrospinal Meningitis (CSM)

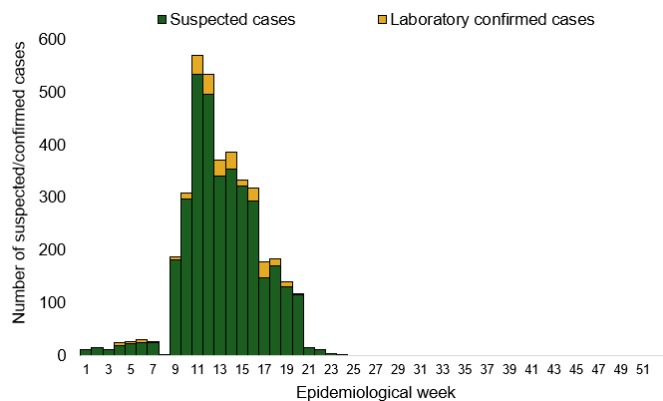
**Table 4: Week 25**

Suspected cases	Confirmed cases	Deaths	Number of States and LGAs affected
0	0	0	State: 0 LGA: 0

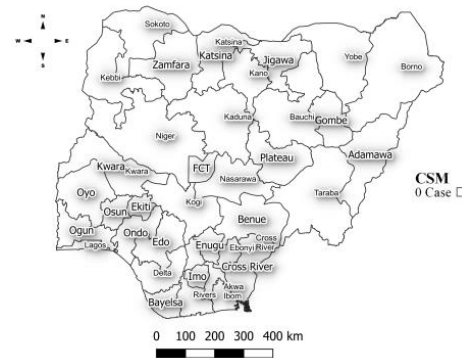
**Table 5: CSM Year to date (week 1 – 25, 2024/2025)**

Suspected cases		Confirmed cases		Deaths		CFR	
2024	2025	2024	2025	2024	2025	2024	2025
3002	3809	50	262	128	238	4.3%	6.2%

*Figure 4: Trend of suspected and confirmed cases of CSM by epidemiological week, 2025.*



*Figure 5: Suspected cases of CSM by State, Nigeria, week 25, 2025.*



### Key points

- There was no case of Cerebrospinal meningitis (CSM) reported for the week.

## Yellow Fever

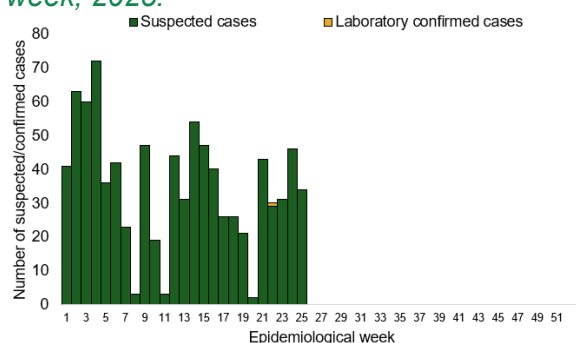
**Table 6: Week 25**

Suspected cases	Confirmed cases	Deaths	Number of States and LGAs affected
34	0	0	State: 19 LGA: 29

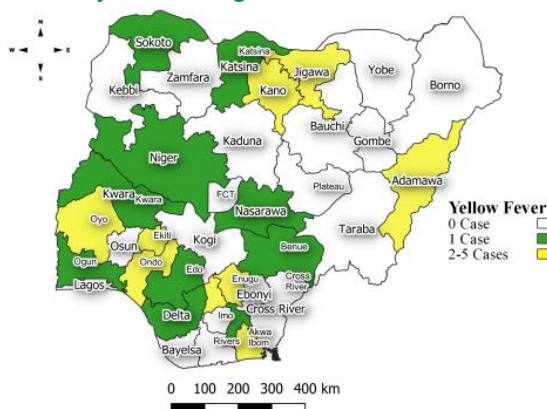
**Table 7: Yellow Fever Year to date (week 1 – 25, 2024/2025)**

Suspected cases		Confirmed cases		Deaths		CFR	
2024	2025	2024	2025	2024	2025	2024	2025
1,502	1,265	8	8	2	0	0.1%	0%

*Figure 6: Trend of suspected and confirmed cases of Yellow Fever by epidemiological week, 2025.*



*Figure 7: Suspected cases of Yellow Fever by State, Nigeria, week 25, 2025.*



### Key points

- There were 34 suspected cases of Yellow Fever (YF) reported from 29 LGAs in 19 states. There was no laboratory confirmed case and no death was recorded.

