



WEEKLY INFECTIOUS DISEASE BULLETIN

EPIDEMIOLOGICAL WEEK 43 20 - 26 Oct 2013

	E Week 43			Cumulative first 43 Weeks		
	2013	2012	Median 2008 -2012	2013	2012	Median 2008 -2012
FOOD/WATER-BORNE DISEASES						
Campylobacteriosis	9	12	5	323	366	247
Cholera	1	0	0	2	2	2
Paratyphoid	1	0	0	19	55	29
Poliomyelitis	0	0	0	0	0	0
Salmonellosis (non-enteric fevers)	37	26	25	1456	1230	1159
Typhoid	1	1	1	74	72	66
Viral Hepatitis A	1	3	1	64	89	74
Viral Hepatitis E	1	1	2	49	87	82
VECTOR-BORNE DISEASES						
Chikungunya Fever	21	1	1	812	14	25
Dengue Fever	495	84	84	18553	3748	4495
Dengue Haemorrhagic Fever	0	0	0	88	23	32
Malaria	1	5	5	97	126	132
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	0	1	1	31	21	25
<i>Haemophilus influenzae</i> type b	0	0	0	9	1	1
Hand, Foot And Mouth Disease	1029	325	553	25560	35129	24161
Legionellosis	1	0	0	16	24	20
Measles	3	0	0	33	31	31
Melioidosis	0	2	1	30	28	30
Meningococcal Disease	0	0	0	2	0	6
Mumps	3	7	8	426	456	456
Pertussis	0	0	0	16	23	16
Pneumococcal Disease (invasive)	4	2	3	123	134	134
Rubella	1	2	2	41	56	137
Severe acute respiratory syndrome	0	0	0	0	0	0
OTHER DISEASES						
Viral hepatitis B	5	1	2	52	44	58
Viral hepatitis C	3	0	0	5	2	3
POLYCLINIC ATTENDANCES - AVERAGE DAILY NUMBER***						
Acute upper respiratory infections	2401	2768	2677			
Acute conjunctivitis	80	90	92			
Acute Diarrhoea	456	522	415			
Chickenpox	18	13	NA			
HIV/STI/TB NOTIFICATIONS*						
	2013	Sep		Cumulative 2013		
HIV/AIDS	40			328		
Legally Notifiable STIs**	590			5395		
Tuberculosis	136			1115		

* 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).

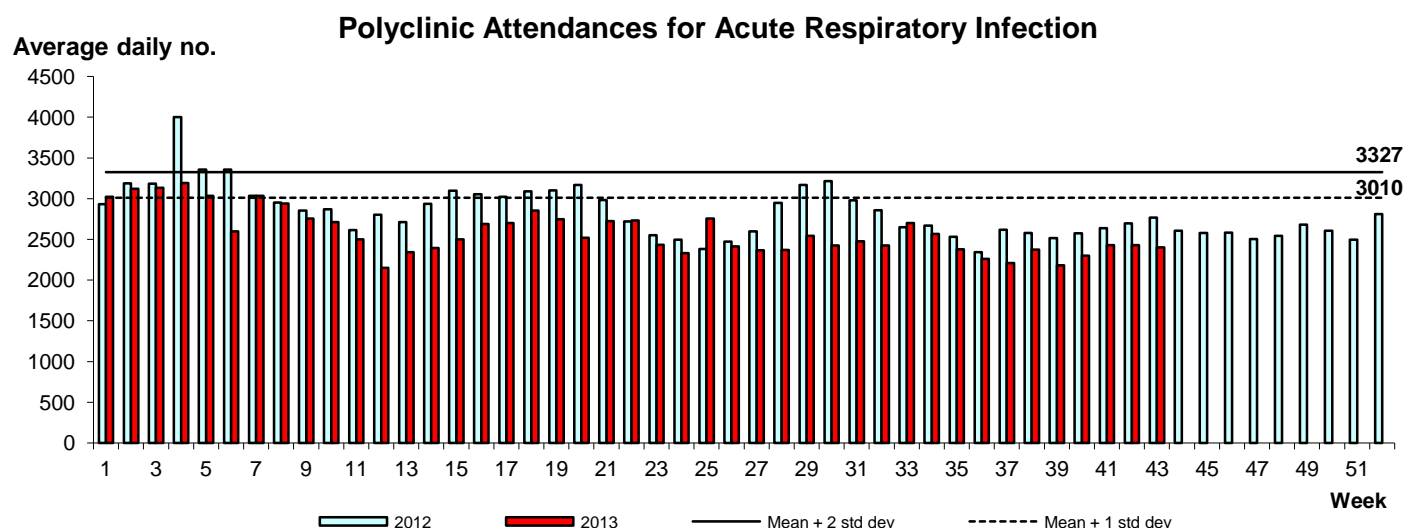
*** Wef E-week 6 of 2012, the no. of polyclinic attendances will be reflected on an average daily basis, instead of weekly basis, so as to take into account the number of working days in an E-week at the polyclinics for a more accurate representation of the underlying trends in the community.

