

**WEEKLY BULLETIN OF INFECTIOUS DISEASES REPUBLIC OF SINGAPORE,
WEEK 38, 2003**

DISEASES	38 th WEEK			CUMULATIVE, FIRST 38 WEEKS		
	ENDING 20.09.03	ENDING 21.09.02	MEDIAN 1998-02	2003	2002	MEDIAN 1998-02
CHOLERA	0	0	0	1	2	4
PLAGUE	0	0	0	0	0	0
YELLOW FEVER	0	0	0	0	0	0
CHICKENPOX	234	451	551	11661	18560	18560
DENGUE						
a) Dengue fever	61	139	55	3615	2487	1856
b) Dengue haemorrhagic fever	0	0	0	2	8	8
DIPHTHERIA	0	0	0	0	0	0
ENTERIC FEVERS						
a) Typhoid fever	0	0	1	25	39	47
b) Paratyphoid fever	0	1	1	5	20	20
LEPROSY	0	0	0	2	8	14
MALARIA	0	4	3	87	131	221
POLIOMYELITIS	0	0	0	0	0	0
VIRAL HEPATITIS						
a) Hepatitis A	0	4	2	38	187	63
b) Hepatitis B	0	1	1	44	46	93
c) Others	0	0	0	5	15	15
VIRAL ENCEPHALITIS	0	1	0	14	11	11
TUBERCULOSIS	48	40	52	1530	1493	1631
MEASLES	0	0	0	11	49	54
MUMPS	14	20	32	647	779	1068
RUBELLA	0	4	4	66	120	177
HAND, FOOT AND MOUTH DISEASE	127	172	-	2656	14863	-
LEGIONELLOSIS	1	0	-	36	29	-
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
Epidemiology and Disease Control Division, Ministry of Health