### Actions

#### To date:

- National YF multi-partner Technical Working Group (TWG) continues to coordinate activities across states.
- Surveillance in all states through the routine Integrated Disease Surveillance and Response (IDSR) and Event Based Surveillance (EBS).
- Providing offsite/onsite support to states and following up on daily reporting and progress with response activities.

## Cholera

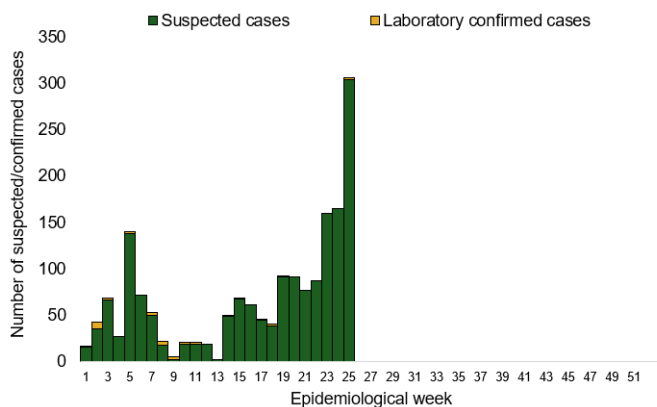
**Table 8: Week 25**

Suspected cases	Confirmed cases	Deaths	Number of States and LGAs affected
306	2	9	State: 9 LGA: 24

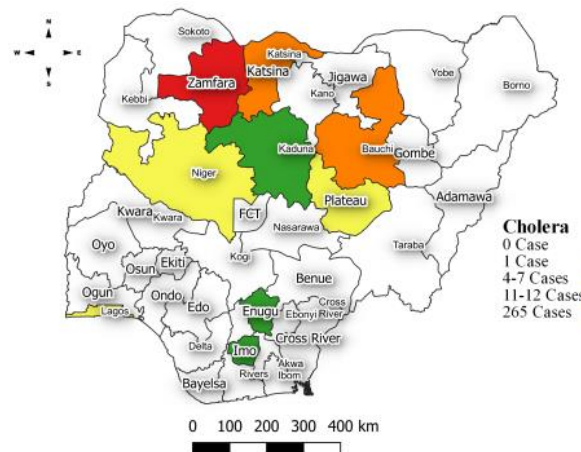
**Table 9: Cholera Year to date (week 1 – 25, 2024/2025)**

Suspected cases		Confirmed cases		Deaths		CFR	
2024	2025	2024	2025	2024	2025	2024	2025
3,659	3,277	45	51	104	101	2.8%	3.1%

*Figure 8: Trend of suspected and confirmed cases of Cholera by epidemiological week, 2025.*



*Figure 9: Trend of suspected and confirmed cases of Cholera, weeks 25, 2025.*



### Key points

- There were 306 suspected cases of Cholera reported from 24 LGAs in nine states. There were two laboratory confirmed cases and nine deaths were recorded.

### Actions

#### To date:

- National Cholera Multi-Sectoral Technical Working Group (TWG) is monitoring all states and supporting affected states.
- Biweekly EOC Meetings.
- Surveillance in all states through the routine Integrated Disease Surveillance and Response (IDSR) and Event Based Surveillance (EBS).
- Providing offsite/onsite support to states and follow up for daily reporting and progress with response activities.

## Measles

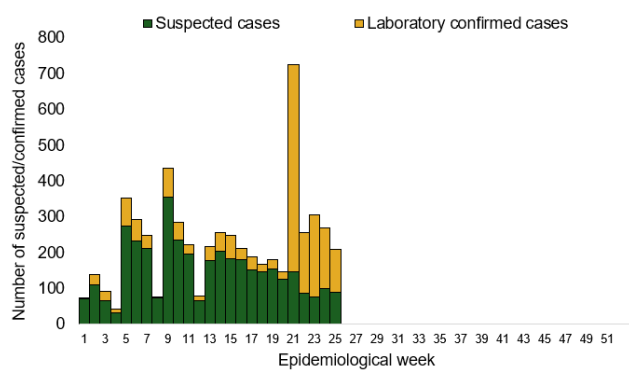
**Table 10: Week 25**

Suspected cases	Confirmed cases	Deaths	Number of States and LGAs affected
208	120	0	State: 22 LGA: 73