2013 Notification	Epidemiological Week 43 20 - 26 Oct 2013		Cumulative first 42 Weeks	
FOOD/WATER-BORNE DISEASES				
Campylobacteriosis	9	Imported : 1 sporadic	314	Imported : 33 sporadic
		Local : 5 sporadic		Local : 281 sporadic
	Pending Investigation : 3		Pending Investigation :	
Cholera	1	Imported : sporadic	1	Imported : 1 sporadic
		Local : sporadic		Local : sporadic
	Pending Investigation : 1		Pending Investigation :	
Paratyphoid	1	Imported : 1 sporadic	18	Imported : 18 sporadic
		Local : sporadic		Local : sporadic
	Pending Investigation :		Pending Investigation :	
Salmonellosis (non-enteric fevers)	37	Imported : 3 sporadic	1419	Imported : 115 sporadic
		Local : 14 sporadic		Local : 1304 sporadic
	Pending Investigation : 21		Pending Investigation :	
Typhoid	1	Imported : 1 sporadic	73	Imported : 64 sporadic
		Local : sporadic		Local : 9 sporadic
	Pending Investigation :		Pending Investigation :	
Viral Hepatitis A	1	Imported : 1 sporadic	63	Imported : 44 sporadic
		Local : sporadic		Local : 19 sporadic
	Pending Investigation :		Pending Investigation :	
Viral Hepatitis E	1	Imported : 1 sporadic	48	Imported : 33 sporadic
		Local : sporadic		Local : 15 sporadic
	Pending Investigation :		Pending Investigation :	
VECTOR-BORNE DISEASES				
Chikungunya Fever	21	Imported : 2 sporadic	791	Imported : 33 sporadic
		Local : 18 sporadic		Local : 758 sporadic
	Pending Investigation : 1		Pending Investigation :	
Dengue Fever	495	Active Clusters http://www.dengue.gov.sg	18058	
Dengue Haemorrhagic Fever	0		88	
Malaria	1	Imported : 1 sporadic	96	Imported : 95 sporadic
		Local : sporadic		Local : 1 sporadic
	Pending Investigation :		Pending Investigation :	
AIR/DROPLET-BORNE DISEASES				
Encephalitis	0	Imported : sporadic	31	Imported : 3 sporadic
		Local : sporadic		Local : 28 sporadic
	Pending Investigation :		Pending Investigation :	
Legionellosis	1	Imported : 1 sporadic	15	Imported : 5 sporadic
		Local : sporadic		Local : 10 sporadic
	Pending Investigation :		Pending Investigation :	
Melioidosis	0	Imported : sporadic	30	Imported : 3 sporadic
		Local : sporadic		Local : 26 sporadic
	Pending Investigation :		Pending Investigation : 1	
Meningococcal Disease	0	Imported : sporadic	2	Imported : sporadic
		Local : sporadic		Local : 2 sporadic
	Pending Investigation:		Pending Investigation :	
OTHER DISEASES				
Viral hepatitis B	5	Imported : sporadic	47	Imported : 9 sporadic
		Local : sporadic		Local : 38 sporadic
	Pending Investigation : 5		Pending Investigation :	
Viral hepatitis C	3	Imported : sporadic	2	Imported : sporadic
		Local : sporadic		Local : 2 sporadic
	Pending Investigation : 3		Pending Investigation :	

Influenza Situation in Singapore 2013

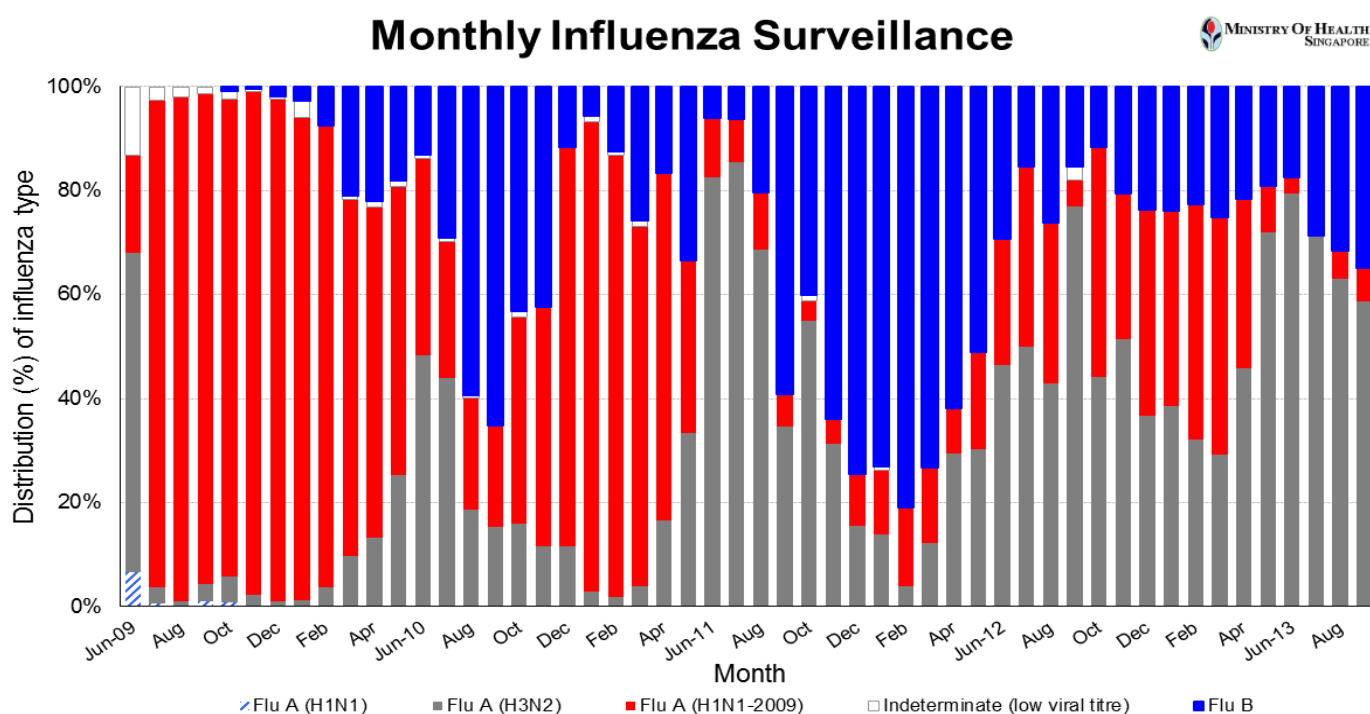
Influenza indicators for E-week 43 (20 - 26 Oct 2013) are as follows:

