

**WEEKLY BULLETIN OF INFECTIOUS DISEASES REPUBLIC OF SINGAPORE,  
WEEK 23, 2003**

Diseases	23rd week			Cumulative, first 23 weeks		
	Ending 07.06.03	Ending 08.06.02	Median 1998- 02	2003	2002	Median 1998- 02
Cholera	0	1	0	0	2	2
Plague	0	0	0	0	0	0
Yellow fever	0	0	0	0	0	0
Chickenpox	150	550	487	9183	11950	11913
Dengue						
a) Dengue fever	258	50	40	2175	773	719
b) Dengue haemorrhagic fever	0	1	0	1	3	5
Diphtheria	0	0	0	0	0	0
Enteric fevers						
a) Typhoid fever	3	0	0	15	21	32
b) Paratyphoid fever	0	1	0	2	11	10
Leprosy	0	1	1	2	6	7
Malaria	1	4	5	43	78	137
Poliomyelitis	0	0	0	0	0	0
Viral hepatitis						
a) Hepatitis A	1	3	2	18	35	33
b) Hepatitis B	1	2	2	29	28	56
c) Others	0	1	0	1	9	9
Viral encephalitis	1	0	0	7	7	4
Tuberculosis	38	31	45	869	914	958
Measles	1	0	2	8	16	35
Mumps	15	17	25	423	461	703
Rubella	2	1	5	41	80	99
Hand, foot and mouth disease	24	569	-	1715	10419	-
Legionellosis	1	1	-	22	17	-
Nipah virus infection	0	0	-	0	0	-
Severe Acute Respiratory Syndrome*	0	-	-	206	-	-

\*Notifiable as from 17 March 2003

Data is provisional, based on reports to the  
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