



WEEKLY INFECTIOUS DISEASE BULLETIN

EPIDEMIOLOGICAL WEEK 43 21 - 27 Oct 2012

	E Week 43			Cumulative first 43 Weeks		
	2012	2011	Median 2007 -2011	2012	2011	Median 2007 -2011
FOOD/WATER-BORNE DISEASES						
Campylobacteriosis	12	5	4	366	315	222
Cholera	0	0	0	2	1	3
Paratyphoid	0	0	0	55	29	25
Poliomyelitis	0	0	0	0	0	0
Salmonellosis (non-enteric fevers)	26	22	22	1283	1159	939
Typhoid	1	0	1	72	59	61
Viral Hepatitis A	3	0	1	89	57	69
Viral Hepatitis E	1	2	2	87	82	80
VECTOR-BORNE DISEASES						
Chikungunya Fever	1	1	NA	14	5	NA
Dengue Fever	84	63	132	3748	4696	4696
Dengue Haemorrhagic Fever	0	0	0	23	17	43
Malaria	5	0	3	126	132	140
Nipah virus infection	0	0	0	0	0	0
Plague	0	0	0	0	0	0
Yellow Fever	0	0	0	0	0	0
AIR/DROPLET-BORNE DISEASES						
Avian Influenza	0	0	0	0	0	0
Diphtheria	0	0	0	0	0	0
Encephalitis	1	0	1	23	22	34
Haemophilus Influenzae B infection	0	0	0	1	0	1
Hand, Foot And Mouth Disease	327	597	553	35269	16509	17370
Legionellosis	0	0	0	24	20	20
Measles	0	0	0	30	103	17
Melioidosis	3	0	1	31	26	49
Meningococcal Disease	0	0	0	0	6	6
Mumps	7	14	14	456	439	567
Pertussis	0	1	0	23	16	16
Pneumococcal Disease (invasive)	2	2	NA	134	118	NA
Rubella	2	0	1	57	91	137
Severe acute respiratory syndrome	0	0	0	0	0	0
OTHER DISEASES						
Viral hepatitis B	1	2	2	44	58	60
Viral hepatitis C	4	0	0	8	3	6
POLYCLINIC ATTENDANCES - AVERAGE DAILY NUMBER***						
Acute upper respiratory infections	2596	2677	2358			
Acute conjunctivitis	79	105	97			
Acute Diarrhoea	489	478	386			
Chickenpox	13	NA	NA			
HIV/STI/TB NOTIFICATIONS*						
	2012	Sep		Cumulative 2012		
HIV/AIDS	36			355		
Legally Notifiable STIs**	566			5893		
Tuberculosis	243			2565		

* Numbers are preliminary. Please check with MOH before quoting these figures.

** Wef Jan 2010, reporting has changed from all types of STIs to legally notifiable STIs, which comprise gonorrhoea, non-gonococcal urethritis, syphilis (congenital, infectious, non-infectious), chlamydia and genital herpes (first episode and recurrent).

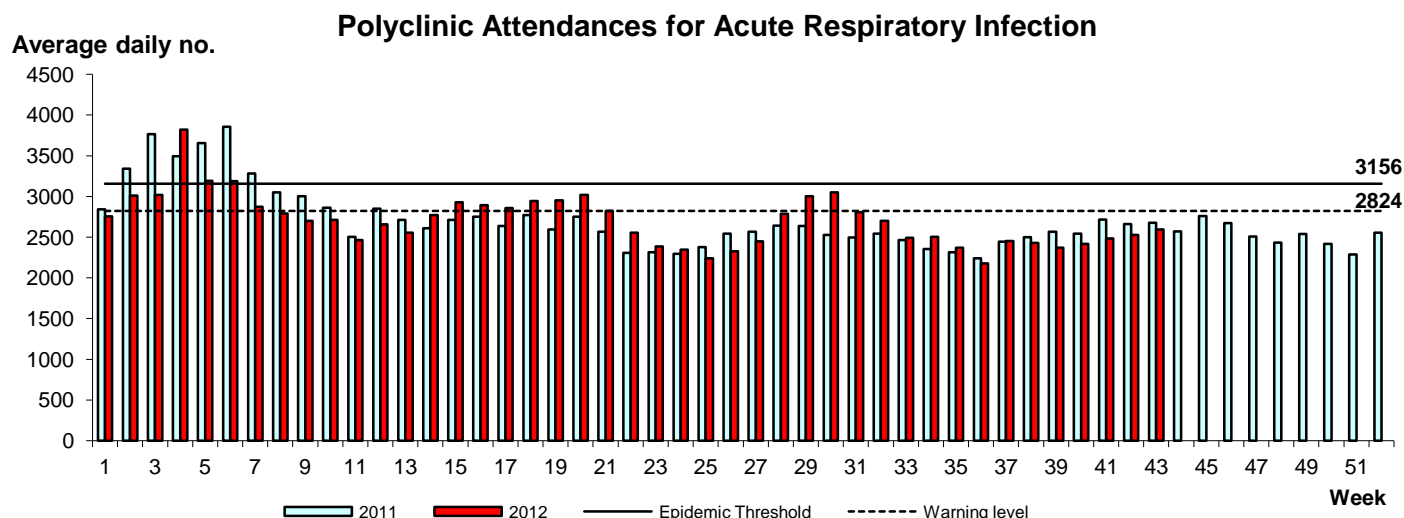
*** Wef E-week 6 of 2012, the no. of polyclinic attendances will be reflected on an average daily basis, instead of weekly basis, so as to take into account the number of working days in an E-week at the polyclinics for a more accurate representation of the underlying trends in the community.

