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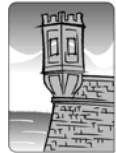
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ANNUAL NOTIFIABLE INFECTIOUS DISEASES REPORT – 2006

Section A : Confirmed individual case report, by sex and by quarter.

(Q1 – Jan-March; Q2 – April-June; Q3 – July-Sept; Q4 – Oct -Dec).

Non – shaded areas refer to resident cases. Shaded areas refer to non resident cases.

| Notifiable Disease | Total | M | F | Q1 | Q2 | Q3 | Q4 | Remarks |
|--------------------------------|-------|-----|-----|----|-----|----|----|--|
| AIDS | 6 | 4 | 2 | 1 | 3 | - | 2 | One of these cases was imported. |
| | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | |
| Chickenpox | 286 | 156 | 130 | 81 | 107 | 63 | 35 | This include 40 clusters of 2 cases, 20 clusters of 3 cases, 9 clusters of 4 cases, 1 cluster of 5 cases and 1 cluster of 6 cases. |
| | 4 | 1 | 3 | - | 3 | 1 | - | Two of these cases were imported. |
| Chlamydia | 44 | 23 | 21 | 17 | 6 | 6 | 15 | |
| | 1 | - | 1 | 1 | - | - | - | |
| Cryptococcal Meningitis | 1 | - | 1 | 1 | - | - | - | |
| | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | |
| Cryptosporidiosis | 14 | 7 | 7 | 1 | 2 | 8 | 3 | |
| | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | |
| Cytomegalovirus | 1 | - | 1 | - | - | 1 | - | |
| | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | |
| Erysipelas | 2 | - | 2 | - | - | - | 2 | |
| | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | |

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| Food borne illness, <i>Campylobacter</i> | 54 | 37 | 17 | 14 | 13 | 9 | 18 | |
| | 2 | - | 1 | - | - | 1 | - | |
| Food borne illness, <i>E.Coli</i> | 15 | 6 | 9 | 2 | 3 | 6 | 4 | <i>One of these cases was imported.</i> |
| | 3 | 1 | 2 | - | 2 | 1 | - | <i>One of these cases was imported.</i> |
| Food borne illness, <i>Salmonella</i> | 62 | 34 | 28 | 10 | 9 | 23 | 20 | <i>Two of these cases were imported.</i> |
| | 2 | 1 | 1 | - | - | 2 | - | |
| Food borne illness, <i>Scombrototoxic</i> | 3 | 3 | - | - | 1 | 2 | - | |
| | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | |
| Food borne illness, <i>Unspecified</i> | 49 | 23 | 26 | 16 | 9 | 8 | 16 | <i>One of these cases was imported.</i> |
| | 3 | 1 | 2 | 1 | 2 | - | - | |
| Giardiasis | 6 | 1 | 5 | - | 3 | 1 | 2 | <i>Four of these cases were imported.</i> |
| | 5 | 3 | 2 | 2 | 3 | - | - | <i>Four of these cases were imported.</i> |
| Gonorrhoea | 29 | 24 | 5 | 4 | 1 | 12 | 12 | <i>One of these cases was imported.</i> |
| | 3 | 3 | - | 2 | - | 1 | - | |
| Hepatitis A | 7 | 4 | 3 | 1 | 1 | 2 | 3 | |
| | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | |
| Hepatitis B | 5 | 3 | 2 | 3 | - | 1 | 1 | <i>One of these cases was imported.</i> |
| | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | |
| Hepatitis C | 14 | 10 | 2 | 3 | 5 | 3 | 3 | <i>Two of these cases were imported. Gender not known in two cases.</i> |
| | 1 | 1 | - | - | - | 1 | - | |
| Herpes Simplex | 1 | - | 1 | - | - | - | 1 | |
| | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | |
| HIV | 22 | 14 | 8 | 4 | 9 | 4 | 5 | <i>Seven of these cases were imported.</i> |
| | 1 | 1 | - | 1 | - | - | - | <i>One of these cases was imported.</i> |
| Legionnaire's Disease | 2 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | - | - | |
| | 3 | 2 | 1 | - | 1 | 2 | - | |
| Leishmaniasis, Visceral | 3 | 2 | 1 | 1 | 1 | - | 1 | |
| | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | |
| Leptospirosis | 1 | 1 | - | 1 | - | - | - | |
| | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | |
| Malaria | 1 | 1 | - | - | 1 | - | - | <i>This case was imported.</i> |
| | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | |

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| Measles | 1 | 1 | - | - | 1 | - | - | |
| | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | |
| Meningitis, other bacterial | 28 | 17 | 11 | 2 | - | 11 | 15 | |
| | 1 | - | 1 | - | - | 1 | - | <i>This outbreak was imported.</i> |
| Meningococcal, meningitis | 11 | 8 | 3 | 1 | - | 5 | 5 | |
| | 1 | - | 1 | - | - | 1 | - | |
| Meningococcal, septicaemia | 24 | 14 | 10 | 5 | 10 | 6 | 3 | |
| | 2 | 1 | 1 | 1 | - | 1 | - | <i>One of these cases was imported.</i> |
| Mumps | 1 | - | 1 | - | - | - | 1 | |
| | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | |
| Rubella | 1 | 1 | - | - | 1 | - | - | |
| | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | |
| Shingles, Herpes Zoster | 48 | 29 | 19 | 12 | 12 | 18 | 6 | |
| | 1 | 1 | - | - | - | 1 | - | |
| Syphilis Latent | 6 | 3 | 3 | 1 | - | 2 | 3 | |
| | 1 | 1 | - | 1 | - | - | - | |
| Syphilis Secondary | 4 | 4 | - | 1 | - | - | 3 | |
| | 1 | 1 | - | - | - | 1 | - | <i>This case was imported.</i> |
| Tuberculosis, Non-Pulmonary | 7 | 3 | 4 | 3 | 3 | - | 1 | <i>Two of these cases were imported.</i> |
| | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | |
| Tuberculosis, Pulmonary | 29 | 23 | 6 | 11 | 2 | 6 | 10 | <i>Five of these cases were imported.</i> |
| | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | |
| Typhus, Murine | 19 | 12 | 7 | - | 2 | 12 | 5 | |
| | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | |
| Typhus, Tickborne | 2 | 2 | - | - | 2 | - | - | |
| | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | |
| Whooping Cough | 2 | - | 2 | - | - | 2 | - | |
| | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | |

Section B : Cases involved in outbreaks, by sex and by quarter.

(Q1 – Jan-March; Q2 – April-June; Q3 – July-Sept; Q4 – Oct –Dec).

Non – shaded areas refer to resident cases. Shaded areas refer to non resident cases.

The figures in brackets indicate the number of implicated outbreaks.

| Notifiable Disease | Total | M | F | Q1 | Q2 | Q3 | Q4 | Remarks |
|---|-------|-----|-----|----|-----|----|-----|---|
| Cryptosporidiosis (1) | 8 | 3 | 5 | - | - | 8 | - | <i>This case was imported.</i> |
| | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | |
| Food borne illness, Campylobacter (5) | 14 | 7 | 7 | - | 12 | - | 2 | |
| | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | |
| Food borne illness, E. Coli (1) | 2 | - | 2 | - | - | - | 2 | |
| (1) | 2 | - | 2 | - | - | 2 | - | |
| Food borne illness, Salmonella (16) | 41 | 23 | 18 | 2 | 9 | 24 | 6 | |
| (1) | 3 | 1 | 2 | - | - | 3 | - | |
| Food borne illness, Scombrototoxic (3) | 9 | 4 | 5 | - | 4 | 3 | 2 | |
| | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | |
| Food borne illness, Unspecified (24) | 101 | 48 | 53 | 40 | 36 | 20 | 5 | |
| (2) | 4 | 2 | 2 | - | 2 | - | 2 | |
| Gastroenteritis (15) | 111 | 47 | 34 | - | 47 | 34 | - | <i>Gender distribution of one case is unknown.</i> |
| (1) | 105 | - | - | - | 105 | - | - | <i>Gender distribution of this case is unknown.</i> |
| Hepatitis A (1) | 3 | - | 3 | 3 | - | - | - | |
| | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | |
| Norovirus Gastroenteritis (3) | 117 | 32 | 85 | - | 55 | - | 62 | |
| (3) | 253 | 128 | 125 | 64 | 87 | - | 102 | |

Section C : Reported deaths from notifiable infectious diseases in Malta, 2006.

During 2006 there were 11 deaths from notifiable diseases.

| Notifiable Disease | Total | Remarks |
|--------------------------------|-------|---------|
| AIDS | 4 | |
| Cryptococcal Meningitis | 1 | |
| Hepatitis B | 3 | |
| Legionnaire's Disease | 2 | |
| Tuberculosis, Pulmonary | 1 | |

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