



Disease Surveillance Express

Weekly Data of Notifiable Infectious Diseases (by week of diagnosis)

Case diagnosis week		Week 7		Week 1-7	
Classification	Disease Diagnosed ¹	2014	2013	2014	2013
Category I	H5N1 Influenza	0	0	0	0
	Plague	0	0	0	0
	Rabies	0	0	0	0
	SARS	0	0	0	0
	Smallpox	0	0	0	0
Category II	Acute Flaccid Paralysis	1	0	5	4
	Acute Viral Hepatitis type A	6	0	27	12
	Amoebiasis	2	0	25	24
	Anthrax	0	0	0	0
	Chikungunya Fever	0	0	2	2
	Cholera	0	0	0	2
	Dengue Fever	5	1	63	51
	Dengue Hemorrhagic Fever/Dengue Shock Syndrome	0	0	2	4
	Diphtheria	0	0	0	0
	Enterohemorrhagic E. coli Infection	0	0	0	0
	Epidemic Typhus Fever	0	0	0	0
	Hantavirus Pulmonary Syndrome	0	0	0	0
	Hemorrhagic Fever with Renal Syndrome	0	0	0	0
	Malaria	1	1	2	1
	Measles	0	0	2	1
	Meningococcal Meningitis	0	0	2	0
	Paratyphoid Fever	1	0	2	0
	Poliomyelitis	0	0	0	0
	Rubella	0	0	0	0
Shigellosis	2	0	19	25	
Typhoid fever	0	1	5	3	
West Nile Fever	0	0	0	0	
Category III	Acute Viral Hepatitis type B	1	4	9	22
	Acute Viral Hepatitis type C	0	0	1	2
	Acute Viral Hepatitis type D	0	0	0	0
	Acute Viral Hepatitis type E	0	0	3	1
	Acute Viral Hepatitis untype	1	0	1	1
	Congenital Rubella Syndrome	0	0	0	0
	Enteroviruses Infection with Severe Complications	0	0	1	1
	Haemophilus Influenza type b Infection	0	0	0	1
	Japanese Encephalitis	0	0	0	0
	Legionellosis	2	0	23	9
	Mumps ²	12	13	90	106
	Neonatal Tetanus	0	0	0	0
	Pertussis	0	0	3	7
	Tetanus ²	0	0	0	3
Category IV	Botulism	0	0	0	0
	Brucellosis	0	0	0	0
	Complicated Influenza	119	14	690	59
	Complicated Varicella ⁴	12	0	17	0
	Endemic Typhus Fever	0	0	2	3
	Herpesvirus B Infection	0	0	0	0
	Invasive Pneumococcal Disease	24	14	161	108
	Leptospirosis	0	0	6	7
	Lyme Disease	0	0	0	0
	Melioidosis	2	0	3	2
	Q Fever	4	0	9	7
	Scrub Typhus	3	4	42	60
	Toxoplasmosis	1	0	1	0
Tularremia	0	0	0	0	
Category V	Ebola Hemorrhagic Fever	0	0	0	0
	Ebola-Marburg Hemorrhagic Fever	0	0	0	0
	H7N9 Influenza	0	0	1	0
	Lassa Fever	0	0	0	0
	Rift Valley Fever	0	0	0	0
	Middle East Respiratory Syndrome Coronavirus	0	0	0	0
Yellow Fever	0	0	0	0	

1. The following 8 chronic diseases are excluded from the table: MDR-TB, Tuberculosis, Syphilis, Gonorrhea, HIV Infection, AIDS, Hansen Disease and Creutzfeldt-Jakob Disease.

2. Reported cases.

3. The epidemiological week calendar established by the World Health Organization is adopted for calculating each week's cumulative total.

4. Since 2014/1/1 from 「Varicella」 corrected to 「Complicated Varicella」.



Suspected Clusters

- In regard to disease clusters, 10 outbreak events were reported, including 3 upper respiratory tract infection clusters, 3 diarrhea clusters, 2 influenza-like illness clusters, 1 measles cluster and 1 varicella cluster.

Imported Infectious Diseases

- 12 confirmed infectious cases were imported from 6 countries during week 7 of 2014.

Disease \ Country	Country						Total
	Indonesia	Malaysia	Cambodia	China	Gabon	Vietnam	
Dengue Fever	2	3					5
Hepatitis A			1	1			2
Amoebiasis	1						1
Malaria					1		1
Complicated Varicella						1	1
Paratyphoid Fever			1				1
Shigellosis	1						1
Total	4	3	2	1	1	1	12

Note: The statistics listed in this table include imported cases that were either confirmed or updated* in the previous week.

- A total of 79 infectious cases were imported from 13 countries in 2014.
- Top 3 imported diseases : Dengue fever (24), Amoebiasis (14), Shigellosis (14).
- Top 3 countries responsible for most imported cases : Indonesia (36), Philippines (10), Malaysia (8).

Summary of This Week

- **Influenza** : The influenza epidemic has reached its peak. In addition, the ER consultation rate for influenza-like illness has decreased. Currently, H3N2 is the dominant strain circulating in the community, followed by H1N1 and type B, both of which have become more active. As schools have been reopening, health education concerning cough etiquette and hand hygiene should be strengthened to prevent possible outbreaks.

