Outbreak Report for August 2025 West Virginia BUREAL



During the month of August 2025, there were thirty-two outbreaks report in West Virginia, and thirty were confirmed to be outbreaks or clusters of disease. Reported settings included 14 long-term care facilities (LTCF), 8 in daycares, 2 spanning multiple regions or states, 2 in schools, 1 community-based, 1 in a residential facility, 1 in a psychiatric hospital and 1 in a hospital.

The rest of this report describes the types and settings of the outbreaks. All data provided is provisional as some outbreaks may still be under investigation.

Respiratory Outbreaks During August 2025 (n=18)

Type of Outbreak or Cluster	Number of Outbreaks	Outbreak Setting	# of Cases (Range of Cases)	Testing
COVID-19	16	13 LTCF	(3-55)	Lab
		1 Residential	18	Confirmed
		1 Psychiatric Hospital	5	
		1 School	3	
Legionellosis	1	1 Hospital	3	Lab
				Confirmed
Entero/Rhinovirus	1	1 LTCF	18	Lab
				Confirmed

Enteric Outbreaks During August 2025 (n=3)

Type of Outbreak or Cluster	Number of Outbreaks	Outbreak Setting	# of Cases (Range of Cases)	Laboratory Testing
Salmonellosis	3	2 Multistate	(3-4)	Lab
		1 Community-Based	4	Confirmed

Rash Outbreaks During August 2025 (n=9)

Type of Outbreak or Cluster	Number of Outbreaks	Outbreak Setting	# of Cases (Range of Cases)	Laboratory Testing
Hand, Foot and	9	8 Daycare	(3-9)	No Lab
Mouth Disease		1 School	4	Testing

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Figure 1 illustrates confirmed outbreaks by type.

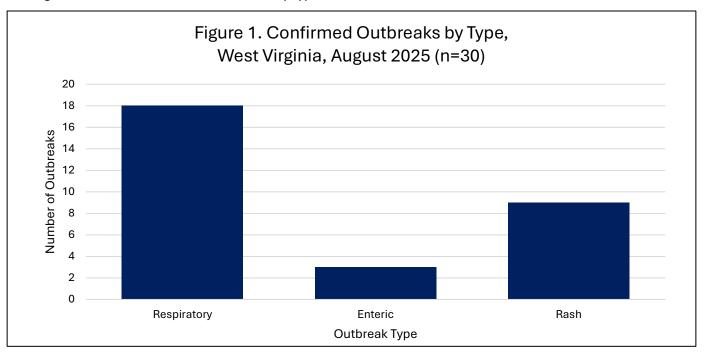
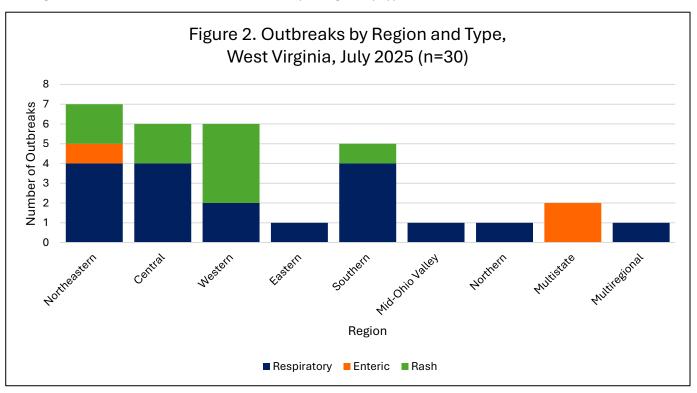


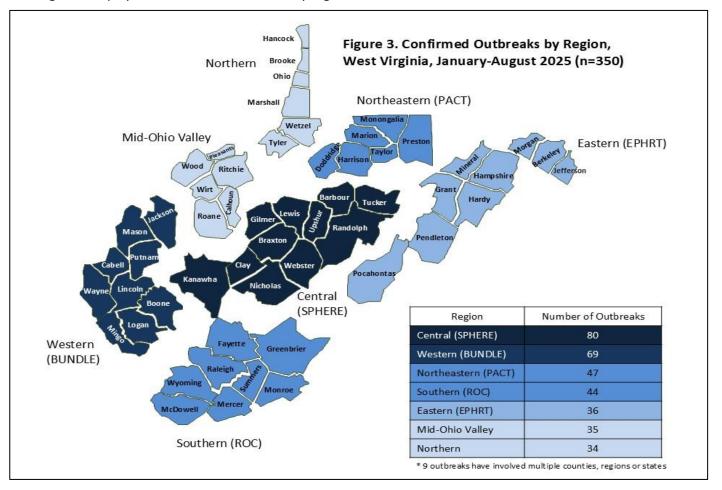
Figure 2 illustrates the number of outbreaks per region by type.



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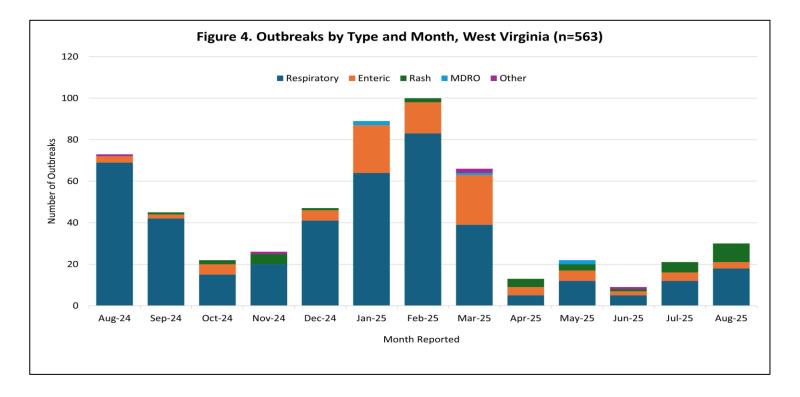
Figure 3 displays the number of outbreaks by region.



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Figure 4 displays the number of outbreaks by type and month for the period from 2024 to 2025.



For outbreak guidelines or information on any disease or condition, visit the Office of Epidemiology & Prevention Services website at https://oeps.wv.gov. For after-hours public health emergencies, disease reporting, or to consult with an epidemiologist, call (304) 558-5358 ext. 2, or toll-free in West Virginia at 1-800-423-1271 (available 24/7/365)

Remember that outbreaks should be reported immediately to the local health department.

This report is sent monthly. Please feel free to contact us if you have any questions or concerns regarding this report.