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Disease Surveillance Statistics

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I. National Notifiable Infectious Diseases

1. Reported cases, week ending November 2, 2019 (44th Week)*

										Imported cases
Clas	ssification of disease [‡]	Current	Cum.	5-year weekly		Total no.	of cases	s by year		of current week
0.00		week	2019	average	2018	2017	2016	2015	2014	: Country (no. of cases)
Category	/ I									<u> </u>
	Cholera	1	1	0	2	5	4	0	0	India(1)
	Typhoid fever	7	104	2	213	128	121	121	251	
	Paratyphoid fever	3	63	1	47	73	56	44	37	
	Shigellosis	4	118	2	191	112	113	88	110	
	EHEC	8	161	1	121	138	104	71	111	
	Viral hepatitis A	101	17,001	46	2,437	4,419	4,679	1,804	1,307	
Category	/ II									
,	Pertussis	14	401	9	980	318	129	205	88	
	Tetanus	0	34	0	31	34	24	22	23	
	Measles	14	294	0	15	7	18	7	442	Unknown(1)
	Mumps	320	14,143	419	19,237	16,924	17,057	23,448	25,286	(-)
	Rubella	4	14	0	0	7	11	11	11	Philippines(1)
	Viral hepatitis B (Acute)	8	323	6	392	391	359	155	173	FF ()
	Japanese encephalitis	0	26	2	17	9	28	40	26	
	Varicella	1,338	65,086	1,343	96,467	80,092	54,060	46,330	44,450	
	<i>Haemophilus influenza</i> type b	0	0	0	2	3	0	0	0	
	Streptococcus pneumoniae	11	422	7	670	523	441	228	36	
Category	/ III									
3 ,	Malaria	13	551	5	576	515	673	699	638	Nigeria(1), Uganda(1)
	Scarlet fever§	120	6,566	220	15,777	22,838	11,911	7,002	5,809	3 .,
	Meningococcal meningitis	0	14	0	14	17	6	6	5	
	Legionellosis	7	389	3	305	198	128	45	30	
	Vibrio vulnificus sepsis	2	37	1	47	46	56	37	61	
	Murine typhus	0	15	1	16	18	18	15	9	
	Scrub typhus	264	1,467	1,214	6,668	10,528	11,105	9,513	8,130	
	Leptospirosis	13	114	6	118	103	117	104	58	
	Brucellosis	0	1	0	5	6	4	5	8	
					0	0	0	0	0	
	Rabies	0	0	U	U	U	0			
	Rabies HFRS			0 23						
	HFRS	0 20 27	274	23	433	531	575	384	344	
		20								
	HFRS Syphilis	20 27	274 1,510	23 35	433 2,280	531 2,148	575 1,569	384 1,006	344 1,015	
	HFRS Syphilis CJD/vCJD	20 27 4	274 1,510 53	23 35 1	433 2,280 53	531 2,148 36	575 1,569 42	384 1,006 33	344 1,015 65	
	HFRS Syphilis CJD/vCJD Tuberculosis	20 27 4 523	274 1,510 53 20,810	23 35 1 570	433 2,280 53 26,433	531 2,148 36 28,161	575 1,569 42 30,892	384 1,006 33 32,181	344 1,015 65 34,869	
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Unit: no. of cases[†]

	Current	Cum.	5-year _		Total no.	of cases	by year		Imported cases of current week
Classification of disease [‡]	week	2019	wéekly average	2018	2017	2016	2015	2014	: Country (no. of cases)
Category IV									
Dengue fever	5	239	5	159	171	313	255	165	Malaysia(1), Myanmar(1), Thailand(1), Philippines(1), Unknown(1)
Q fever	6	202	2	163	96	81	27	8	
West Nile fever	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Lyme Borreliosis	19	81	1	23	31	27	9	13	
Melioidosis	0	6	0	2	2	4	4	2	
Chikungunya fever	0	15	0	3	5	10	2	1	
SFTS	2	223	5	259	272	165	79	55	
MERS	0	0	-	1	0	0	185	-	
Zika virus infection	0	10	-	3	11	16	-	-	

Abbreviation: EHEC= Enterohemorrhagic Escherichia coli, HFRS= Hemorrhagic fever with renal syndrome,

CJD/vCJD= Creutzfeldt-Jacob Disease / variant Creutzfeldt-Jacob Disease, VRSA = Vancomycin-resistant *Staphylococcus aureus,* CRE = Carbapenem-resistant Enterobacteriaceae, SFTS = Severe fever with thrombocytopenia syndrome,

MERS-CoV= Middle East Respiratory Syndrome Coronavirus.

Cum: Cumulative counts from 1st week to current week in a year.

