

# MEASLES FACT SHEET

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one

In the recent Texas outbreak, the CDC inflated “unvaccinated” measles cases by including those with unknown vaccination status, which simply means unverified, not unvaccinated.<sup>1</sup>

Vaccine status is not the main indicator of transmission concerns because research shows that vaccinated individuals can shed the virus for 29 days after vaccination.<sup>2</sup>

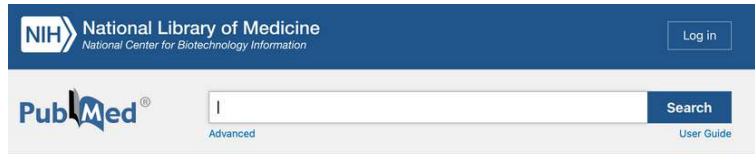
U.S. Cases in 2025 Total cases 93

| Age                     | Vaccination Status                   |
|-------------------------|--------------------------------------|
| Under 5 years: 28 (30%) | Unvaccinated or <u>Unknown</u> : 95% |
| 5-19 years: 48 (52%)    | One MMR dose: 4%                     |
| 20+ years: 15 (16%)     | Two MMR doses: 0%                    |
| Age unknown: 2 (2%)     |                                      |

two

Studies show that herd immunity is not achievable with measles vaccination due to vaccine failure.<sup>3</sup>

“...measles outbreaks also occur even among highly vaccinated populations because of primary and secondary vaccine failure...”



> Am J Epidemiol. 1998 Dec 1;148(11):1103-10. doi: 10.1093/oxfordjournals.aje.a009588.

Explosive school-based measles outbreak: intense exposure may have resulted in high risk, even among revaccinees

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The Federal Government Accountability Office (GAO) report found that the vaccine does not stop transmission.<sup>4</sup>

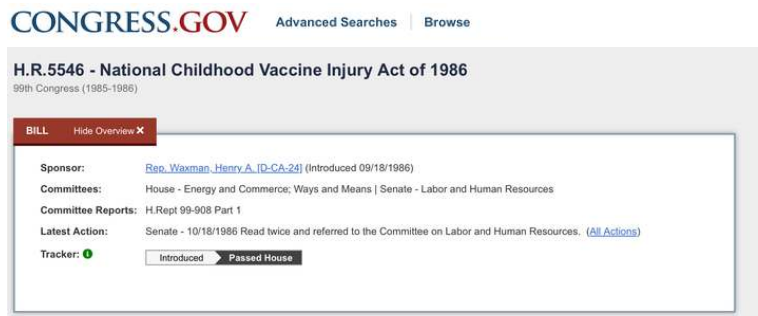
“...the vaccine is not 100% effective. Outbreaks can occur even in areas with high routine vaccination coverage.”



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According to the 1986 Act, individuals cannot sue for injury or death caused by the MMR vaccine – and here’s why that matters.<sup>5</sup>

This removes accountability, allowing manufacturers to produce vaccines without liability for safety or efficacy.



five

The CDC and the WHO both acknowledge that measles can be effectively treated without vaccination.<sup>6</sup>

There are more options than just vaccination. The MMR decision does not need to be made out of fear.

### Treatment

Treatment is supportive. The WHO recommends vitamin A for all children with acute measles, regardless of their country of residence, to reduce the risk for complications. Administer vitamin A as follows: for infants <6 months old, give 50,000 IU, once a day for 2 days; for infants 6 months old and older, but younger than 12 months, give 100,000 IU once a day for 2 days; for children ≥12 months old give 200,000 IU once a day for 2 days. For children with clinical signs and symptoms of vitamin A deficiency, administer an additional (i.e., a third) age-specific dose of vitamin A 2–4 weeks following the first round of dosing.

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The chances of serious outcomes from measles in the U.S. are rare.<sup>7</sup>

By the 1960s, before a vaccine was available, top CDC scientists referred to measles as a “self-limiting infection of short duration, moderate severity, and low fatality.”



> Am J Public Health Nations Health. 1962 Feb;52(2)Suppl(Suppl 2):1-4. doi: 10.2105/ejph.52.suppl\_2.1.

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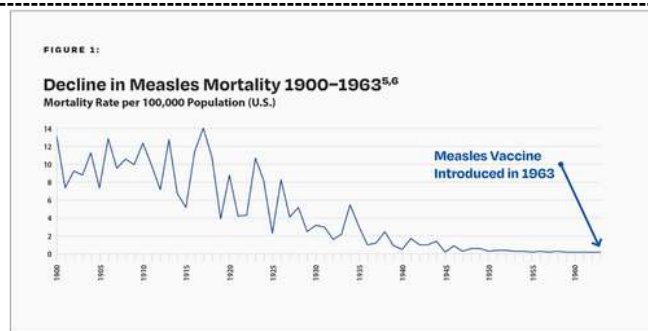


The importance of measles as a health problem

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Measles deaths declined 98% from 1900 to 1963, before the measles vaccine was introduced.<sup>8</sup>

Understanding this historical trend is crucial because it highlights that factors beyond vaccination play a major role in disease outcomes.



eight

The MMR vaccine contains two aborted fetal cell lines: WI-38 & RA 27-3<sup>9</sup>

This raises serious ethical, religious, and moral concerns for many individuals. People deserve full transparency about vaccine ingredients to make informed medical decisions that align with their personal beliefs.

| Name    | Stands for   | Researcher  | Source            | Age              | Abortion reason  | Year | Other  | Current uses |
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| RA 27/3 | Rubella Attenuated, 27th fetus, 3rd tissue removed | Stanley Plotkin, Wistar Institute, Philadelphia, PA | Fetal kidney      | Est. 9 weeks     | Rubella infection during early pregnancy   | 1964 | 25-year-old mother   | Rubella      |
| WI-38   | Wistar Institute-38th fetus.                       | Leonard Hayflick                                    | Female fetal lung | Approx. 3 months | Legal abortion in Sweden. Married parents, healthy pregnancy, father alcoholic, so mom did not want more kids. | 1962 | Mom did not consent, nor have knowledge of the use. Hayflick widely shared these cells around the world. | Rubella      |

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