The average daily number of patients seeking treatment in the polyclinics for ARI decreased from 2,429 (over 4.5 working days) in E-week 42 to 2,401 (over 5.5 working days) in E-week 43.

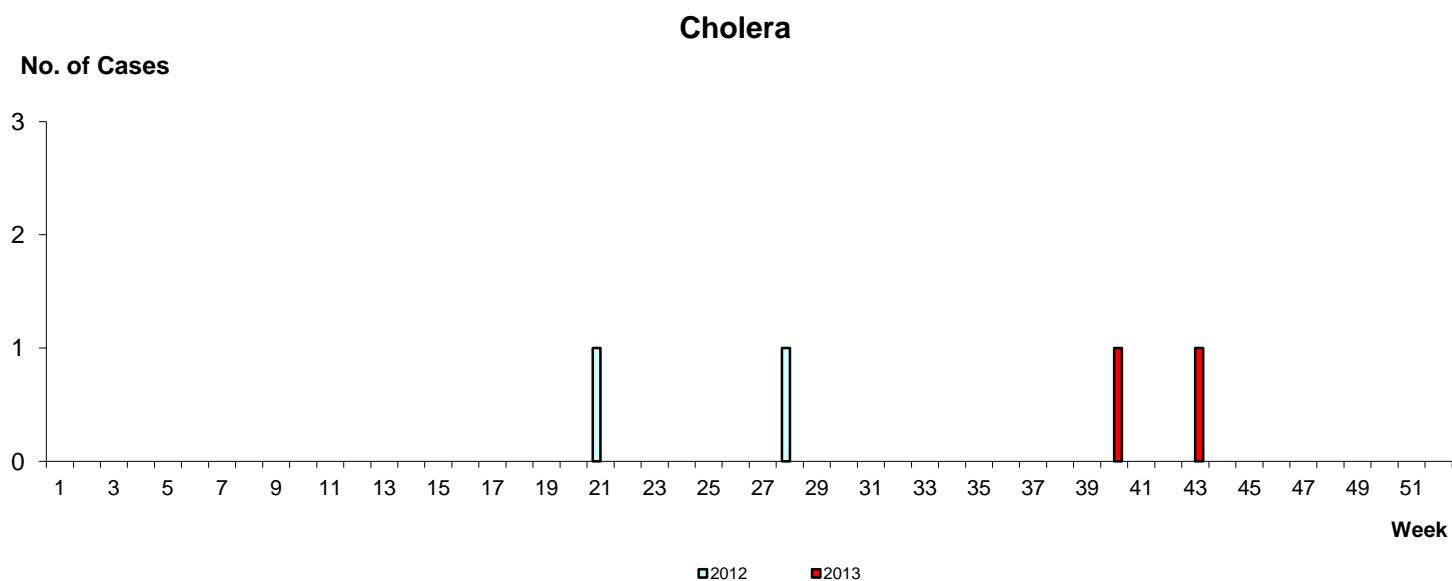
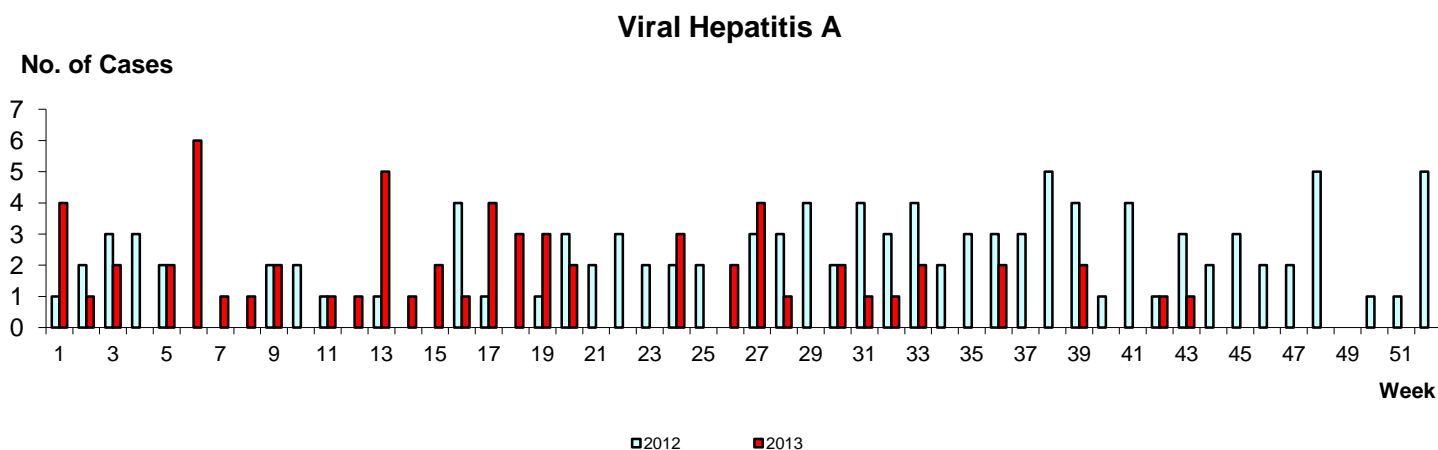
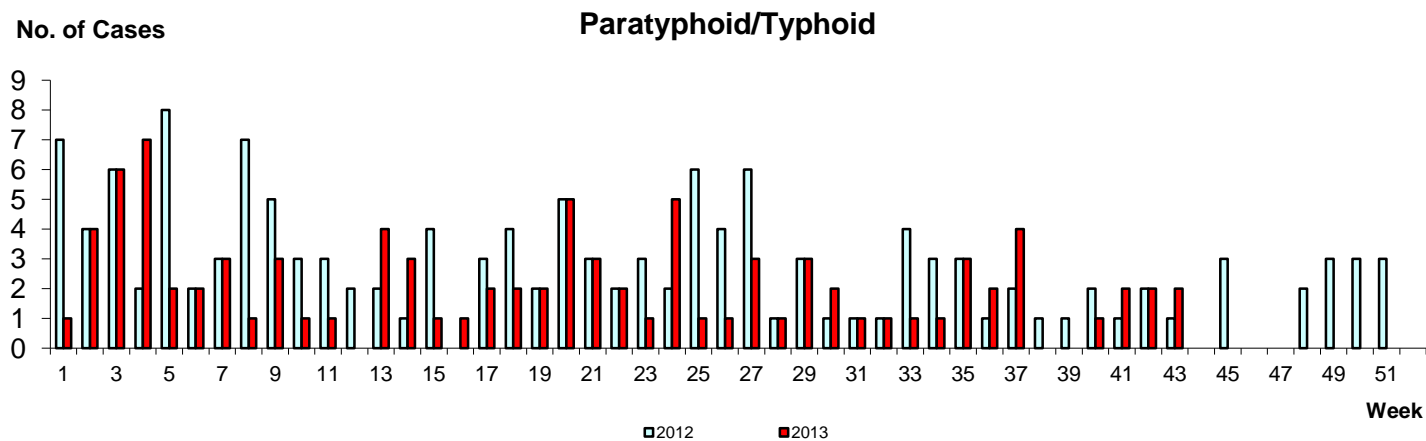


