

# The Unbelievable Impact of Vaccines

## U.S. Edition

In 1923,  
**1560**  
contracted tetanus



People died from lightning strikes in the US in 2012-13

**37**

the same number as those who contracted

Tetanus **37**  
in the US in 2013

In 1941,  
**894,134**  
contracted measles



In 2010, in one day

more people reached the summit of Mt everest  
**169**

that's 114 more people than contracted Measles in the US in 2013

**55**

In 1968,  
**152,209**  
contracted mumps



More Americans die each year from falling out of bed  
**600**

than contracted in 2013

Mumps **229**

In 1969,  
**57686**  
contracted rubella



people are killed each year by vending machines

**13**

that's more than the number of Americans who contracted

Rubella **9**  
in the US in 2013

In 1992,  
**20000**  
contracted haemophilus influenza b



In the US, the average home owned more TV's

**2.5**

than the number of Americans that contracted

Haemophilus influenza b **2**  
in 2011

In 1901, **48164**  
contracted smallpox

In 1921, **206939**  
contracted diphtheria

In 1952, **21269**  
contracted polio



In 2013, in the US, the combined number of people who contracted

diphtheria, smallpox and polio... was **0**

**0**