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[†] The reported surveillance data excluded Hansen's disease and no incidence data such as Diphtheria, Poliomyelitis, Epidemic typhus, Anthrax, Plague, Yellow fever, Viral hemorrhagic fever, Smallpox, Severe Acute Respiratory Syndrome, Animal influenza infection in humans, Novel Influenza, Tularemia, Newly emerging infectious disease syndrome and Tick-borne Encephalitis.

[§] Data on scarlet fever included both cases of confirmed and suspected since September 27, 2012.

Unit: no. of cases[†]

						Disassas	of Catego	a. I			<u> </u>	or cases
						Diseases	or Categor	ry I				
Reporting area		Cholera		Тур	phoid fe	ver	Para	ntyphoid 1	fever	S	higellosis	
urcu	Current week	Cum. 2019	Cum. 5-year average§	Current week	Cum. 2019	Cum. 5-year average [§]	Current week	Cum. 2019	Cum. 5-year average [§]	Current week	Cum. 2019	Cum. 5-year average [§]
Overall	1	1	2	7	104	147	3	63	47	4	118	107
Seoul	1	1	0	0	17	27	0	14	9	3	38	24
Busan	0	0	1	2	8	10	0	3	5	0	8	6
Daegu	0	0	0	0	2	5	1	4	2	0	6	6
Incheon	0	0	0	1	8	7	0	1	3	0	8	13
Gwangju	0	0	0	0	1	6	1	4	2	0	3	2
Daejeon	0	0	0	0	6	7	0	2	1	0	1	2
Ulsan	0	0	0	0	3	2	0	1	1	0	3	1
Sejong	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
Gyonggi	0	0	0	1	31	29	1	14	8	1	31	17
Gangwon	0	0	0	0	1	4	0	2	2	0	1	2
Chungbuk	0	0	0	2	4	4	0	3	2	0	1	2
Chungnam	0	0	0	0	5	6	0	0	1	0	2	6
Jeonbuk	0	0	0	0	3	3	0	2	3	0	1	3
Jeonnam	0	0	0	1	3	7	0	1	2	0	6	5
Gyeongbuk	0	0	0	0	4	6	0	3	2	0	1	6
Gyeongnam	0	0	1	0	8	20	0	8	3	0	6	10
Jeju	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	1	1	0	2	2

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Unit: no. of cases[†]

	Diseases of Category I Enterohemorrhagic Viral harvatities							С	iseases of	Category	Unit: no.	Of Cases
Reporting area		ohemorr <i>herichia</i>		Vira	l hepatit	is A		Pertussis			Tetanus	
urea	Current week	Cum. 2019	Cum. 5-year average§	Current week	Cum. 2019	Cum. 5-year average§	Current week	Cum. 2019	Cum. 5-year average§	Current week	Cum. 2019	Cum. 5-year average§
Overall	8	161	99	101	17,001	2,547	14	401	287	0	34	21
Seoul	0	40	13	15	3,031	494	2	59	37	0	2	2
Busan	0	3	3	2	478	113	1	27	28	0	2	2
Daegu	1	5	9	2	180	55	2	18	7	0	4	1
Incheon	0	12	8	6	959	215	1	17	18	0	0	1
Gwangju	0	9	15	2	154	74	0	18	14	0	2	0
Daejeon	0	2	2	11	2,639	118	0	13	5	0	2	0
Ulsan	0	5	6	1	77	26	0	7	8	0	2	0
Sejong	0	3	1	0	389	15	0	6	3	0	1	0
Gyonggi	5	35	16	43	5,228	776	2	58	46	0	6	2
Gangwon	0	5	3	1	243	59	1	8	2	0	1	1
Chungbuk	1	8	2	3	1,046	74	0	7	6	0	1	0
Chungnam	0	4	3	4	1,397	163	0	5	9	0	2	1
Jeonbuk	0	4	1	4	524	125	0	13	5	0	1	1
Jeonnam	0	11	6	1	151	83	1	30	10	0	2	4
Gyeongbuk	0	6	3	3	225	62	2	39	18	0	4	3
Gyeongnam	1	4	4	2	213	80	2	68	67	0	2	3
Jeju	0	5	4	1	67	15	0	8	4	0	0	0

