

Table 1.2. Number and rate* of reported cases† of hepatitis A, by demographic characteristics — United States 2014–2018

Demographic characteristic	2014		2015		2016		2017		2018	
	No.	Rate*	No.	Rate*	No.	Rate*	No.	Rate*	No.	Rate*
Total[§]	1,239	0.4	1,390	0.4	2,007	0.6	3,366	1.0	12,474	3.8
Age group (years)										
0–9	41	0.1	48	0.1	47	0.1	40	0.1	54	0.1
10–19	114	0.3	97	0.2	131	0.3	86	0.2	231	0.6
20–29	246	0.5	287	0.6	392	0.9	659	1.4	2,763	6.1
30–39	207	0.5	233	0.6	391	0.9	893	2.1	4,268	9.8
40–49	139	0.3	164	0.4	333	0.8	621	1.5	2,658	6.6
50–59	182	0.4	205	0.5	297	0.7	554	1.3	1,509	3.5
60+	304	0.5	353	0.5	409	0.6	509	0.7	987	1.4
Sex										
Male	645	0.4	726	0.5	1,107	0.7	2,209	1.4	7,497	4.7
Female	591	0.4	662	0.4	897	0.5	1,149	0.7	4,952	3.0
Race/ethnicity										
American Indian/ Alaskan Native	4	0.2	5	0.2	3	0.1	13	0.5	15	0.5
Asian/Pacific Islander	135	0.7	114	0.6	299	1.5	124	0.6	104	0.5
Black, Non-Hispanic	82	0.2	71	0.2	137	0.3	303	0.7	508	1.2
White, Non-Hispanic	566	0.3	701	0.3	865	0.4	1,979	1.0	8,670	4.3
Hispanic	211	0.4	219	0.4	293	0.5	471	0.8	413	0.7
HHS Region[¶]										
Region 1	88	0.6	60	0.4	105	0.7	91	0.6	410	2.8
Region 2	143	0.5	182	0.6	173	0.6	289	1.0	235	0.8
Region 3	115	0.4	122	0.4	309	1.0	159	0.5	2,498	8.1
Region 4	207	0.3	254	0.4	269	0.4	438	0.7	5,030	7.6
Region 5	205	0.4	193	0.4	259	0.5	855	1.6	3,074	5.9
Region 6	156	0.4	179	0.4	179	0.4	157	0.4	407	1.0
Region 7	48	0.3	38	0.3	58	0.4	46	0.3	273	1.9
Region 8	49	0.4	45	0.4	40	0.3	246	2.1	172	1.4
Region 9	181	0.4	250	0.5	560	1.1	1,033	2.0	311	0.6
Region 10	47	0.4	67	0.5	55	0.4	52	0.4	64	0.5

Source: CDC, National Notifiable Diseases Surveillance System.

* Rate per 100,000 population.

† For the case definition, see <https://www.cdc.gov/nndss/conditions/hepatitis-a-acute/>.

§ Numbers reported in each category may not add up to the total number of reported cases in a year due to cases with missing data or, in the case of race/ethnicity, cases categorized as “Other”.

¶ Health and Human Services Regions were categorized according to the grouping of states and U.S. Territories assigned under each of the ten Department of Health and Human Services regional offices (<https://www.hhs.gov/about/agencies/iea/regional-offices/index.html>). For the purposes of this report, regions with U.S. territories (Region 2 and Region 9) contain data from states only.