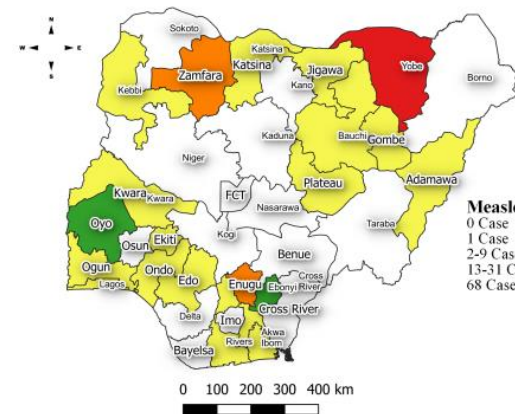
**Table 11: Measles Year to date (week 1 – 25, 2024/2025)**

Suspected cases		Confirmed cases		Deaths		CFR	
2024	2025	2024	2025	2024	2025	2024	2025
15,614	14,660	8,710	9,560	112	0	0.7%	0%

*Figure 10: Trend of suspected and confirmed cases of Measles by epidemiological week, 2025.*



*Figure 11: Suspected cases of Measles by State, Nigeria, week 25, 2025.*



## Key points

- There were 208 suspected cases of Measles reported from 73 LGAs in 22 states. There were 120 laboratory confirmed cases and no death was recorded.

## Actions

### To date:

- National Measles Multi-Sectoral Technical Working Group (TWG) is closely monitoring measles surveillance data and providing feedback to relevant agencies and development partners.
- Harmonisation of laboratory results from across the laboratories.
- Weekly feedback of key performance indicators to measles laboratories.
- Providing offsite/onsite support to states and follow up for daily reporting and progress with response activities.

## Mpox

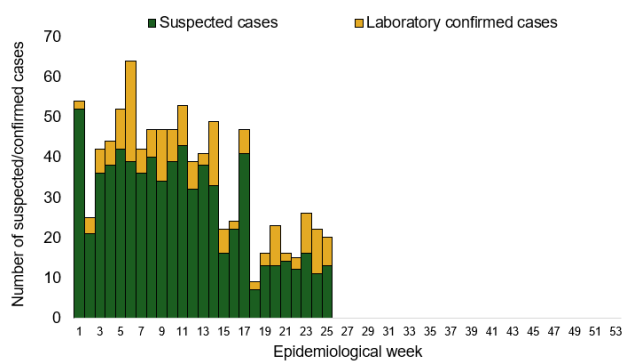
**Table 12: Week 25**

Suspected cases	Confirmed cases	Deaths	Number of States and LGAs affected
20	7	0	State: 8 + FCT LGA: 16

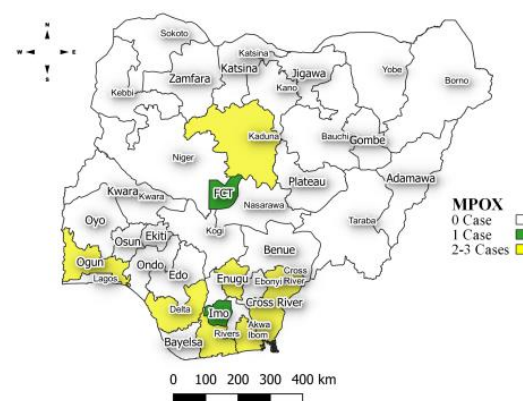
**Table 13: Year to date (week 1 – 25, 2024/2025)**

Suspected cases		Confirmed cases		Deaths		CFR	
2024	2025	2024	2025	2024	2025	2024	2025
641	887	30	186	0	3	0%	0.3%

*Figure 12: Trend of suspected and confirmed cases of Mpox by epidemiological week, 2025.*



*Figure 13: Suspected cases of Mpox by State, Nigeria, week 25, 2025.*



### Key points

- There were 20 suspected cases of Mpox reported from 16 LGAs in eight states and FCT. There were seven laboratory confirmed cases and no death was recorded.

### Actions

#### To date:

- National Monkeypox Technical Working Group (TWG) is monitoring activities in all states.
- Weekly EOC meetings.
- Provision of off-site surveillance support to affected States.
- Harmonisation of surveillance and laboratory data from across states and laboratories.