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Reporting area		Measles	:		Mumps	Diseases		Rubella		Vira	l hepatiti: (Acute)	s B
urea	Current week	Cum. 2019	Cum. 5-year average§	Current week	Cum. 2019	Cum. 5-year average§	Current week	Cum. 2019	Cum. 5-year average§	Current week	Cum. 2019	Cum. 5-year average§
Overall	14	294	103	320	14,143	16,981	4	14	12	8	323	240
Seoul	0	35	24	39	1,794	1,638	1	2	2	2	50	42
Busan	0	9	4	20	791	1,216	0	0	1	1	30	15
Daegu	0	23	2	7	616	539	1	1	0	0	8	8
Incheon	0	11	12	11	692	708	1	2	0	1	18	13
Gwangju	0	3	1	8	440	1,269	0	0	0	1	5	6
Daejeon	0	37	4	9	429	372	0	1	1	0	12	8
Ulsan	0	5	1	17	454	545	0	0	0	0	2	7
Sejong	0	3	0	2	86	58	0	0	0	0	0	0
Gyonggi	10	106	32	97	4,057	4,000	0	0	5	2	78	60
Gangwon	3	8	1	5	459	529	0	1	0	0	11	7
Chungbuk	0	2	2	4	371	331	0	0	0	0	17	8
Chungnam	1	6	4	15	638	617	0	0	1	0	18	12
Jeonbuk	0	9	1	23	658	1,473	1	1	0	0	13	15
Jeonnam	0	11	9	11	543	859	0	1	0	1	15	12
Gyeongbuk	0	14	5	17	735	750	0	4	2	0	25	11
Gyeongnam	0	9	1	26	1,131	1,864	0	0	0	0	16	15
Jeju	0	3	0	9	249	213	0	1	0	0	5	1

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		Di	seases of	Category	II			С	Diseases of	Category II	Jilit. 110. (or cases
Reporting area	Japane	se ence	ohalitis		Varicella			Malaria		Sc	arlet feve	r ¹
uicu	Current week	Cum. 2019	Cum. 5-year average§	Current week	Cum. 2019	Cum. 5-year average [§]	Current week	Cum. 2019	Cum. 5-year average§	Current week	Cum. 2019	Cum. 5-year average [§]
Overall	0	26	21	1,338	65,086	46,466	13	551	605	120	6,566	10,430
Seoul	0	4	8	211	7,667	5,121	2	93	83	16	1,108	1,306
Busan	0	0	0	55	3,253	2,817	2	15	8	8	374	770
Daegu	0	3	1	57	3,594	2,539	0	2	8	4	198	408
Incheon	0	1	1	58	3,088	2,487	0	87	96	5	330	472
Gwangju	0	2	1	52	2,290	1,454	0	4	4	3	350	476
Daejeon	0	1	1	31	1,596	1,337	0	5	4	3	276	380
Ulsan	0	0	0	12	1,757	1,449	0	2	4	5	263	440
Sejong	0	0	0	19	682	403	0	1	1	0	41	51
Gyonggi	0	5	4	370	18,661	13,093	4	293	339	36	1,885	3,038
Gangwon	0	1	0	46	1,247	1,460	0	15	17	1	106	162
Chungbuk	0	1	1	26	1,437	1,179	2	7	5	2	110	187
Chungnam	0	3	1	43	2,568	1,788	2	9	8	8	295	473
Jeonbuk	0	0	0	77	2,344	2,076	0	2	5	4	218	371
Jeonnam	0	2	1	43	2,359	1,990	0	0	4	7	208	406
Gyeongbuk	0	1	1	75	4,224	2,215	1	5	8	8	273	555
Gyeongnam	0	2	1	108	7,090	3,780	0	8	8	6	445	815
Jeju	0	0	0	55	1,229	1,278	0	3	3	4	86	120

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						Diseases	ses of Category III						
Reporting area	Meningo	coccal m	neningitis	Le	gionellos	sis	Vibrio	vulnificus	sepsis	Mu	rine typh	us	
	Current week	Cum. 2019	Cum. 5-year average§	Current week	Cum. 2019	Cum. 5-year average§	Current week	Cum. 2019	Cum. 5-year average§	Current week	Cum. 2019	Cum. 5-year average§	
Overall	0	14	8	7	389	113	2	37	50	0	15	12	
Seoul	0	3	3	2	110	32	2	6	5	0	2	2	
Busan	0	0	1	0	16	7	0	3	5	0	0	1	
Daegu	0	0	1	1	15	4	0	0	1	0	0	0	
Incheon	0	1	0	1	29	9	0	0	4	0	3	1	
Gwangju	0	0	0	0	11	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	
Daejeon	0	0	0	0	4	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	
Ulsan	0	0	0	1	3	2	0	0	1	0	1	1	
Sejong	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Gyonggi	0	5	1	1	105	24	0	9	9	0	2	2	
Gangwon	0	2	0	0	9	7	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Chungbuk	0	0	0	0	12	5	0	2	1	0	1	0	
Chungnam	0	1	0	0	12	4	0	1	3	0	0	1	
Jeonbuk	0	0	0	0	6	2	0	3	2	0	1	0	
Jeonnam	0	0	0	1	14	2	0	6	7	0	3	1	
Gyeongbuk	0	0	1	0	30	7	0	1	3	0	0	0	
Gyeongnam	0	1	1	0	8	5	0	5	6	0	0	2	
Jeju	0	0	0	0	4	2	0	1	1	0	2	0	

