



Hepatitis B

Number of cases

Countries	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006
EU-27	:	27,974	:	:	:	:	14,710	12,909	13,145	:
Belgium	308	134	126	258	532	709	728	569	554	401
Bulgaria	1,507	1,703	1,407	1,230	1,134	1,074	965	969	940	773
Czech Republic	557	575	636	604	457	413	370	392	361	306
Denmark	101	97	61	63	47	63	37	45	26	20
Germany	6,085	5,185	4,565	4,542	2,359	1,424	1,307	1,260	1,235	1,179
Estonia	565	495	280	437	449	244	173	127	78	45
Ireland	31	155	160	187	342	458	547	36	905	94
Greece	164	618	284	234	219	171	144	181	110	67
Spain	1,163	1,134	935	886	780	818	796	736	652	496
France	6,013	5,130	:	:	:	:	137	139	142	182
Italy	1,996	1,796	1,693	1,528	1,466	1,363	1,284	1,171	993	1,068
Cyprus	1	5	7	4	3	0	5	11	6	7
Latvia	375	398	453	718	839	492	337	214	170	167
Lithuania	432	470	375	348	382	274	175	187	141	107
Luxembourg	81	55	62	32	82	:	1	2	5	9
Hungary	:	180	169	:	159	159	143	131	119	83
Malta	9	3	4	4	5	3	2	6	13	2
Netherlands	256	277	677	1,545	1,631	1,859	1,900	1,883	1,842	240
Austria	210	251	322	264	210	337	520	576	572	:
Poland	4,896	4,074	3,508	2,825	2,394	2,021	1,694	1,473	1,727	:
Portugal	680	572	407	286	210	155	118	96	97	40
Romania	3,865	3,090	2,755	2,695	2,678	2,312	2,030	1,852	1,620	1,279
Slovenia	24	35	29	26	18	16	24	23	19	26
Slovakia	260	202	208	165	148	142	140	111	124	123
Finland	315	246	256	239	127	176	111	57	33	37
Sweden	154	136	214	225	215	289	377	253	217	162
United Kingdom	889	958	1,144	1,063	943	891	645	409	444	:
Croatia	263	211	215	189	200	205	180	217	164	148
former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia, the	148	204	174	193	155	132	168	185	207	202
Turkey	4,343	5,003	4,362	4,115	5,578	5,813	5,206	6,951	8,659	:
Iceland	21	15	45	49	61	39	23	39	33	11
Norway	186	469	473	262	201	181	203	186	147	149
Switzerland	260	182	203	144	128	165	110	92	74	95
Albania	:	:	:	40	63	:	528	572	:	:
Bosnia and Herzegovina	159	219	130	:	:	158	136	111	134	101
Montenegro	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	24
Serbia	586	535	368	402	474	394	368	358	323	:
Canada	1,017	940	796	745	599	597	578	834	962	900
United States	10,416	10,258	7,694	8,036	7,843	7,996	7,526	6,212	5,119	4,713
Japan	:	:	510	425	330	332	245	239	208	:

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Incidence per 100,000 of population

Countries	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006
EU-27	:	5.8	:	:	:	:	3.0	2.6	2.7	:
Belgium	3.0	1.3	1.2	2.5	5.2	6.9	7.0	5.5	5.3	3.8
Bulgaria	18.1	20.6	17.1	15.0	13.9	13.6	12.3	12.4	12.1	10.0
Czech Republic	5.4	5.6	6.2	5.9	4.5	4.0	3.6	3.8	3.5	3.0
Denmark	1.9	1.8	1.1	1.2	0.9	1.2	0.7	0.8	0.5	0.4
Germany	7.4	6.3	5.6	5.5	2.9	1.7	1.6	1.5	1.5	1.4
Estonia	40.2	35.5	20.3	31.8	32.8	17.9	12.8	9.4	5.8	3.3
Ireland	0.8	4.2	4.3	5.0	8.9	11.7	13.8	0.9	22.0	2.2
Greece	1.5	5.7	2.6	2.1	2.0	1.6	1.3	1.6	1.0	0.6
Spain	2.9	2.9	2.3	2.2	1.9	2.0	1.9	1.7	1.5	1.1
France	10.1	8.6	:	:	:	:	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.3
Italy	3.5	3.2	3.0	2.7	2.6	2.4	2.2	2.0	1.7	1.8
Cyprus	0.2	0.7	1.0	0.6	0.4	-	0.7	1.5	0.8	0.9
Latvia	15.3	16.4	18.9	30.1	35.5	21.0	14.5	9.2	7.4	7.3
Lithuania	12.0	13.2	10.6	9.9	11.0	7.9	5.1	5.4	4.1	3.1
Luxembourg	19.4	13.0	14.5	7.4	18.7	:	0.2	0.4	1.1	1.9
Hungary	:	1.8	1.6	:	1.6	1.6	1.4	1.3	1.2	0.8
Malta	2.4	0.8	1.1	1.1	1.3	0.8	0.5	1.5	3.2	0.5
Netherlands	1.6	1.8	4.3	9.7	10.2	11.5	11.7	11.6	11.3	1.5
Austria	2.6	3.1	4.0	3.3	2.6	4.2	6.4	7.1	7.0	:
Poland	12.7	10.5	9.1	7.3	6.3	5.3	4.4	3.9	4.5	:
Portugal	6.8	5.7	4.0	2.8	2.0	1.5	1.1	0.9	0.9	0.4
Romania	17.1	13.7	12.3	12.0	11.9	10.6	9.3	8.5	7.5	5.9
Slovenia	1.2	1.8	1.5	1.3	0.9	0.8	1.2	1.2	1.0	1.3
Slovakia	4.8	3.7	3.9	3.1	2.8	2.6	2.6	2.1	2.3	2.3
Finland	6.1	4.8	5.0	4.6	2.5	3.4	2.1	1.1	0.6	0.7
Sweden	1.7	1.5	2.4	2.5	2.4	3.2	4.2	2.8	2.4	1.8
United Kingdom	1.5	1.6	2.0	1.8	1.6	1.5	1.1	0.7	0.7	:
Croatia	5.8	4.7	4.7	4.3	4.5	4.6	4.1	4.9	3.7	3.3
former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia, the	7.4	10.2	8.6	9.5	7.6	6.5	8.3	9.1	10.2	9.9
Turkey	6.8	7.7	6.6	6.2	8.2	8.4	7.5	9.8	12.1	:
Iceland	7.8	5.5	16.3	17.6	21.5	13.6	8.0	13.4	11.2	3.7
Norway	4.2	10.6	10.6	5.9	4.5	4.0	4.5	4.1	3.2	3.2
Switzerland	3.7	2.6	2.8	2.0	1.8	2.3	1.5	1.2	1.0	1.3
Albania	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	18.3	:	:
Bosnia and Herzegovina	4.3	6.2	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:
Montenegro	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	3.8
Serbia	:	:	4.9	5.3	6.3	5.3	4.9	4.8	4.3	:
Canada	3.4	3.1	2.6	2.4	1.9	1.9	1.8	2.6	3.0	2.8
United States	3.8	3.7	2.8	2.8	2.7	2.8	2.6	2.1	1.7	1.6
Japan	:	:	0.4	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.2	0.2	0.2	:

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