2012 Notification	Epidemiological Week 21 - 27 Oct 2012		43	Cumulative first 42 Weeks		
FOOD/WATER-BORNE DISEASES						
Campylobacteriosis	12	Imported :	1 sporadic	354	Imported :	45 sporadic
		Local :	4 sporadic		Local :	309 sporadic
	Pending Investigation : 7			Pending Investigation :		
Cholera	0	Imported :	sporadic	2	Imported :	2 sporadic
		Local :	sporadic		Local :	sporadic
	Pending Investigation :			Pending Investigation :		
Paratyphoid	0	Imported :	sporadic	55	Imported :	44 sporadic
		Local :	sporadic		Local :	11 sporadic
	Pending Investigation :			Pending Investigation :		
Salmonellosis (non-enteric fevers)	26	Imported :	sporadic	1257	Imported :	101 sporadic
		Local :	20 sporadic		Local :	1149 sporadic
	Pending Investigation :6			Pending Investigation : 7		
Typhoid	1	Imported :	1 sporadic	71	Imported :	68 sporadic
		Local :	sporadic		Local :	3 sporadic
	Pending Investigation :			Pending Investigation :		
Viral Hepatitis A	3	Imported :	2 sporadic	86	Imported :	49 sporadic
		Local :	1 sporadic		Local :	37 sporadic
	Pending Investigation :			Pending Investigation :		
Viral Hepatitis E	1	Imported :	sporadic	86	Imported :	49 sporadic
		Local :	1 sporadic		Local :	37 sporadic
	Pending Investigation :			Pending Investigation :		
VECTOR-BORNE DISEASES						
Chikungunya Fever	1	Imported :	1 sporadic	13	Imported :	12 sporadic
		Local :	sporadic		Local :	1 sporadic
	Pending Investigation :			Pending Investigation :		
Dengue Fever	84	Active Clusters http://www.dengue.gov.sg		3664		
Dengue Haemorrhagic Fever	0			23		
Malaria	5	Imported :	3 sporadic	121	Imported :	121 sporadic
		Local :	sporadic		Local :	sporadic
	Pending Investigation : 2			Pending Investigation :		
AIR/DROPLET-BORNE DISEASES						
Encephalitis	1	Imported :	sporadic	22	Imported :	5 sporadic
		Local :	1 sporadic		Local :	17 sporadic
	Pending Investigation :			Pending Investigation :		
Legionellosis	0	Imported :	sporadic	24	Imported :	11 sporadic
		Local :	sporadic		Local :	13 sporadic
	Pending Investigation :			Pending Investigation :		
Meliodosis	3	Imported :	sporadic	28	Imported :	1 sporadic
		Local :	1 sporadic		Local :	27 sporadic
	Pending Investigation : 2			Pending Investigation :		
Meningococcal Disease	0	Imported :	sporadic	0	Imported :	sporadic
		Local :	sporadic		Local :	sporadic
	Pending Investigation:			Pending Investigation :		
OTHER DISEASES						
Viral hepatitis B	1	Imported :	1 sporadic	43	Imported :	12 sporadic
		Local :	sporadic		Local :	31 sporadic
	Pending Investigation :			Pending Investigation :		
Viral hepatitis C	4	Imported :	sporadic	4	Imported :	sporadic
		Local :	sporadic		Local :	3 sporadic
	Pending Investigation : 4			Pending Investigation : 1		

Influenza Situation in Singapore 2012

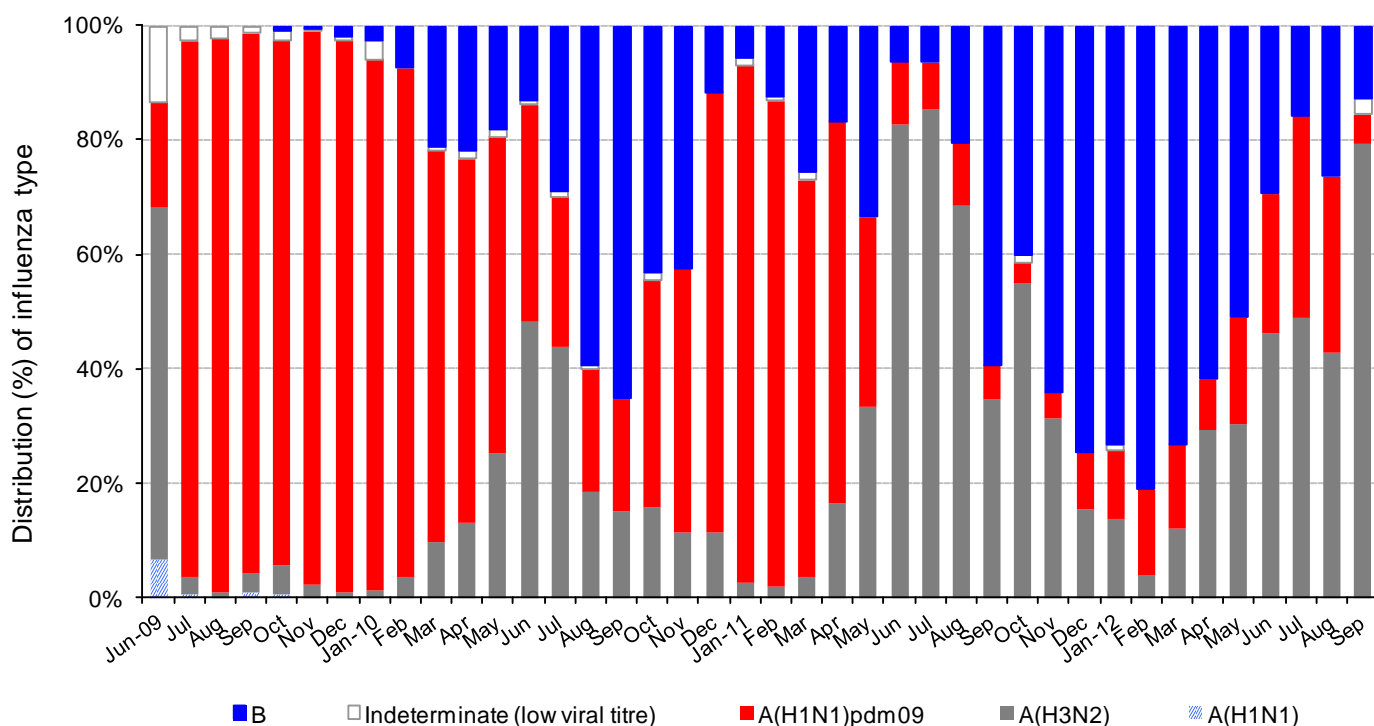
Influenza indicators for E-week 43 (21 - 27 October 2012) are as follows:

