

**WEEKLY BULLETIN OF INFECTIOUS DISEASES REPUBLIC OF
SINGAPORE, WEEK 42, 2003**

DISEASES	42 nd WEEK			CUMULATIVE, FIRST 42 WEEKS		
	ENDING 18.10.03	ENDING 19.10.02	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	232	721	586	12607	20940	20940
DENGUE						
a) Dengue fever	67	121	36	3901	3002	2045
b) Dengue haemorrhagic fever	0	0	0	2	8	8
DIPHTHERIA	0	0	0	0	0	0
ENTERIC FEVERS						
a) Typhoid fever	1	1	2	27	40	50
b) Paratyphoid fever	0	0	0	7	23	23
LEPROSY	0	0	0	2	8	15
MALARIA	2	0	4	98	138	232
POLIOMYELITIS	0	0	0	0	0	0
VIRAL HEPATITIS						
a) Hepatitis A	0	4	2	41	210	76
b) Hepatitis B	0	2	1	45	53	98
c) Others	0	0	0	5	15	15
VIRAL ENCEPHALITIS	0	0	0	14	12	12
TUBERCULOSIS	49	45	45	1703	1664	1820
MEASLES	1	0	2	16	51	59
MUMPS	24	30	40	723	895	1178
RUBELLA	1	5	5	69	131	201
HAND, FOOT AND MOUTH DISEASE	165	146	-	3287	15510	-
LEGIONELLOSIS	2	0	-	39	32	-
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