The proportion of patients with influenza-like illness (ILI) among the polyclinic attendances for ARI remained low at 1%.

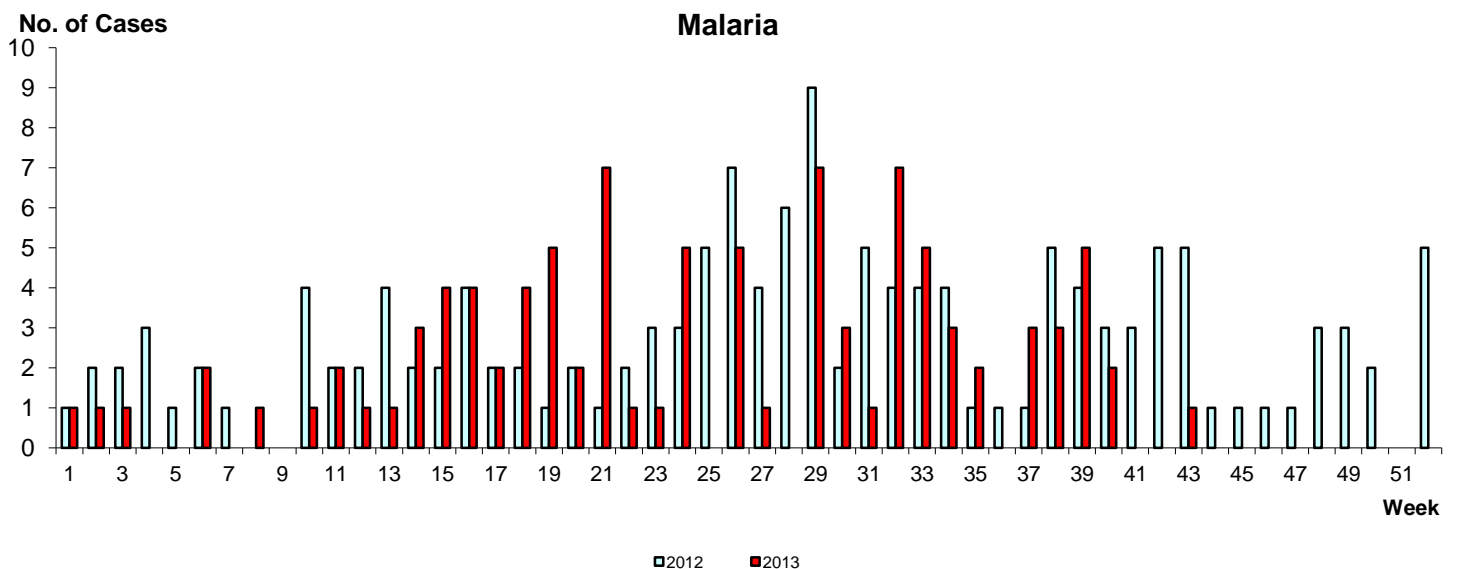
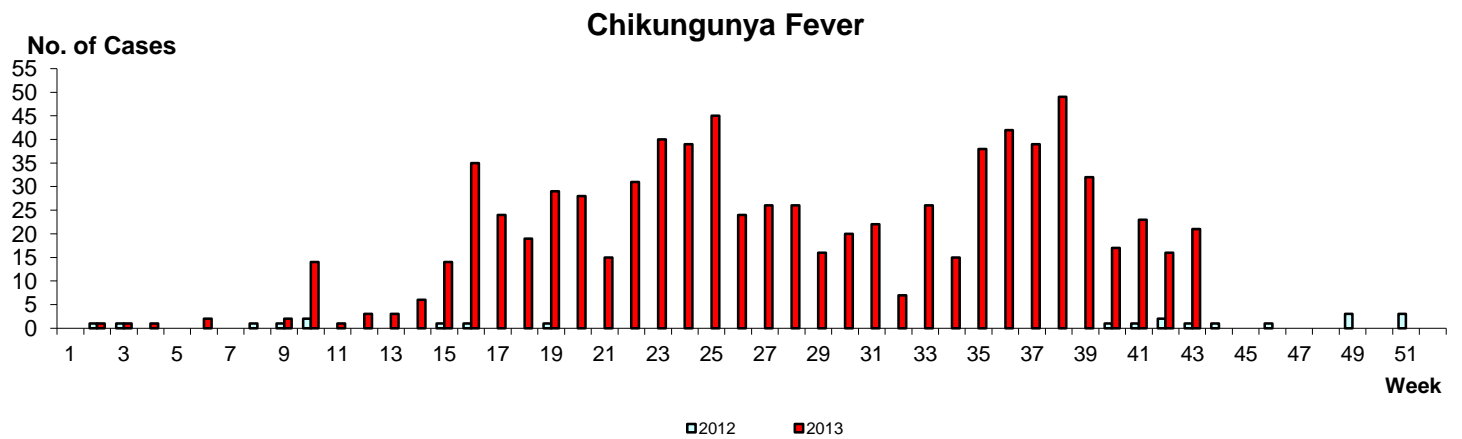
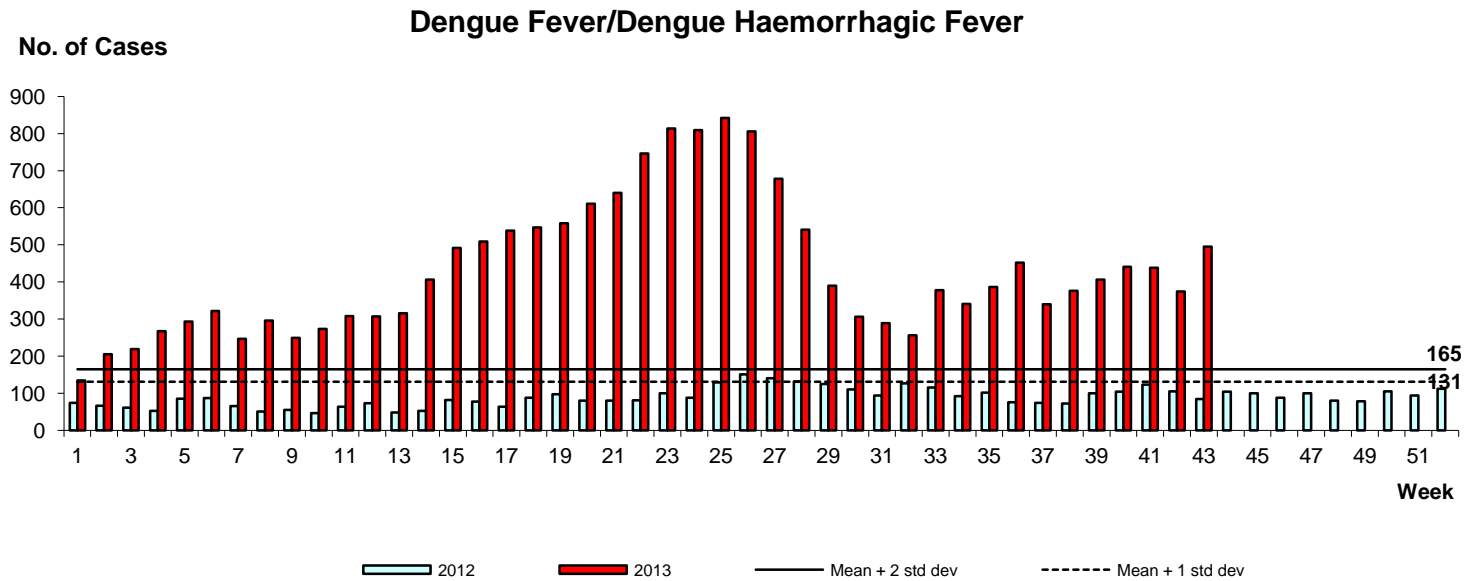
The overall prevalence of Influenza among ILI samples (n=171) in the community was 41.5% in the past 4 weeks. Of all the influenza virus isolates in September 2013, influenza A(H3N2), influenza B and influenza A(H1N1-2009) comprised 58.7%, 34.8% and 6.5% respectively.