## Acute Flaccid Paralysis (AFP)

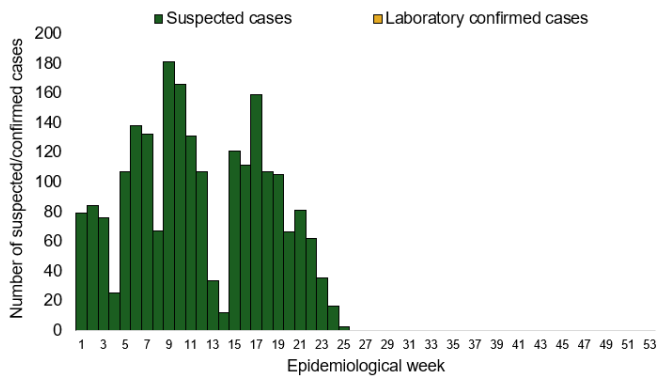
**Table 14: Week 25**

Suspected cases	Confirmed cases	Deaths	Number of States and LGAs affected
2	0	0	State: 1 LGA: 1

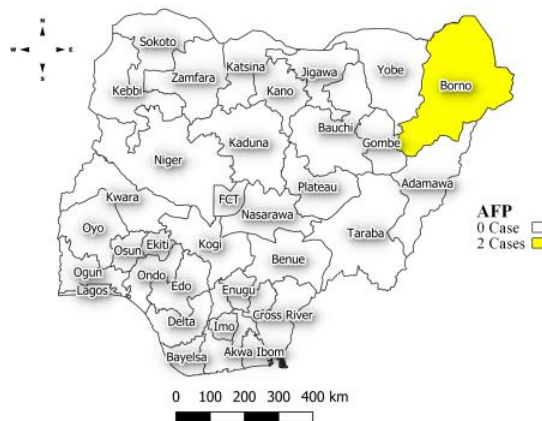
**Table 15: AFP Year to date (week 1 – 25, 2024/2025)**

Suspected cases		Confirmed cases		Deaths		CFR	
2024	2025	2024	2025	2024	2025	2024	2025
3,649	2,455	0	0	0	0	0%	0%

*Figure 14: Trend of suspected and confirmed cases of AFP by epidemiological week, 2025.*



*Figure 15: Suspected cases of AFP by State, Nigeria, week 25, 2025.*



### Key points

- There were two suspected cases of AFP reported from one LGA in Borno state. There was no laboratory confirmed case and no death was recorded.

## COVID-19

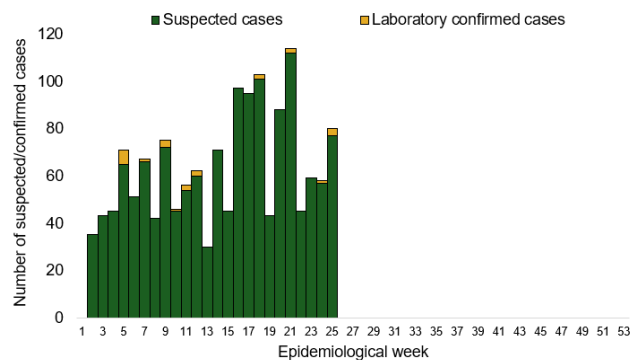
**Table 16: Week 25**

Suspected cases	Confirmed cases	Deaths	Number of States and LGAs affected
80	3	0	State: 4 + FCT LGA: 34

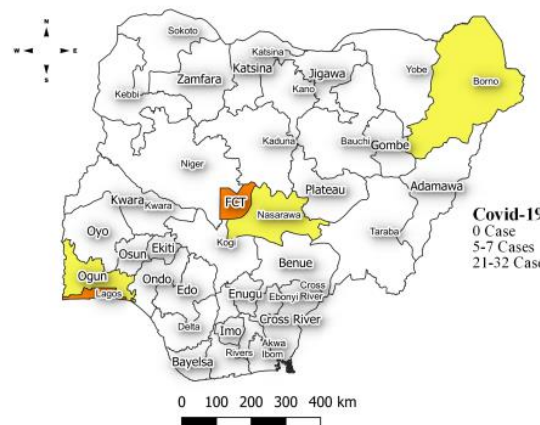
**Table 17: Covid 19 Year to date (Week 1- 25, 2024/2025)**

Suspected cases		Confirmed cases		Deaths		CFR	
2024	2025	2024	2025	2024	2025	2024	2025
796	1,583	796	28	1	0	0.1%	0%

*Figure 16: Trend of suspected and confirmed cases of Covid 19 by epidemiological week, 2025.*



*Figure 17: Suspected cases of Covid 19 by State, Nigeria, week 25, 2025.*



### Key points

- There were 80 suspected cases of Covid 19 reported from 34 LGAs in four states and FCT. There were three laboratory confirmed cases and no death was recorded.

