



Join us on the “last mile” to end polio!!

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Almost weekly polio update.....

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Wild Poliovirus Cases reported this week: None

Most recent wild poliovirus cases: Afghanistan: 5/18/23 Pakistan: 7/11/23

	As of 8/22/23	Total	Total	Total	Total
	2023 (2022ytd)	2022	2021	2020	2019
WPV (Wild Poliovirus)	7 (20)	30	6	140	176
WPV-Afghanistan	5 (14)	2	4	56	29
WPV-Pakistan	2 (1)	20	1	84	147
WPV- Other countries	0 (8)	8	1	0	0
cVDPV circulating vaccine-derived	205 (245)	871	699	1117	378

Positive Environmental (sewage) samples: This week, 2023 year-to-date in parentheses (); 2022 year to date in brackets { }

Wild poliovirus= 1; (48); {65}

circulating Vaccine-Derived PolioVirus (variant) = 8; (157); {487}

For those who want more detailed information about polio....
<https://www.polioeradication.org> <https://www.gavi.org>
<https://www.endpolio.org> <https://www.WHO.int>



Thanks to Dick Schultz, a Florida Rotarian and Polio Education Warrior for this graphic

I just registered a WPD event from D5450 (we have obtained an official proclamation from the Colorado governor recognizing World Polio Day). **It is quick and easy to do on the www.endpolio.org/register website! Please register your event!**

Some World Polio Day events happening in our Zones:

1. Walk, Run, Ride across the Golden Gate Bridge to End Polio on Sat. Oct. 21— register by going to <http://raise.rotary.org/Debbie-Hale-D5230/Challenge>
2. ***Stay tuned for information about the limited edition Rick Barry signed basketballs that can be used to raise money for polio***
3. ***Tour de Lincoln***



21st YEAR!

Tour de Lincoln

SATURDAY **OCTOBER 21** **2023**

- 100k, 50k, and 25k rides
- Register at Active.com
- BBQ Lunch
- Proceeds support Rotary service projects



www.tourdelincoln.org

Let us know about your events and we can help publicize in this update and don't forget to register them!

If you missed the monthly Zoom meeting yesterday (there were some technical issues); it was recorded. Mike will be sending an email giving the link to the recording.

The link listed as 34_Polio_Global_update is the latest report from GPEI if you are interested (I attach it in both .pptx and .pdf formats). This week's edition has some parts of the report that were unreadable in .pptx format and therefore in the .pdf format.

GPEI (Global Polio Eradication Initiative) is seeking submissions of videos promoting the eradication of polio. Deadline has been extended to early Sept.

Go to <https://makepoliohistory.org>

Note: This update is going out to those on Bob Roger's previous list and all Zones 2627 DGs and DPPCs. Let me know if you no longer wish to receive these updates or if you have others that should be added. Shoot me an email marnyeul@me.com

For those of you that send out copies or use this newsletter as a template for sending info to your Polio Warriors, I will add some attachments to the email message.