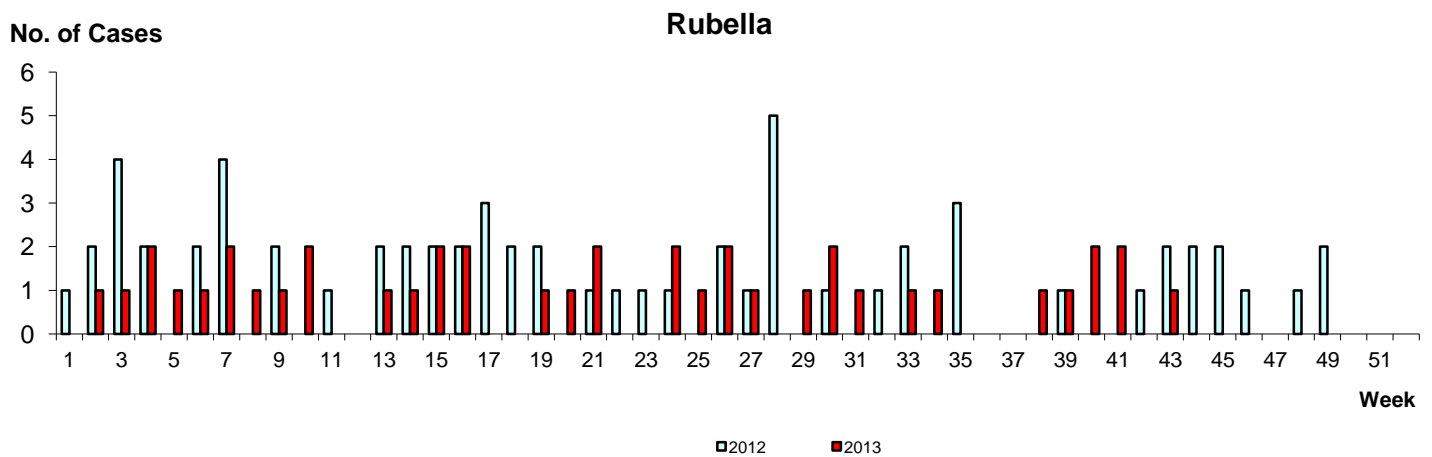
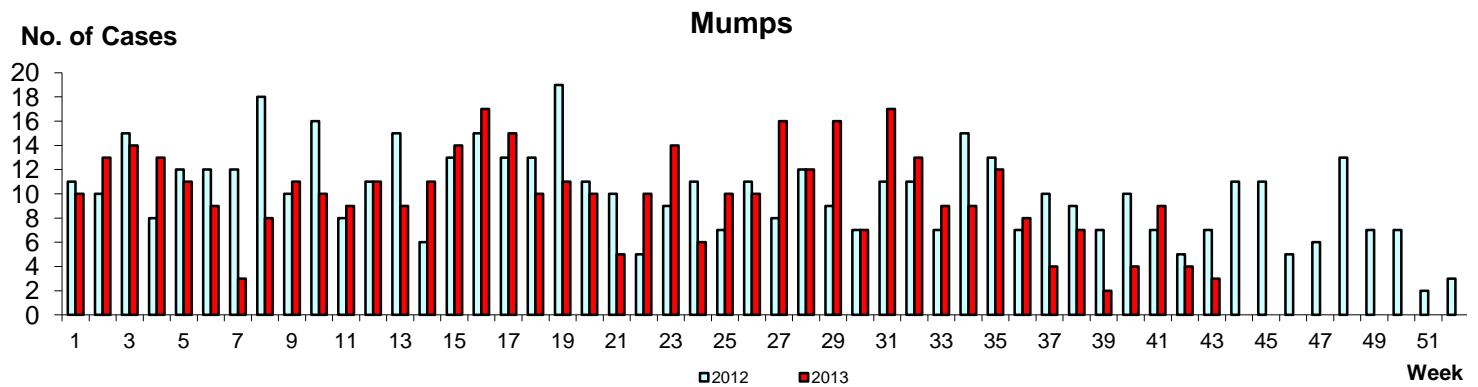
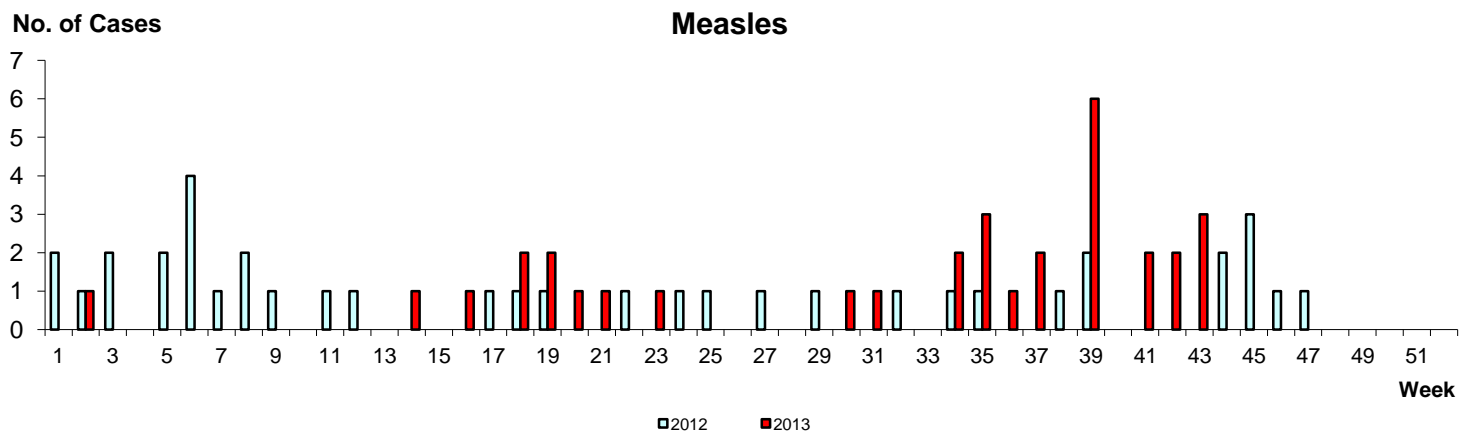
WEEKLY INCIDENCE OF FOOD/WATER-BORNE DISEASES, 2012-2013



