

**WEEKLY BULLETIN OF INFECTIOUS DISEASES REPUBLIC OF
SINGAPORE, WEEK 48, 2003**

DISEASES	48 th WEEK			CUMULATIVE, FIRST 48 WEEKS		
	ENDING 29.11.03	ENDING 30.11.02	MEDIAN 1998-02	2003	2002	MEDIAN 1998-02
CHOLERA	0	0	0	1	2	10
PLAGUE	0	0	0	0	0	0
YELLOW FEVER	0	0	0	0	0	0
CHICKENPOX	168	723	567	13984	24827	24348
DENGUE						
a) Dengue fever	60	96	26	4417	3599	2247
b) Dengue haemorrhagic fever	0	0	0	2	8	10
DIPHTHERIA	0	0	0	0	0	0
ENTERIC FEVERS						
a) Typhoid fever	0	1	0	28	44	53
b) Paratyphoid fever	0	0	0	8	25	23
LEPROSY	0	0	0	2	8	17
MALARIA	1	6	6	109	164	253
POLIOMYELITIS	0	0	0	0	0	0
VIRAL HEPATITIS						
a) Hepatitis A	3	2	0	48	229	84
b) Hepatitis B	0	1	3	45	61	107
c) Others	0	0	0	6	20	17
VIRAL ENCEPHALITIS	0	1	0	16	17	13
TUBERCULOSIS	27	45	37	1942	1902	2100
MEASLES	2	0	0	26	55	60
MUMPS	17	36	50	804	1035	1322
RUBELLA	1	4	4	78	145	230
HAND, FOOT AND MOUTH DISEASE	252	104	-	4461	16038	-
LEGIONELLOSIS	0	0	-	42	36	-
NIPAH VIRUS INFECTION	0	0	-	0	0	-
SEVERE ACUTE RESPIRATORY SYNDROME*	0	-	-	239#	-	-

*Notifiable as from 17 March 2003

#Included additional probable SARS cases due to retrospective reclassification

Data is provisional, based on reports to the
Communicable Diseases Division, Ministry of Health