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## **Week in Review** **August 31, 2020**

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### **Continuing Education!**

<http://www.immunizedelaware.org/for-professionals/continuing-education-events/>

- **GSK Learning Opportunities**
  - Meningococcal Survivor Speaker Program Series
  - SHINGRIX dosing and best practices

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### **2019 Novel Coronavirus:**

CDC Situation Summary: <https://www.cdc.gov/coronavirus/2019-ncov/index.html>

**COVIDView:** A weekly surveillance summary of US COVID-19 activity:

<https://www.cdc.gov/coronavirus/2019-ncov/covid-data/covidview.html>

*(Note: due to new reporting procedures, CDC data may be out of date)*

Confirmed Cases -

| Within 50 United States |           | Worldwide Cases |            |
|-------------------------|-----------|-----------------|------------|
| Total                   | 5,997,622 | Total           | 25,248,295 |
| Deaths                  | 183,068   | Deaths          | 846,877    |
| Recovered               | 2,153,939 | Recovered       | 16,634,346 |

Delaware (<https://de.gov/coronavirus>)

- **Cases: 17,343** (NCC 8,139; KC 2,608; SC 6,317)
- Hospitalizations: 55, deaths: 604, recovered: 9,318
- Weekly COVID Update, August 28 - [https://dhss.delaware.gov/dhss/pressreleases/2020/weeklyupdate\\_082820.html](https://dhss.delaware.gov/dhss/pressreleases/2020/weeklyupdate_082820.html)

United States

- NIH: People with intellectual and developmental disabilities disproportionately affected by COVID-19 - <https://www.nih.gov/news-events/news-releases/people-intellectual-developmental-disabilities-disproportionately-affected-covid-19>

World

- Plans to expand global access to COVID-19 vaccines nears fish-or-cut-bait moment - <https://www.statnews.com/2020/08/28/plan-to-expand-global-access-to-covid-19-vaccines-nears-fish-or-cut-bait-moment/>
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## **2020-2021 Flu Season Resources**

### **Flu Clinic Support**

- Seqirus Flu Clinic Resource Toolkit: [https://flu.seqirus.com/flu-vaccine-resources#Flu\\_Clinic\\_Support](https://flu.seqirus.com/flu-vaccine-resources#Flu_Clinic_Support)

### **Clinic Resources**

- Holding a walk-in or drive-thru clinic? Want to utilize telemedicine in your flu vaccination campaign this year? Check out these resources from the VaccineShoppe: <https://www.vaccineshoppe.com/index.cfm?fa=anon.pe>

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# **EMERGING INFECTIOUS DISEASES®**

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<https://wwwnc.cdc.gov/eid>

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## **WHO Afro Outbreaks & Emergencies**

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- <https://apps.who.int/iris/bitstream/handle/10665/333969/OEW34-1723082020.pdf>
- New Events
- Ongoing Events
  - **DRC – Ebola Virus Disease (2020)** (102 cases; 44 deaths; CFR 42.1%). Fourteen additional cases and three new deaths have been reported this week. Eleven out of 18 health zones and 34 out of 281 health areas in Equateur Province have reported at least one confirmed or probable case.
  - **Senegal – Yellow Fever** (1 case; 0 deaths). The Touba District reported one case on July 21, a five-year old girl whose yellow fever vaccinations are not up to date. She presented with fever, myalgia, and abdominal pain.
  - **South Africa – Coronavirus Disease** (609,773 cases; 13,059 deaths; CFR 2.1%). The country continues to have the highest number of cases and deaths on the continent. Gauteng Province is the most affected, and case numbers continue to rise in less populous provinces.
- Humanitarian Crisis

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**WHO Disease Outbreak News** ([www.who.int/csr/don/en/](http://www.who.int/csr/don/en/))

- 8/01: French Guiana, France – Yellow Fever

**CDC Current Outbreak List** (<https://www.cdc.gov/outbreaks/index.html>)

- *Salmonella* – Onions, Peaches (August 2020)

**Travel Notices**

- August –
  - o Ashura – Iraq
  - o COVID-19 – Egypt, Kenya, Spain, Suriname, Saint Kitts and Nevis, Niger, Bermuda, Northern Mariana Islands, Malaysia, French Polynesia, Jersey, Panama, Sant Lucia, Curaçao

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<https://immunize.org/express/issue1513.asp>

**Ask the Experts: August 2020**

<https://immunize.org/express/issue1509.asp>

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**In other news...**

- DRC: More Ebola and plague cases reported, End of measles epidemic declared - <http://outbreaknewstoday.com/drc-more-ebola-and-plague-cases-reported-end-of-measles-epidemic-declared-74655/>
- NIH establishes Centers for Research in Emerging Infectious Diseases - <https://www.nih.gov/news-events/news-releases/nih-establishes-centers-research-emerging-infectious-diseases>
- Rhode Island: White-tailed deer is first EEE positive mammal of 2020 - <http://outbreaknewstoday.com/rhode-island-white-tailed-deer-is-first-eee-positive-mammal-of-2020/>

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