WEEKLY INCIDENCE OF VECTOR-BORNE DISEASES, 2012-2013

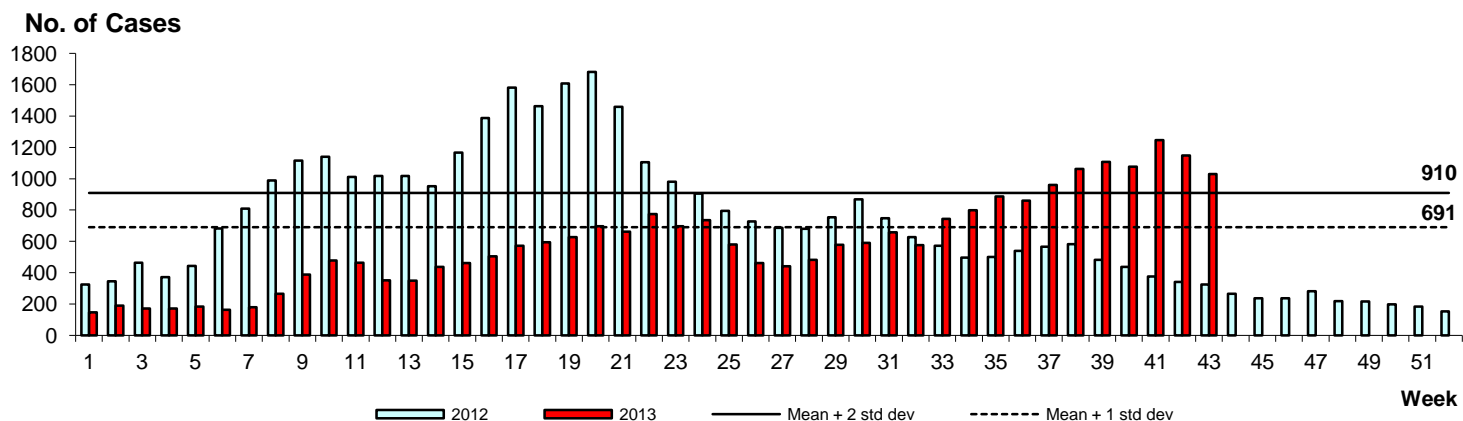


WEEKLY INCIDENCE OF AIR/DROPLET-BORNE DISEASES, 2012-2013



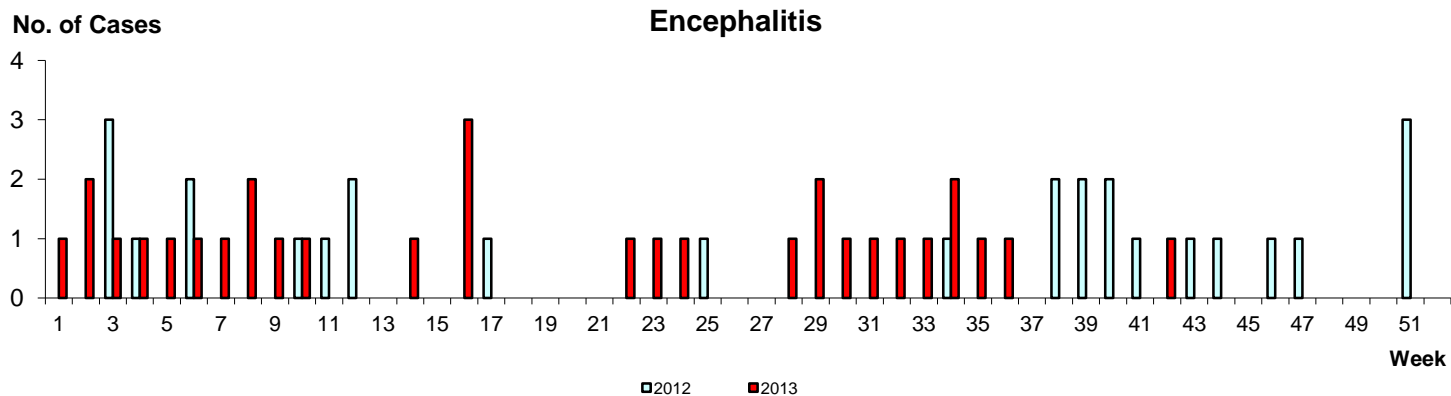
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Hand, Foot & Mouth Disease

