

Measles – 2014-2017 Archived Materials

*These materials were prepared between 2014 and 2017 and **have not been updated**. See <http://www.ochealthinfo.com/gov/health/phs/about/dcepi/epi/azdiseases/measles.asp> for current Orange County recommendations and information.*

2017 News

- **Orange County Measles Advisory 4/4/2017**
Measles was recently confirmed in two Orange County residents with no known association to each other.

2016 News

- **Los Angeles County Measles Outbreak Advisory 12/23/2016**
The Los Angeles County Department of Public Health is investigating nine confirmed measles cases within the County. Contact investigations are ongoing. No suspect or confirmed measles cases have been identified thus far in Orange County. But providers should consider the diagnosis of measles in patients with an appropriate clinical presentation.

2015 Measles Outbreak in Orange County

- **Date outbreak declared over: April 17, 2015 (*California Department of Public Health*)**
- **Number of confirmed cases: 35**
- **Date last case was diagnosed: February 5, 2015**
- **Orange County Measles Outbreak Update 3/5/2015**
No new measles cases have been reported in Orange County since the last update. The County's case total for the year remains at 35. Providers should continue to consider measles in persons with a classic clinical picture as cases continue to be reported in other jurisdictions.
- **Orange County Measles Outbreak Update 2/17/2015**
Measles have continued to occur in Orange County with 35 cases confirmed this year. Sixteen cases had no known source, signaling ongoing transmission in the community.
- **Orange County Measles Outbreak Update 1/26/2015**
Measles has now been confirmed in 23 Orange County residents, signaling ongoing transmission in the community and at the Disneyland Parks. This update includes recommendations for measles vaccination and post-exposure prophylaxis (PEP).
- **Orange County Measles Outbreak Update 1/21/2015**
Measles has now been confirmed in 22 Orange County residents, signaling ongoing transmission in the community and at the Disneyland Parks.
- **Orange County Measles Advisory 1/12/2015**
Measles has been confirmed in nine Orange County residents, in conjunction with the outbreak affecting other CA counties and states.
- **Orange County Measles Advisory 1/6/2015**
Measles was recently confirmed in an Orange County resident with no known travel outside of the Orange County.

Spring 2014 Measles Outbreak in Orange County

- **Number of confirmed cases: 22**
- **Orange County Measles Advisory 5/21/14**
No new cases of measles have been reported to the Orange County Health Care Agency in the last month.
- **Orange County Measles Advisory 3/27/2014**
Orange County has had 21 cases of measles diagnosed in 2014.
- **Orange County Measles Advisory 2/3/2014**
Orange County has had four confirmed cases of measles in the last 6 weeks.
- **Orange County Measles Advisory 1/3/2014**
A recent case of measles in Orange County and increases in cases in the U.S. in 2013 highlight the ongoing risk of measles in the U.S. due to measles importations. Clinicians need to be aware of this disease and the general public should be vaccinated routinely against measles.