# EMERGING INFECTIOUS DISEASES

A peer-reviewed journal tracking and analyzing disease trends





# **A Journal for Our Times**

- Audience and scope
- Mission and goals
- Achievements
- Future





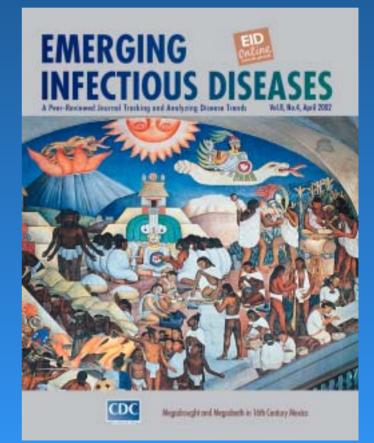


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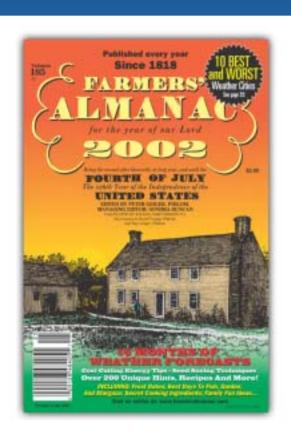
# **Primary Audience**

Professionals in infectious diseases and related sciences academia, industry clinical practice public heath

40,000+ from around the globe



#### **Other Journals Sharing Similar Audience**

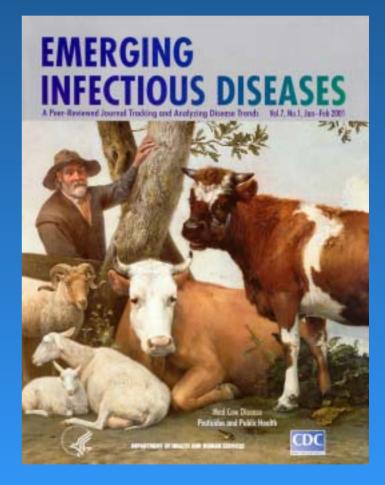


Journal of Infectious Diseases **Clinical Infectious Diseases** Infection and Immunity Antimicrobial Agents and Chemotherapy Am J Tropical Medicine and Hygiene

# Mission

Promote recognition of new and reemerging infectious diseases

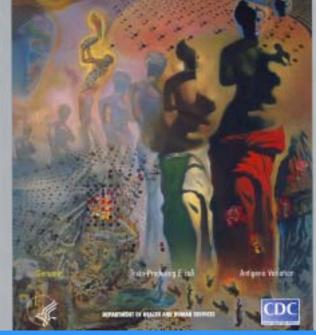
Improve understanding of factors involved in disease emergence, prevention, and elimination



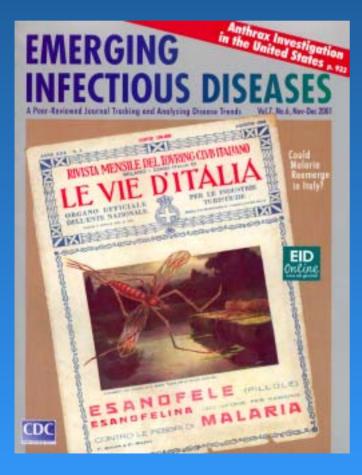
# Goals

Broad interdisciplinary content Commentary along with research Brief updates and trends Swift, global dissemination Online publication ahead of print

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# **High Quality Standards**



Rigorous peer review

Substantive editing for readability and accessibility

Expedited publication of urgent information

Online ahead of print

#### **Editorial Board**

Extensive >50 members Diverse from 13 countries Active soliciting, reviewing articles advising



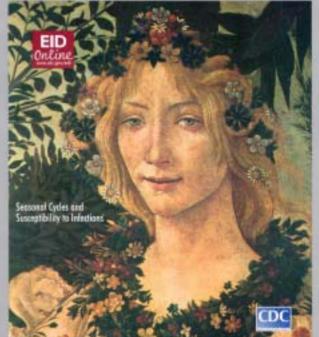
Cartoon from poster of annual meeting of Société Française de Microbiologie, Section des Agents Antimicrobiens. Used with permission and courtesy of P. Courvalin.

## **Scientific Content Editors**

Editors for Perspectives (two) Synopses, Research, Dispatches, Letters (one each)

Solicit and review articles, recommend reviewers, advise Editor-in-Chief

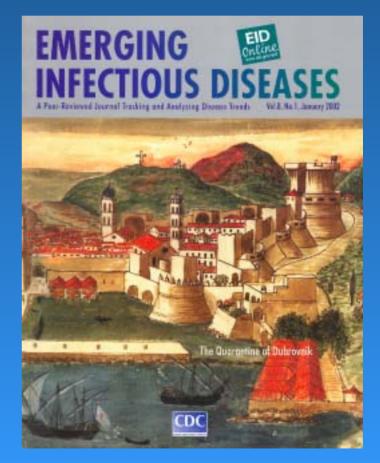




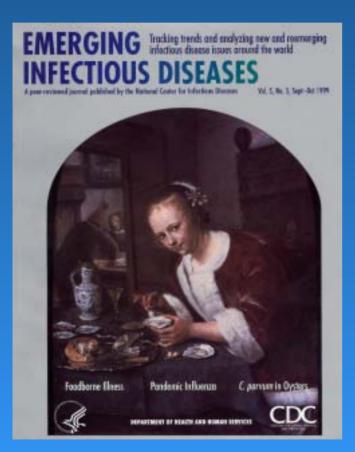
## **Volunteer Reviewers**

Specialists in statistics, economics, demography, sociology, and other disciplines, as well as all areas of infectious diseases

