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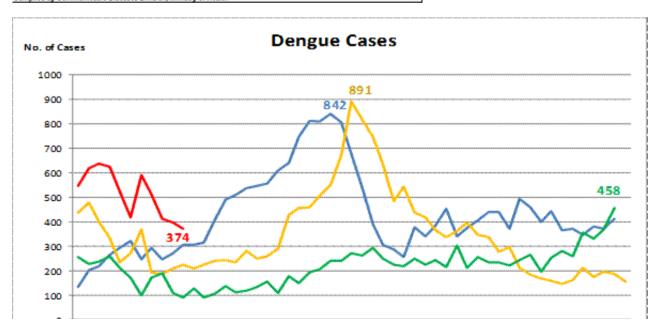
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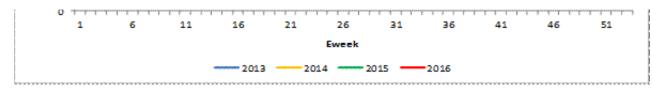
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Latest Dengue Data

lo. of Reported	17-Mar	18-Mar	19-Mar	20-Mar	21-Mar	22-Mar at 3.30pm
51	61	45	39	29	58	13
lo. of Reported	Cases by E-wee	k (from Sun 000	Ohrs to Sat 2359hrs	E-week 10	E-week 11	E-week 12
	E-week 07	E-week 08	E-week 09		E-week 11 (13-19Mar16)	E-week 12 (20-22Mar16) at 3.30p





374 dengue cases were reported in the week ending 19 March 16, **23** cases fewer than in the previous week. The number of weekly reported dengue cases is still high for this time of the year, and the majority of mosquito breeding is still being found in homes, such as in domestic containers, flower pot plates and trays. With effect from 14 March 2016, NEA has extended its enforcement regime to all residences found breeding mosquitoes, regardless whether they are within or outside dengue clusters, to ensure that all homeowners take immediate steps to remove and prevent mosquito breeding in their premises.

Source eradication of mosquito breeding habitats and spraying of insecticides to control the adult mosquito population remain key to dengue prevention, and we need to keep up with these efforts as we strive towards mitigating the forecast surge in cases in the coming months. NEA, together with the various agencies and other stakeholders represented on the Inter-Agency Dengue Task Force (IADTF), including Town Councils, have been checking and ridding our public areas and housing estates of potential mosquito breeding habitats. NEA has also been focusing on areas with higher potential for dengue transmission such as construction sites. In 2015, NEA issued more than 900 construction site related Notices to Attend Court and more than 100 Stop Work Orders. Over 100 court prosecutions were also taken against contractors for repeat offences.

NEA encourages everyone to join in the collective effort to help stop the dengue transmission cycle by doing the 5-step Mozzie Wipeout on alternate days. Those planning to go on vacation should mosquito-proof their homes before they travel. Those infected with dengue should also apply repellent as regularly as possible to prevent mosquitoes from biting and picking up the virus from them, and those showing symptoms suggestive of dengue, should see their GPs early to be diagnosed. All of us, including residents, contractors, and business owners, have a part to play in preventing dengue. The latest updates on the dengue situation can be found at the Stop Dengue Now Facebook page, www.dengue.gov.sg or the myENV app.

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