### Actions

#### To date:

- National Covid 19 Technical Working Group (TWG) is monitoring activities in all states.
- Harmonisation of surveillance and laboratory data from across states and laboratories.
- Provision of off-site surveillance support to affected States.

## Diphtheria

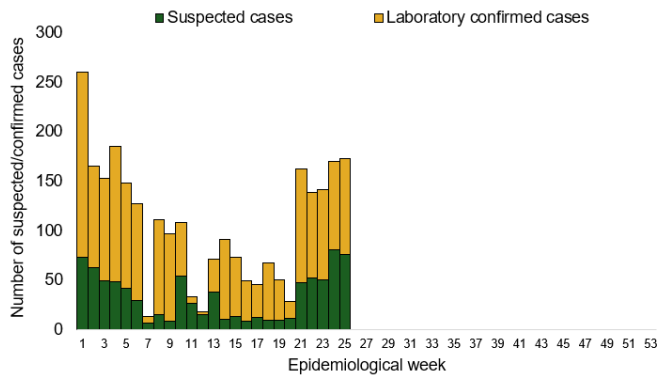
**Table 18: Week 25**

Suspected cases	Confirmed cases	Deaths	Number of States and LGAs affected
173	97	6	State: 11 LGA: 53

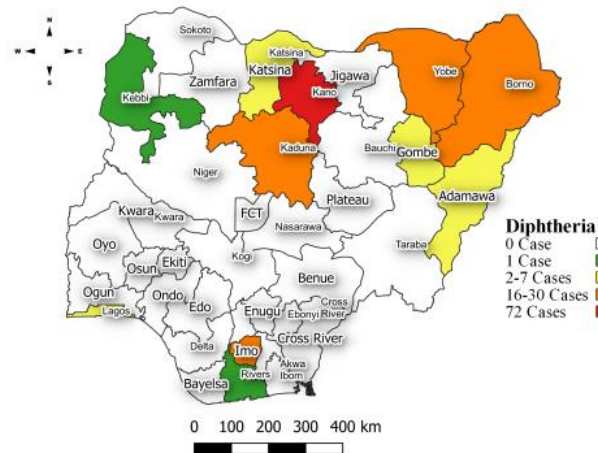
**Table 19: Diphtheria Year to date (week 1 – 25, 2024/2025)**

Suspected cases		Confirmed cases		Deaths		CFR	
2024	2025	2024	2025	2024	2025	2024	2025
10,799	4,163	7,062	2,725	188	151	1.7%	3.6%

*Figure 18: Trend of suspected and confirmed cases of Diphtheria by epidemiological week, 2025.*



*Figure 19: Suspected cases of Diphtheria by State, Nigeria, week 25, 2025.*



### Key points

- There were 173 suspected cases of Diphtheria reported from 53 LGAs in 11 states. There were 97 confirmed cases and six deaths were recorded.

### Actions

#### To date:

- National Diphtheria Technical Working Group (TWG) is monitoring activities in all states.
- Weekly EOC meeting.
- Provide technical and off-site support to states on case identification, reporting, and response, especially to non-reporting and low-burden states.
- Data harmonization with laboratory and case management pillars.

