



World Cup 2026 — Health Risk Overview

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ELEVATED — Immediate Attention Required

4 host cities at critical risk (Dallas, Guadalajara, Miami). 9 cities with elevated signals (Atlanta, Boston, Houston).

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Critical

9

Elevated

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Routine

Cities of Concern

Atlanta (US) **YELLOW**

△ MMR coverage 86.8% (below 95% herd immunity threshold, gap: 8.2%)

Boston (US) **YELLOW**

△ Pertussis peaks during World Cup months (Jun-Jul)

Dallas (US) **RED**

△ Salmonellosis (excluding Salmonella Typhi infection and Salmonella Paratyphi infection): 14 cases in last 4 weeks (10.5x above baseline)

+10 additional cities with elevated signals, full drivers, recommended actions, and team infrastructure data available in the complete report.

Inbound Team Risk

13 national teams are traveling from countries with active disease outbreaks. Thousands of accompanying fans amplify importation risk at venues and fan festivals.

Full report details each team's home-country disease burden by pathogen, severity level, and which host cities they are playing in.

Upcoming Matches

Date

City

Venue

Posture

2026-06-11	Guadalajara	Estadio Akron	RED
2026-06-11	Mexico City	Estadio Banorte	YELLOW
2026-06-12	Los Angeles	SoFi Stadium	GREEN

Showing 3 of 60 scheduled match-city events across the tournament window.

What the full Virus Watcher platform covers:

- 9-signal risk scoring per city (updated continuously)
- Wastewater pathogen surveillance
- Vaccination coverage gaps by disease
- Hospital admission trend analysis
- Inbound team & fan importation risk
- Google Trends & news signal monitoring
- Team hotel & training site risk mapping
- Fan festival outbreak exposure modeling
- Disease seasonality forecasting
- In-house epidemiologist consultation
- Live interactive dashboard with match-day overlays
- Custom alerts & briefings on your cadence

Want the full intelligence picture?

Our team is ready to walk you through the complete briefing and discuss how Virus Watcher can support your oversight operation for World Cup 2026.

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Virus Watcher — Event Health Intelligence

This overview is a summary only. Data is drawn from disease surveillance, wastewater monitoring, vaccination records, hospital systems, and news intelligence sources across all 3 host countries. Our in-house epidemiologist is available to consult on any findings.