The average daily number of patients seeking treatment in the polyclinics for ARI increased from 2,529 (over 5.5 working days) in E-week 42 to 2,596 (over 4.5 working days) in E-week 43, and remained below the warning level.



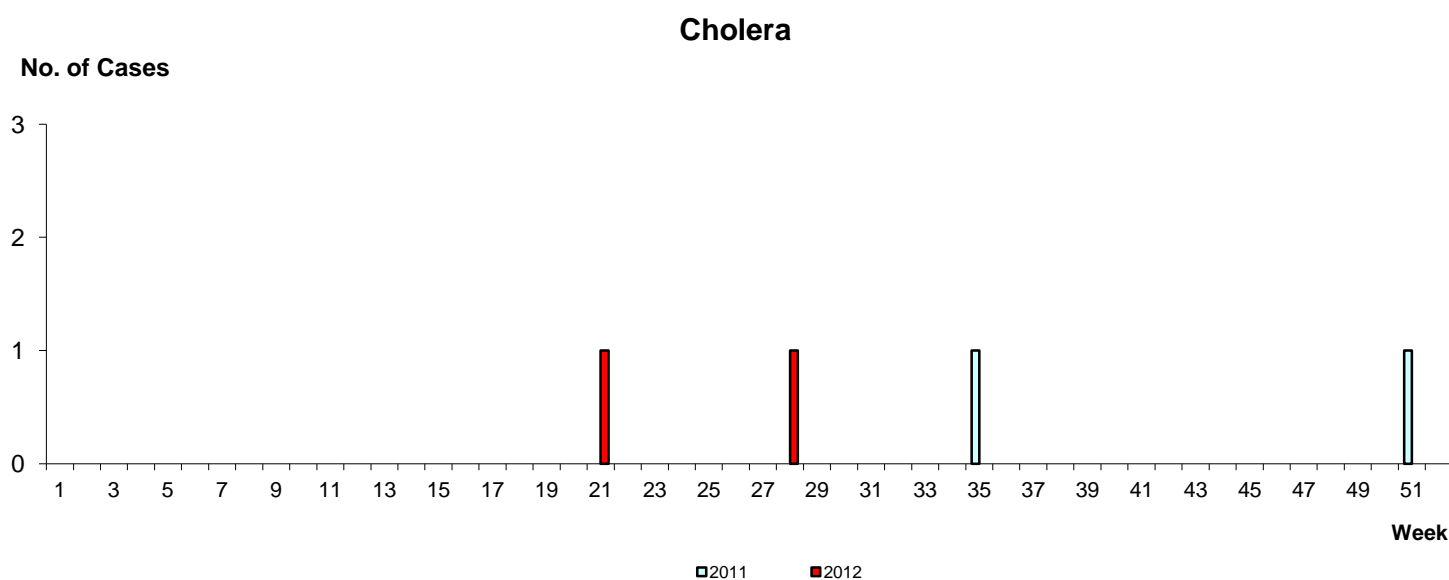
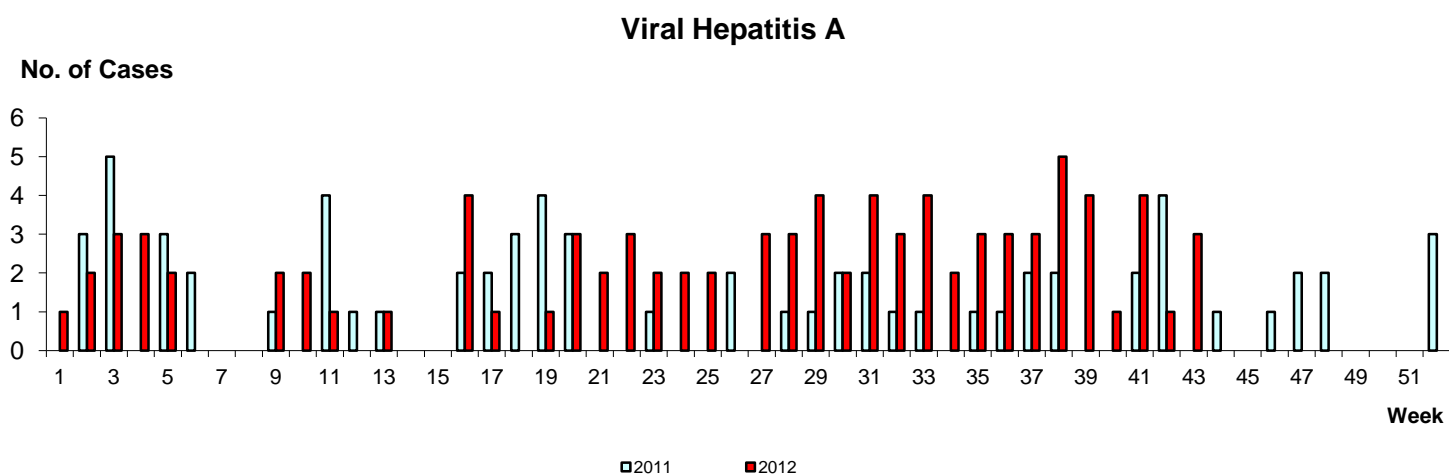
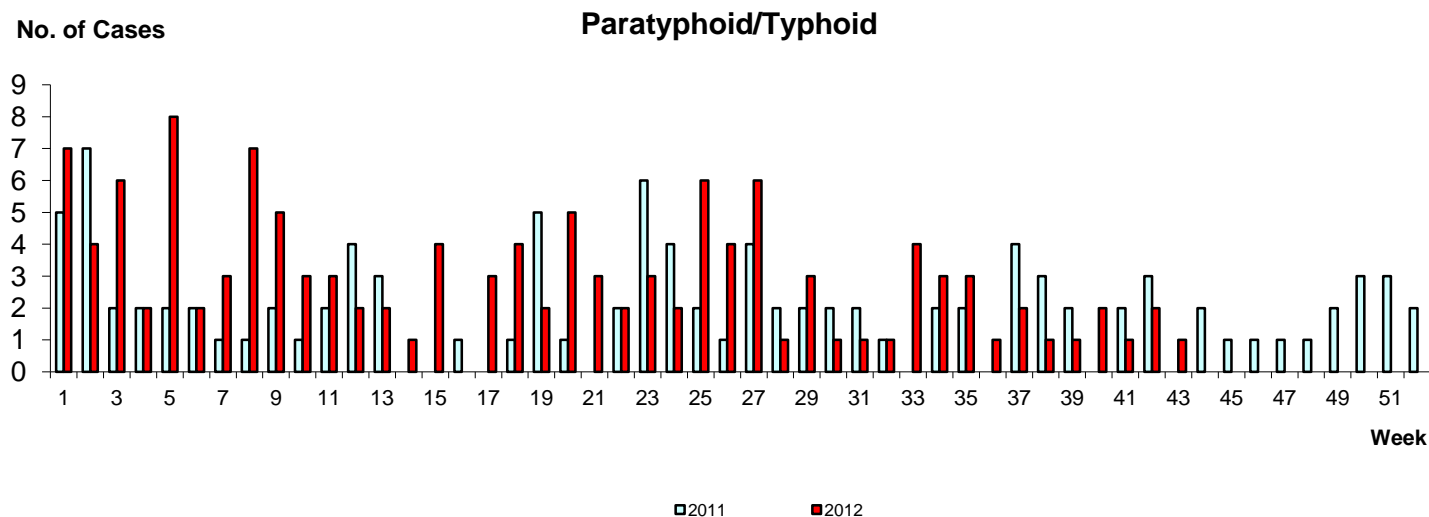
The proportion of patients with influenza-like illness (ILI) among the polyclinic attendances for ARI remained low at 1%.