E-mail curriculum vitae and areas of expertise to eideditor@cdc.gov



# **Statistics**



> 600 submissions per year 1/3 rejected, 1/3 accepted after substantial revision >1,500 reviewers

Submission to publication: 4-6 wks (online) 6-8 wks (print)

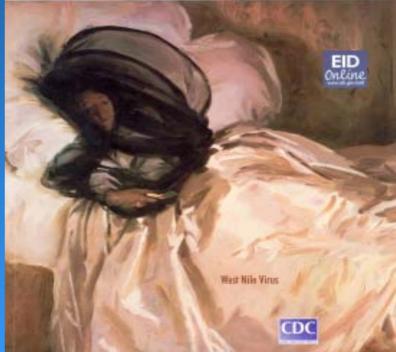
#### **Production Details**

Desktop-published in house Printed by Government Printing Office

12 issues per year + supplements, special issues, theme issues

100-120 pages per issue

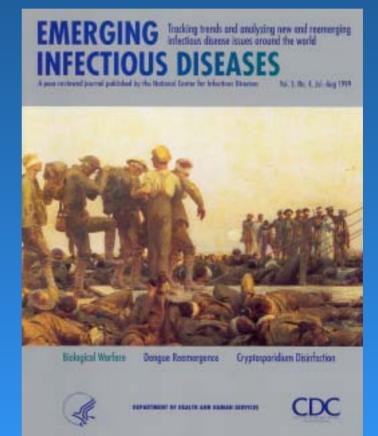




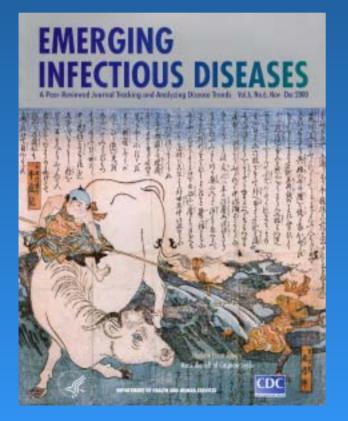
## **Theme and Special Issues**

Bioterrorism Foodborne Pathogens Hantavirus West Nile Virus Nosocomial Infections ICEID Conference Issues

Coming soon: Tuberculosis, Anthrax

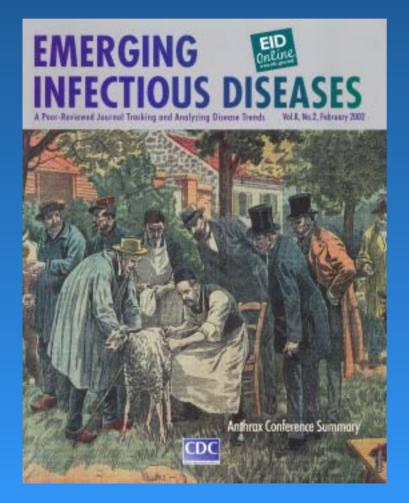


# **Multilingual for Global Reach**



Partial translations into Spanish French Chinese Japanese at no cost to EID

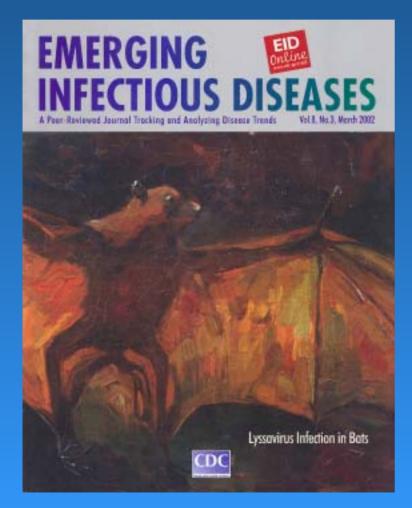
# **Subscriptions and Distribution**



Print: 30,000 subscribers (>6,000 international)
Electronic: 20,000 subscribers (>3,000 international, from 111 countries)
Web hits: >159,000 (CDC Web statistics, Feb 2002)

Free of charge in print and online

# **Impact Factor**



Third most cited infectious disease journal (Science Citation Index, 2000)

Indexed in Index Medicus Current Contents other major databases

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#### **Content Goals**

- Increase quality of articles
- Strengthen authorship base
- Broaden subscription base
- Enlarge reviewer database

#### **Electronic Improvements**

- Online submission and peer review
- Enhanced online services
  - Full text in XML
  - CrossRef
  - Online only section
  - Increased links