

WEST NILE VIRUS AND OTHER ARBOVIRAL DISEASES



Report #1: 2025 Season

September 19, 2025

- In 2025 to date, the Los Angeles County Department of Public Health (LA County DPH) has documented 6 [West Nile virus](#) (WNV) human infections and no deaths (Table 1). Of these, 4 were symptomatic with the most recent onset occurring 8/31/25. Half of infected persons reside in the San Fernando Valley region (50%).
- The number of persons infected in the 2025 season is fewer than the 5-year average (Figure 1). [Mosquito pools and dead birds](#) are testing positive across many areas of LA County. The California Department of Public Health has [reported](#) 36 symptomatic human cases in the state. Nationally, 986 symptomatic human cases have been [reported to the CDC](#).
- This report is published every Friday during WNV season. Past reports and data are available on our [WNV Data webpage](#).

Table 1. Characteristics of WNV Infections – LA County, 2024 and 2025

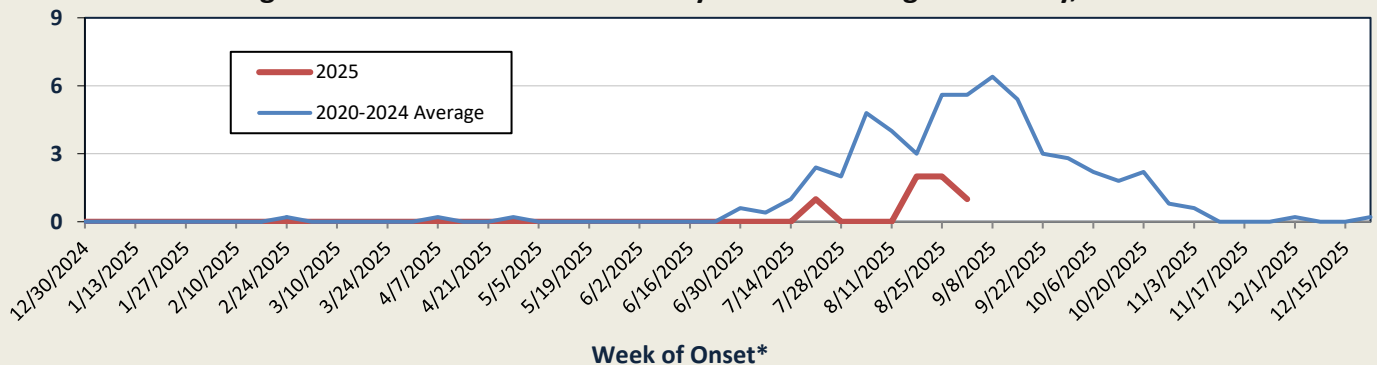
Number of Infections ¹		Asymptomatic Donor ²	Clinical Presentation				Hospitalized	Deaths	Demographics	
			WNV Fever	Neuroinvasive Disease	Neuroinvasive Diagnosis				Gender M/F	Median Age (Range)
2024 To Date	6	2	0	4	4 0 0	= Encephalitis = Meningitis = AFP ³	4	0	5/1	67 (26-80)
2024 Total	34	6	2	26	20 6 0	= Encephalitis = Meningitis = AFP ²	27	2	19/15	59 (9-86)

¹Count confirmed by LA County DPH as of 9/18/2025. Excludes reports from Long Beach and Pasadena.

²Asymptomatic infections identified in blood or organ donors as part of routine screening.

³Acute flaccid paralysis

Figure 1. WNV Human Infections by Week - Los Angeles County, 2025



*Asymptomatic blood and organ donors listed by date of donation.

Table 2. Cities and Unincorporated Areas of Residence with Reported WNV Infections LA County, 2025*

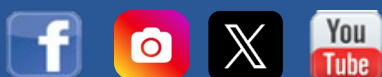
Lancaster
Los Angeles
Palmdale

*Excluding Long Beach and Pasadena

For Additional Information

- Visit www.socalmosquito.org or call 2-1-1 to report problems to your local mosquito control district
- To receive weekly reports email: ACDC2@ph.lacounty.gov
- Acute Communicable Disease Control: (213) 240-7941
- www.publichealth.lacounty.gov/acd/VectorWestNile.htm

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