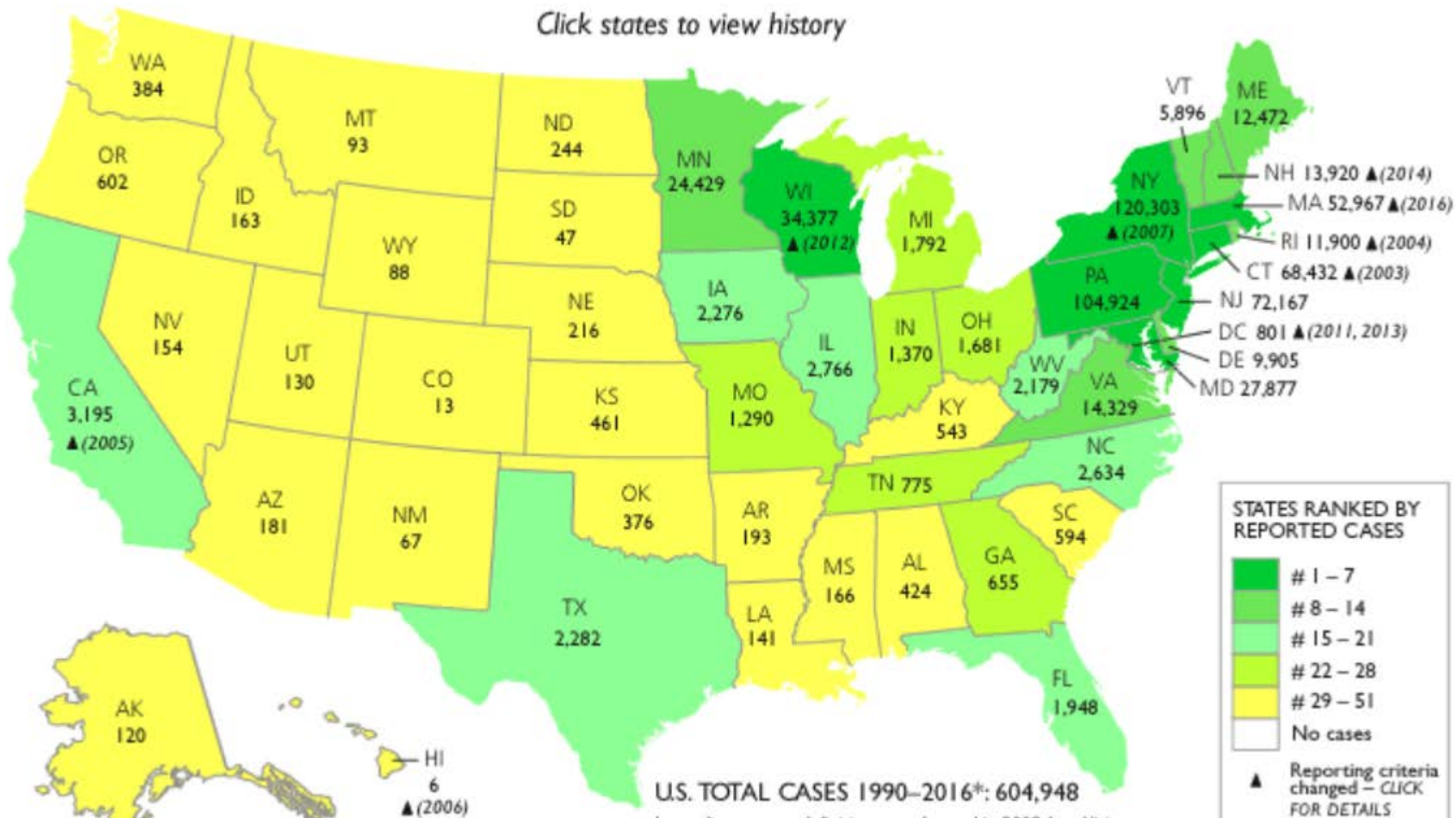


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U.S. LYME DISEASE REPORTED CASES 1990–2016*

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STATES RANKED BY REPORTED CASES

- # 1 – 7
- # 8 – 14
- # 15 – 21
- # 22 – 28
- # 29 – 51
- No cases

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N Not notifiable

U.S. TOTAL CASES 1990–2016*: 604,948

* Lyme disease case definition was changed in 2008. In addition to "Confirmed" cases, the "Probable" category was reported out for the first time. Cases for 2008 forward are the CDC "Total" reported cases (confirmed plus probable). In 2011, CDC changed case definition to include positive CSF antibody tests.

Note: CDC has stated, and confirmed in 2013, that only 10% of Lyme disease cases meeting the surveillance definition are reported – for example, if 30,000 cases are reported, 300,000 cases occurred (number does not include all the cases falling outside the stringent surveillance case definition).



Source: Data compiled from CDC pub data (MMWR/DVBD)
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