The overall prevalence of influenza among ILI samples (n=123) in the community was 24.4% in the past four weeks. Of all the positive samples tested in September 2012, influenza A(H3N2) constituted 79.5%, whilst influenza B and influenza A(H1N1)pdm09 constituted 12.8% and 5.1%, respectively.*



* The influenza subtype of one sample was indeterminate due to low viral titre.

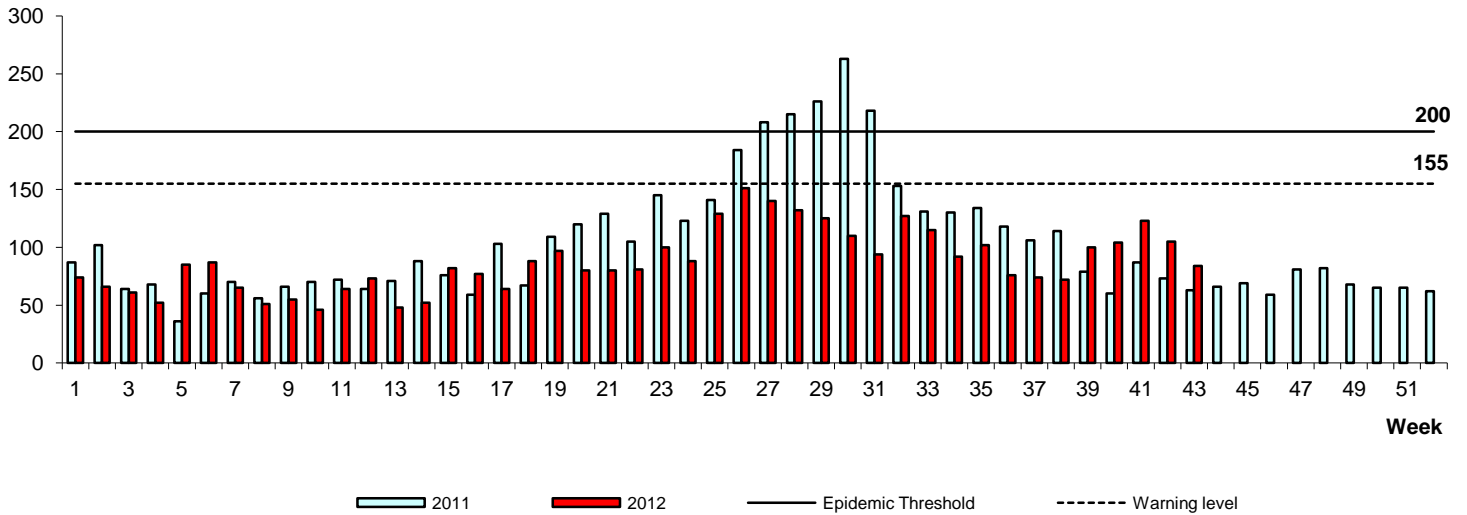
WEEKLY INCIDENCE OF FOOD/WATER-BORNE DISEASES, 2011-2012



WEEKLY INCIDENCE OF VECTOR-BORNE DISEASES, 2011-2012

