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June 8, 2009

The following updates were made to CDC information and guidance from **June 2 - June 8, 2009**. If you have any questions on these or other clinical issues, please write to us at [coca@cdc.gov](mailto:coca@cdc.gov).

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## COCA Conference Call

### Legal Issues Related to Novel Influenza A (H1N1)

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## Novel H1N1 Influenza

Information on the novel H1N1 Influenza investigation is posted daily to the CDC website at

<http://www.cdc.gov/h1n1flu/>

### Novel H1N1 Influenza: Resources for Clinicians - CDC - June 8

This page is designed to give clinicians access to the latest guidelines and information on the evolving novel H1N1 Influenza investigation.

<http://www.cdc.gov/h1n1flu/clinicians/>

### **Update: Novel Influenza A (H1N1) Virus Infection - Mexico, March - May, 2009 - CDC MMWR - June 5**

On April 12, 2009, Mexico responded to a request for verification by the World Health Organization (WHO) of an outbreak of acute respiratory illness in the small community of La Gloria, Veracruz. During April 15 - 17, the Mexico Ministry of Health received informal notification of clusters of rapidly progressive severe pneumonia occurring mostly in Distrito Federal (metropolitan Mexico City) and San Luis Potosi.

<http://www.cdc.gov/mmwr/preview/mmwrhtml/>

## **Emergency Preparedness**

### **Hurricane Season Begins Today - FEMA - June 1**

As Hurricane Season 2009 begins today, the Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA) continues to work with our state, local, and federal partners to increase preparedness and coordinate response and recovery in the case of a hurricane or disaster. FEMA also urges Americans to use the annual start of hurricane season as a reminder to assess your personal readiness to respond to emergencies.

<http://www.fema.gov/news/newsrelease.fema>

## **Seasonal Influenza**

### **Seasonal Influenza Weekly Report: Influenza Summary Update - CDC - June 5**

During week 21 (May 24 - 30, 2009), influenza activity decreased in the United States, however, there are still higher levels of influenza-like illness than is normal for this time of year.

<http://www.cdc.gov/flu/weekly/>

### **Weekly US Map - CDC - June 8**

<http://www.cdc.gov/flu/weekly/usmap.htm>

## **Travelers' Health**

### **Outbreak Notice: Yellow Fever in Brazil - CDC - June 03**

Since the beginning of 2009, there has been an expansion in areas of yellow fever virus transmission in Brazil. Two states, Rio Grande do Sul and São Paulo, have recently designated expanded areas of risk following confirmation of new human cases of yellow fever within their boundaries.

<http://wwwn.cdc.gov/travel/content/outbreak-notice/yellow-fever-brazil.aspx>

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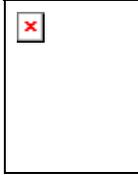
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