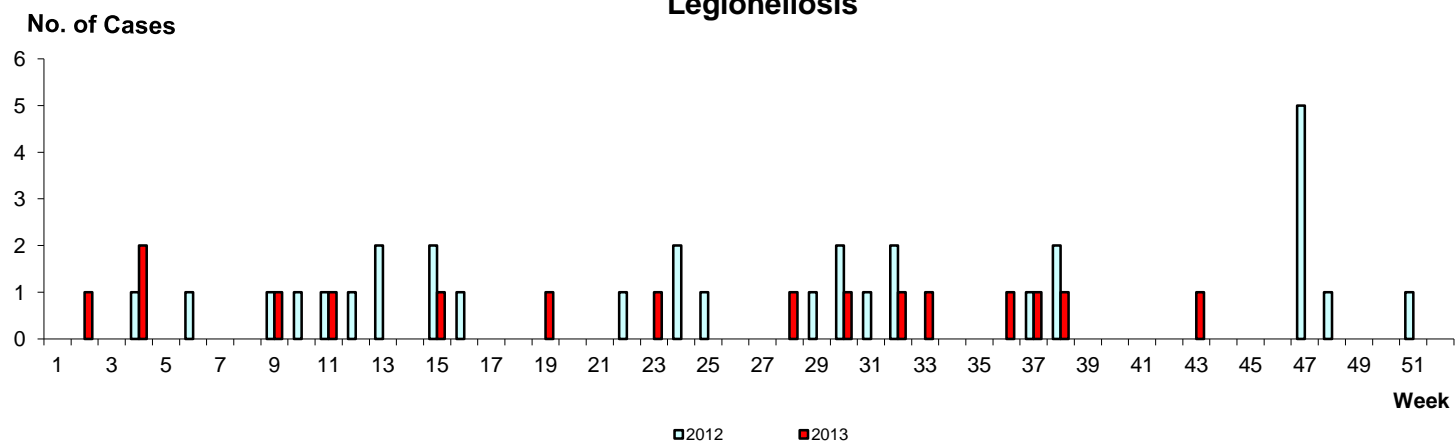


WEEKLY INCIDENCE OF OTHER INFECTIOUS DISEASES, 2012-2013

Encephalitis



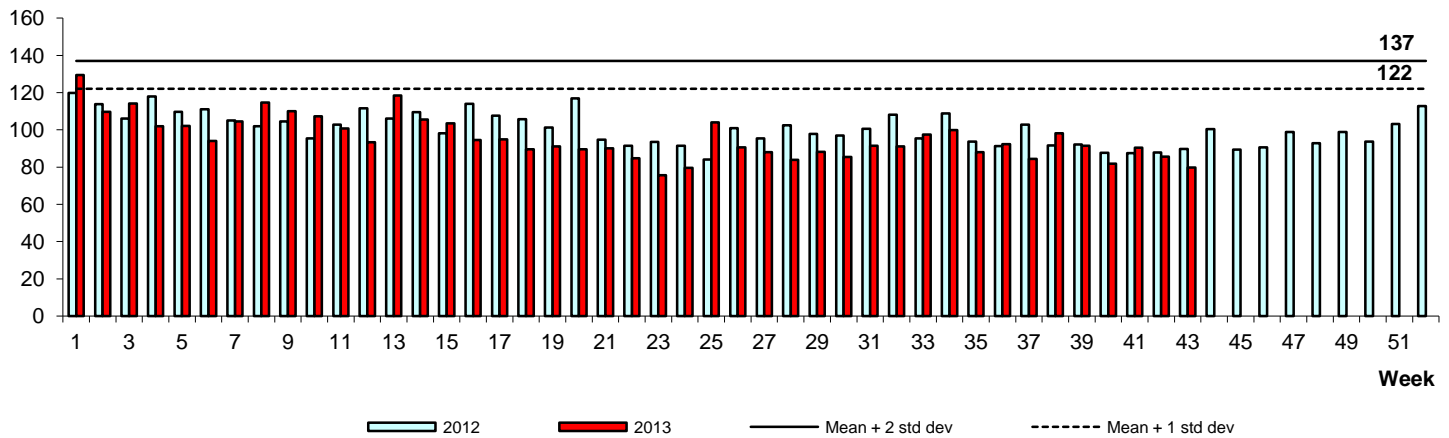
Legionellosis



POLYCLINIC ATTENDANCES, 2012-2013

Conjunctivitis

Average daily no.



Diarrhoeal Illness

Average daily no.