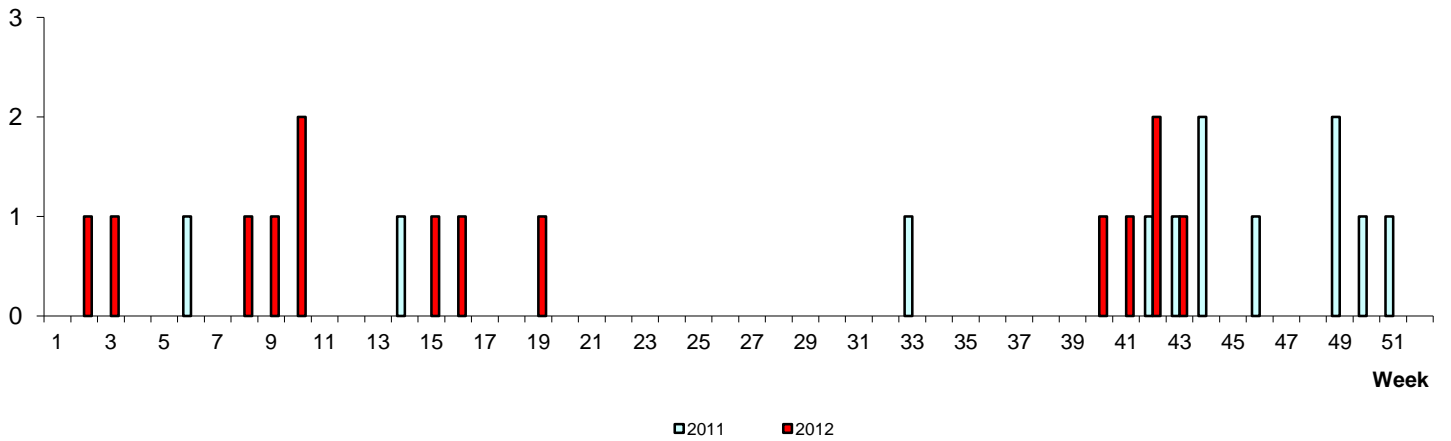
Dengue Fever/Dengue Haemorrhagic Fever

No. of Cases



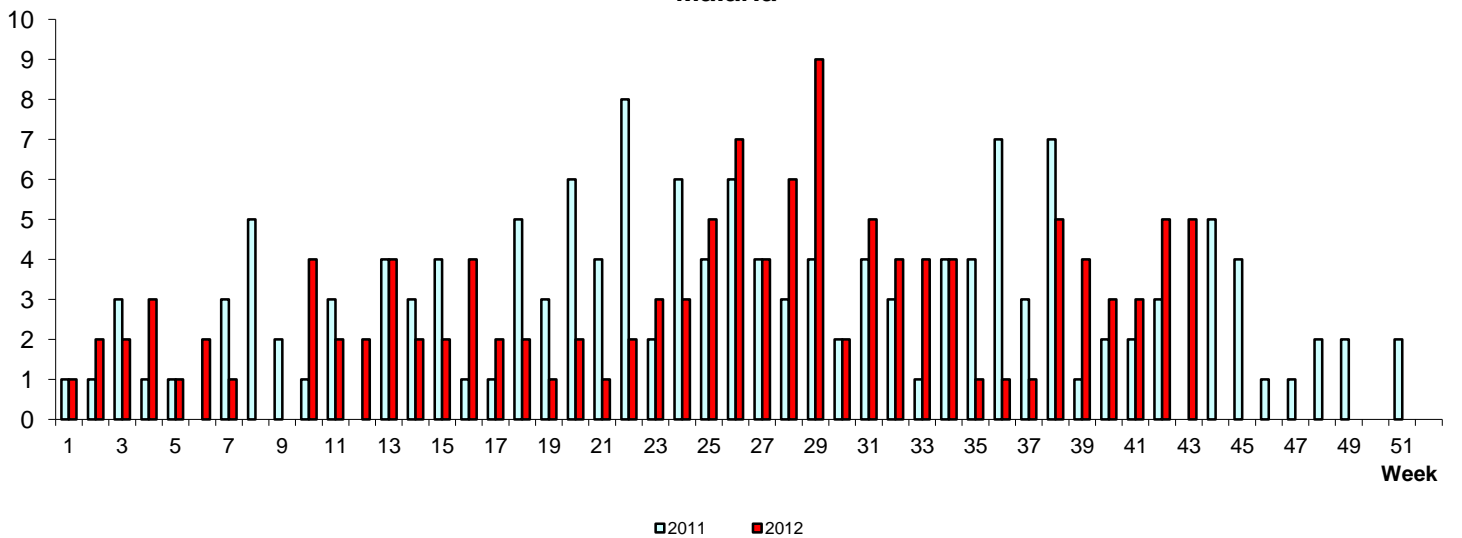
Chikungunya Fever

No. of Cases

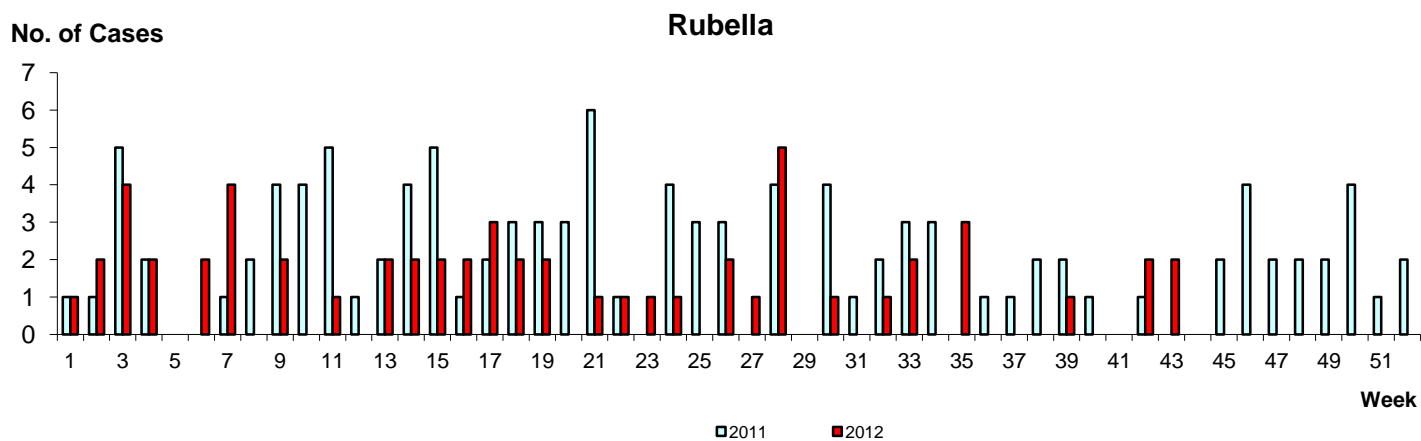
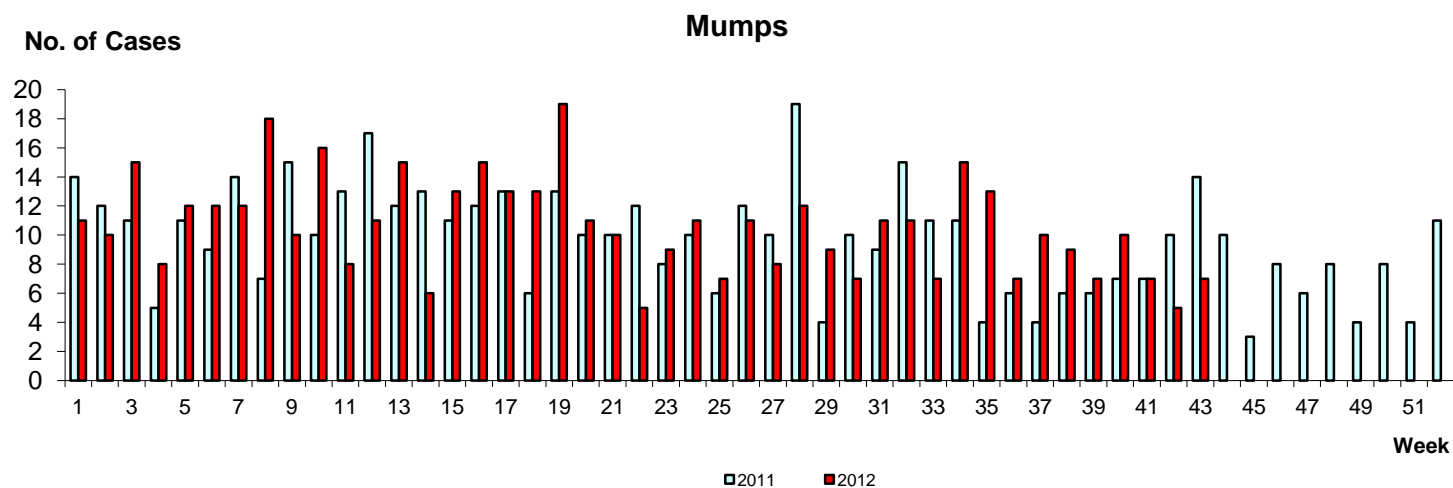
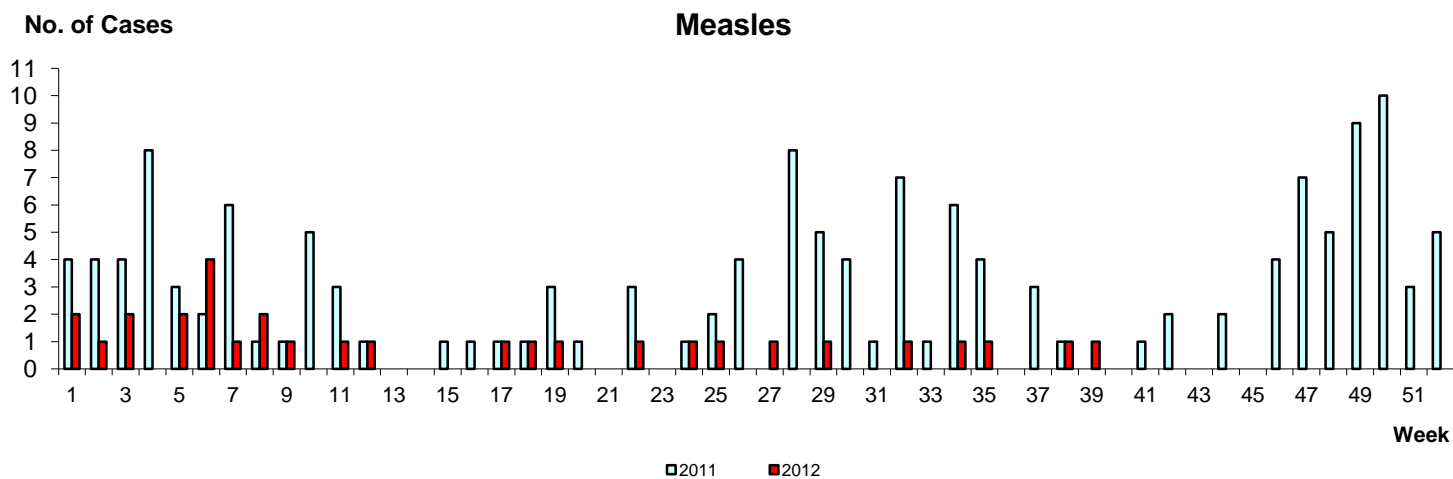