## National Influenza Sentinel Surveillance

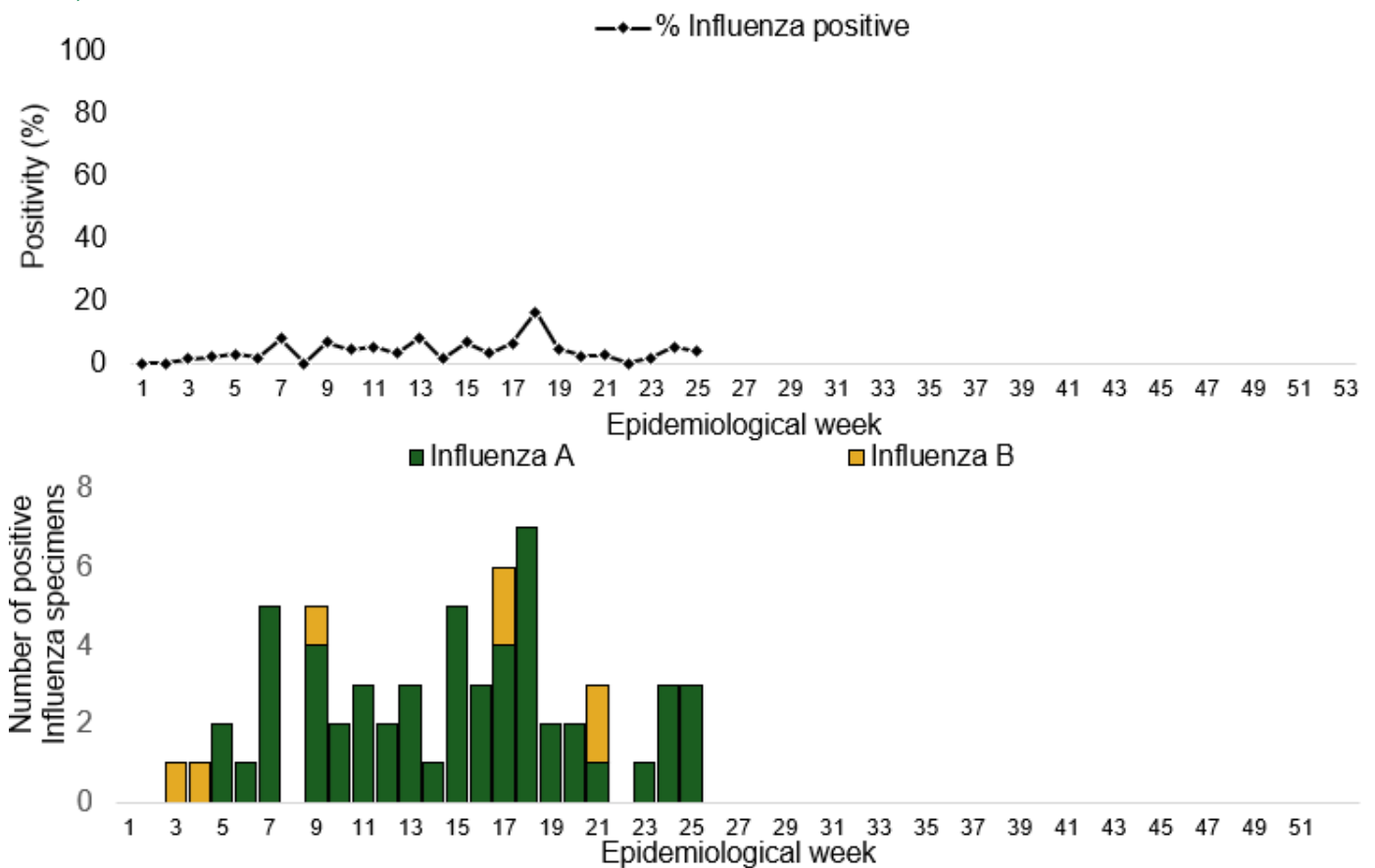
**Table 20: Week 25**

Suspected cases	Confirmed Cases	Confirmed Case by type	
		Influenza A	Influenza B
80	3	3	0

**Table 21: Year to date (week 1 – 25)**

Suspected cases	Total Confirmed Cases	Confirmed Case by type	
		Influenza A	Influenza B
1,687	86	78	8

*Figure 20: Number of influenza positive specimens by type and percentage positive by epidemiological week, 2025.*



## Event Based Surveillance (EBS)

### Week 25

#### Key points

##### Epi Week 25

- 143 calls were successfully routed to agents and answered.
- Over 1,050 articles scanned through Epidemic Intelligence from Open Sources (EIOS) and other manual sources.
- From the calls, EIOS, and other manual sources, one signal was picked and escalated to the corresponding TWG.
  - 3 Suspected Mpox cases in Army residence in Lagos State.

##### Cumulatively, from week 1 - 25

- 2,950 calls were successfully routed to agents and answered.
- 40 Signals were picked and escalated.

Figure 22: Number of signals/events per week, 2025.

