



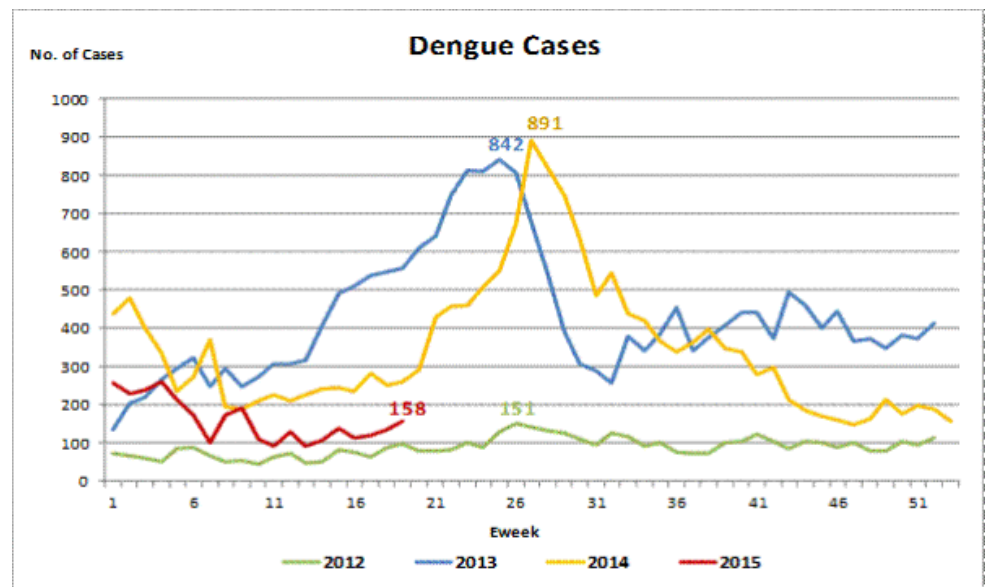
Latest Dengue Data

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Number of Dengue cases						
<i>It is important to note that day-to-day numbers fluctuates as they depend on the number of notification received. Therefore, weekly numbers are a better reflection of actual trends.</i>						
No. of Reported Cases*						
16-May	17-May	18-May	19-May	20-May	21-May	22-May at 3.30pm
9	10	17	16	16	20	8
*provisional						
No. of Reported Cases by E-week (from Sun 0000hrs to Sat 2359hrs)						
E-week 14 (05-11Apr15)	E-week 15 (12-18Apr15)	E-week 16 (19-25Apr15)	E-week 17 (26Apr-02May15)	E-week 18 (03-09May15)	E-week 19 (10-16May15)	E-week 20 (17-22May15 at 3.30pm)
107	137	113	119	135	158	87
Cumulative No. of cases for 2015 (First 19 week): 3020						
Compiled by Communicable Diseases Division, Ministry of Health						



158 dengue cases were reported in the week ending 16 May, **23** cases more than the previous week. The increase in cases is a timely reminder that we need to remain vigilant and continue to work as a community to keep dengue cases in check as a large proportion of our population is still susceptible to dengue infection due to the lack of immunity. All stakeholders need to sustain prevention efforts as we enter the traditional dengue peak season. The warmer months of June to October are when there is usually higher transmission of dengue in Singapore due to accelerated breeding and maturation cycles for the *Aedes* mosquitoes and shorter incubation periods for the dengue virus.

Source eradication of mosquito breeding habitats remains key to preventing mosquito breeding. All stakeholders must play their part to help stem dengue transmission in the environment, by checking their premises daily for potential mosquito breeding habitats and removing them. Residents with plants in vases should change the water and scrub the inside of the vases every alternate day to prevent mosquito breeding. Those infected with dengue should protect themselves from mosquito bites by applying repellent as regularly as possible, and those showing symptoms suggestive of dengue, should see their GPs early to be diagnosed.

NEA encourages everyone to join in the collective effort to help stop the dengue transmission cycle by doing the 5-step Mozzie Wipeout. 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.