Malaria

No. of Cases

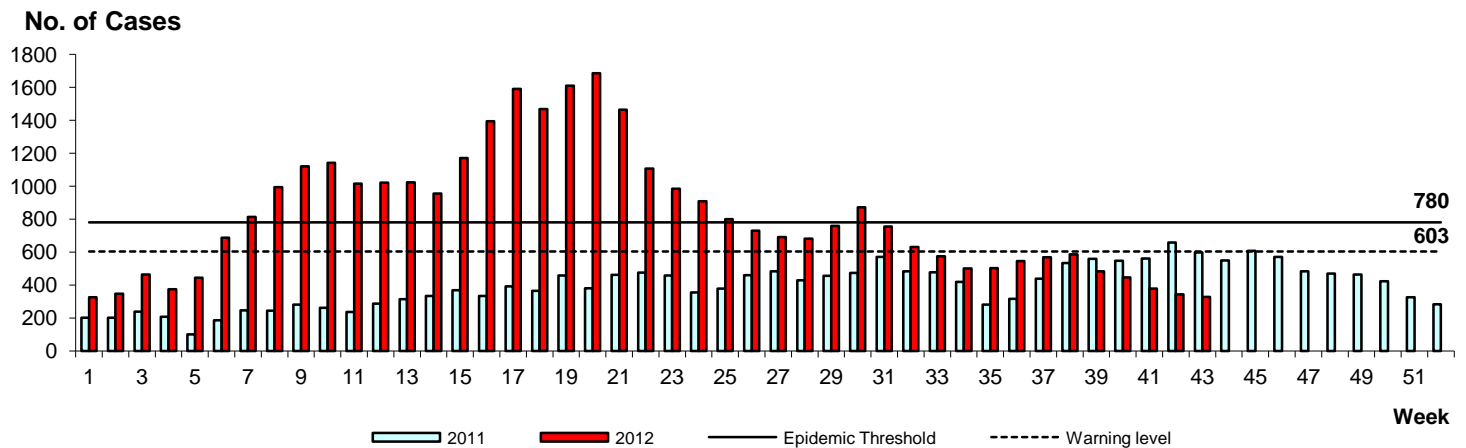


WEEKLY INCIDENCE OF AIR/DROPLET-BORNE DISEASES, 2011-2012



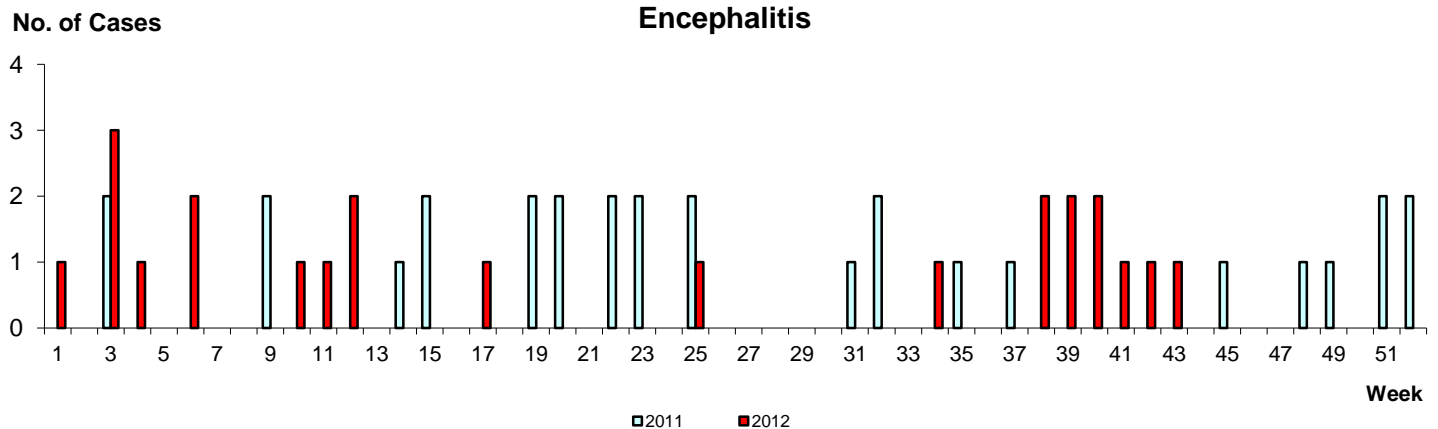
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Hand, Foot & Mouth Disease

