DPDHS Division	Fe	engue ever / OHF*	Dysentery		Encepha- litis		Enteric Fever		Food Poison- ing		Leptos- pirosis		Typhus Fever		Viral Hepatitis		Human Rabies		Returns Re- ceived Timely*
	Α	В	Α	В	Α	В	Α	В	Α	В	Α	В	Α	В	Α	В	Α	В	%
Colombo	17	1553	8	288	0	15	5	193	1	141	9	1042	0	8	1	115	0	0	77
Gampaha	7	934	6	226	0	20	2	62	7	111	2	817	1	8	4	194	0	7	86
Kalutara	7	463	5	359	0	14	4	85	0	44	6	663	0	4	0	46	0	2	92
Kandy	7	335	0	312	0	10	2	66	0	100	3	512	2	100	0	126	0	2	64
Matale	4	173	2	230	0	4	1	55	1	17	24	802	0	2	1	31	0	0	83
Nuwara	0	29	4	301	0	6	2	257	0	168	1	73	0	43	0	108	0	1	92
Galle	1	105	2	213	0	23	0	18	0	50	1	436	0	16	0	8	0	5	82
Hambantota	9	122	1	138	0	8	0	8	0	20	12	134	0	98	0	17	0	1	82
Matara	7	347	4	230	0	14	0	36	0	15	1	487	3	233	0	14	0	1	76
Jaffna	0	60	0	155	0	4	0	258	0	20	0	1	0	164	0	42	0	0	0
Kilinochchi	0	1	0	160	0	0	0	1	0	4	0	2	0	0	0	2	0	0	0
Mannar	1	26	0	28	0	6	0	160	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	16	0	1	50
Vavuniya	0	12	2	77	0	3	0	15	0	25	0	6	0	1	0	5	0	0	75
Mullaitivu	0	0	0	61	0	0	0	16	0	13	0	0	0	1	0	10	0	1	0
Batticaloa	0	87	8	242	0	8	0	32	0	30	0	12	0	0	0	95	0	10	73
Ampara	0	33	3	271	0	0	0	9	3	289	0	25	0	0	0	14	0	0	71
Trincomalee	0	185	1	121	0	2	0	13	0	14	0	33	0	17	0	15	0	0	60
Kurunegala	2	352	6	263	0	16	1	56	1	30	4	687	2	34	0	84	0	9	84
Puttalam	1	285	8	178	0	10	0	162	0	41	0	67	0	38	0	34	0	5	89
Anuradhapu	0	120	1	162	0	10	0	12	0	56	1	252	3	14	0	16	0	3	63
Polonnaruw	1	66	5	146	0	1	0	29	0	25	1	101	0	1	0	22	0	0	86
Badulla	1	103	4	506	0	9	0	126	0	112	0	72	2	128	2	180	0	1	73
Monaragala	0	60	2	358	0	4	0	55	1	124	2	96	1	107	0	59	0	2	64
Ratnapura	13	304	6	428	1	34	0	54	0	84	3	250	0	82	1	63	0	0	61
Kegalle Kalmunai	7 0	444 38	4	316 326	0	25 2	0	86 17	3	25 16	6 0	581 4	2	74 3	1	521 28	0	1 0	91 54
SRI LANKA	85	6237	86	6095	1	248	17	1881	17	1574	76	7155	16	1177	11	1865	0	52	71

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\*Dengue Fever / DHF refers to Dengue Fever / Dengue Haemorrhagic Fever.

<sup>\*\*</sup>Timely refers to returns received on or before 20 December, 2008 Total number of reporting units = 309. Number of reporting units data provided for the current week: 219