

Global Wild Poliovirus 2016 - 2021



Country or territory ³	Wild virus type 1 confirmed cases							Wild virus type 1 reported from other sources ²							
	Full year total				01 Jan - 31 Dec ¹		Date of most recent case	Full year total				01 Jan - 31 Dec ¹		1-26 Jan	Date of most recent virus
	2016	2017	2018	2019	2019	2020		2016	2017	2018	2019	2019	2020		
Pakistan	20	8	12	147	136	84	23-Nov-20	62	110	141	405	399	455	12	13-Jan-21
Afghanistan	13	14	21	29	29	56	19-Oct-20	2	42	83	60	60	48		06-Dec-20
Nigeria ³	4	0	0	0	0	0	21-Aug-16	1 ⁴							27-Sep-16
Iran	0	0	0	0	0	0	NA				3	3			20-May-19
Total (Type1)	37	22	33	176	165	140		64	65	224	468	462	503		
Tot. in endemic countries	37	22	33	176	165	140									
Tot. in non-end countries	0	0	0	0	0	0									
No. of countries (infected)	3	2	2	2	2	2									
No. of countries (endemic)	2 ³	2 ³	3	3	3	2									
Total Female	13	7	18	56	67	62									
Total Male	24	15	15	81	98	78									

Countries in yellow are endemic. ¹Data reported to WHO HQ on 27 Jan. 2020 for 2019 data and 26 Jan. 2021 for 2020 data.

²Wild viruses from environmental samples, selected contacts, healthy children and other sources. Last WPV type 3 had its onset on 10 November 2012. ³Between 27 Sep 2015 and 27 Sep 2016, Nigeria was not classified as endemic, and declared Wild polio-free as of June 2020. ⁴Exceptionally reporting case-contact of a positive index case given the date of collection is later than the onset date of the most recent WPV.