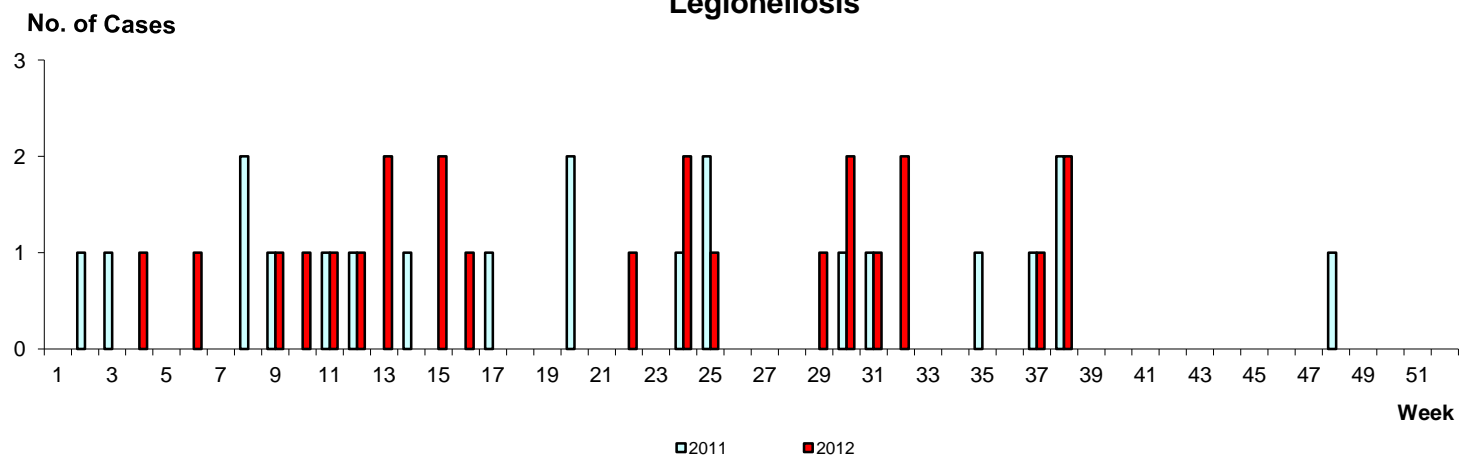


WEEKLY INCIDENCE OF OTHER INFECTIOUS DISEASES, 2011-2012

Encephalitis



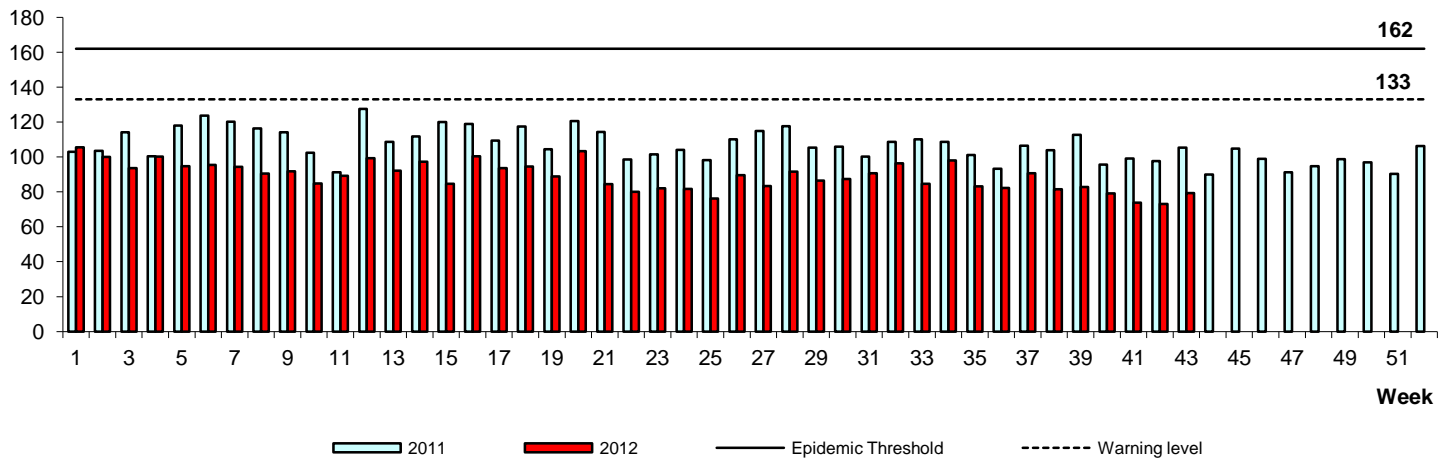
Legionellosis



POLYCLINIC ATTENDANCES, 2011-2012

Conjunctivitis

Average daily no.



Diarrhoeal Illness

Average daily no.

