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Relevant for travel advice / general

Ebola, D.R. Congo: WHO-update: <http://www.who.int/csr/don/27-september-2018-ebola-drc/en/>

ECDC communicable disease threats report: <https://www.ecdc.europa.eu/sites/portal/files/documents/communicable-disease-threats-report-29-sep-2018.pdf>

Europe

Meningococcal disease (serogroup W), France: <http://outbreaknewstoday.com/france-increase-meningococcus-w-prompts-vaccination-campaign-64695/>

Monkeypox, UK (ex-Nigeria), third case: <https://edition.cnn.com/2018/09/26/health/third-monkeypox-case-uk-intl/index.html>

West Nile virus, Europe, ECDC-update: <https://www.ecdc.europa.eu/en/west-nile-fever/surveillance-and-disease-data/disease-data-ecdc>

Corynebacterium diphtheriae in fully immunised person, imported in UK (ex-Ghana): https://www.eurosurveillance.org/content/10.2807/1560-7917.ES.2018.23.39.1700681?emailalert=true#html_fulltext

North America

Naegleria fowleri ("Brain eating amoeba"), USA (Texas): <http://outbreaknewstoday.com/potential-naegleria-fowleri-exposure-linked-waco-water-park-22708/>

West Nile virus, USA

- Kentucky: <http://outbreaknewstoday.com/kentucky-louisville-reports-five-west-nile-virus-cases-57759/>
- New Jersey: <http://outbreaknewstoday.com/new-jersey-reports-human-west-nile-virus-since-2012/>

North America (continued)

Blastomycosis, USA (New York State), CDC-update: <https://www.cdc.gov/mmwr/volumes/67/wr/mm6738a8.htm>

Hepatitis A, USA

- Massachusetts, Tennessee: <https://www.promedmail.org/post/6049219>
- Kentucky, West Virginia: <https://www.promedmail.org/post/6048976>

Asia

“Rat hepatitis E”, human infection, China (Hong Kong): <https://www.scmp.com/news/hong-kong/health-environment/article/2166090/worlds-first-case-rat-hepatitis-e-infecting-human>

HIV infections, increased incidence, Philippines: <http://outbreaknewstoday.com/philippines-hiv-cases-dramatically-increased-last-couple-years-97844/>

Naegleria fowleri, Pakistan (Karachi), water supply: <http://outbreaknewstoday.com/naegleria-fowleri-karachi-water-supply-source-infections-study-59591/>

Latin America

Bartonellosis, bat reservoir, Latin America: <http://outbreaknewstoday.com/vampire-bats-23s-tested-found-bartonella-carriers-study-24389/>

Africa

Yellow fever, Liberia: <https://www.promedmail.org/post/6059979>

Chikungunya, Sudan: <https://www.reuters.com/article/us-sudan-health-chikungunya/sudan-reports-outbreak-of-mosquito-borne-chikungunya-disease-in-eastern-state-idUSKCN1M52MB>

Rabies, South Africa: <http://outbreaknewstoday.com/south-africa-reports-human-rabies-10-years-40706/>

Cholera, Zimbabwe: <http://outbreaknewstoday.com/cholera-outbreak-death-toll-rises-48-zimbabwe-35054/>

Plague, Madagascar: <http://outbreaknewstoday.com/plague-reported-10-madagascar-districts-82760/>

Oceania

No alerts

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