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						Diseases (of Categor	y III				
Reporting area	Sci	rub typh	us	Le	ptospiro	sis	E	Brucellosis	3		orrhagic for renal syndr	
	Current week	Cum. 2019	Cum. 5-year average§	Current week	Cum. 2019	Cum. 5-year average [§]	Current week	Cum. 2019	Cum. 5-year average§	Current week	Cum. 2019	Cum. 5-year average [§]
Overall	264	1,467	4,126	13	114	73	0	1	1	20	274	293
Seoul	6	50	134	0	9	4	0	1	1	1	6	12
Busan	10	54	193	0	2	3	0	0	0	2	13	8
Daegu	4	13	78	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	2	2
Incheon	1	20	43	0	4	1	0	0	0	0	6	4
Gwangju	4	27	154	1	4	2	0	0	0	1	5	5
Daejeon	6	36	147	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	1	5
Ulsan	9	42	192	0	1	2	0	0	0	1	2	2
Sejong	1	4	28	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2
Gyonggi	23	125	416	2	16	13	0	0	0	0	29	68
Gangwon	2	12	46	1	10	3	0	0	0	0	12	12
Chungbuk	8	29	120	0	3	3	0	0	0	1	11	17
Chungnam	53	190	509	1	20	9	0	0	0	7	42	38
Jeonbuk	30	169	483	2	6	4	0	0	0	1	42	30
Jeonnam	41	316	675	2	14	11	0	0	0	3	53	45
Gyeongbuk	15	71	250	1	13	7	0	0	0	0	29	25
Gyeongnam	45	276	637	3	10	8	0	0	0	3	21	17
Jeju	6	33	21	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1

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				Disease	es of Cat	tegory III					of Cate	
Reporting area		Syphilis		(CJD/vCJD)	Τι	uberculosi	S	De	ngue fev	er
	Current week	Cum. 2019	Cum. 5-year average§	Current week	Cum. 2019	Cum. 5-year average [§]	Current week	Cum. 2019	Cum. 5-year average [§]	Current week	Cum. 2019	Cum. 5-year average§
Overall	27	1,510	1,326	4	53	40	523	20,810	25,831	5	239	182
Seoul	6	303	276	0	10	9	101	3,682	4,837	0	62	59
Busan	0	155	83	0	2	2	39	1,413	1,836	0	8	11
Daegu	1	73	59	0	2	3	32	927	1,270	0	16	9
Incheon	4	121	118	0	2	2	30	1,136	1,334	0	18	9
Gwangju	0	35	45	0	1	0	17	502	633	0	2	2
Daejeon	0	50	39	0	3	1	9	441	605	0	6	4
Ulsan	0	17	19	0	0	1	11	430	533	0	9	2
Sejong	0	5	5	0	0	0	2	62	76	0	0	1
Gyonggi	6	387	362	2	15	9	105	4,547	5,462	4	76	49
Gangwon	1	40	31	0	2	2	27	895	1,100	0	5	3
Chungbuk	0	32	32	2	3	1	10	598	787	0	6	2
Chungnam	3	56	46	0	0	2	32	976	1,197	0	7	5
Jeonbuk	2	43	28	0	2	1	21	816	982	0	6	3
Jeonnam	0	31	35	0	2	1	27	1,133	1,301	0	2	4
Gyeongbuk	1	67	54	0	4	3	29	1,596	1,859	0	2	7
Gyeongnam	2	70	62	0	5	3	27	1,376	1,714	0	10	10
Jeju	1	25	32	0	0	0	4	280	306	1	4	2

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					I	Diseases o	of Category	y IV			Jilit. 110. (51 Cd3C3
Reporting area		Q fever		Lym	e Borreli	iosis		SFTS		Zika	virus infe	ction
u.cu	Current week	Cum. 2019	Cum. 5-year average§	Current week	Cum. 2019	Cum. 5-year average§	Current week	Cum. 2019	Cum. 5-year average§	Current week	Cum. 2019	Cum. 5-year average§
Overall	6	202	62	19	81	15	2	223	172	0	10	-
Seoul	1	19	4	4	32	4	1	9	10	0	2	-
Busan	0	2	1	0	1	1	0	1	2	0	1	-
Daegu	1	4	1	0	1	1	0	7	4	0	0	-
Incheon	0	7	1	3	7	2	0	3	3	0	4	-
Gwangju	1	8	3	3	7	0	0	1	1	0	0	-
Daejeon	0	6	2	0	0	1	0	4	3	0	0	-
Ulsan	0	1	2	0	1	0	0	8	3	0	0	-
Sejong	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	0	0	0	-
Gyonggi	1	34	8	3	14	3	0	42	30	0	2	-
Gangwon	0	0	0	0	2	0	1	30	24	0	0	-
Chungbuk	0	30	15	0	0	0	0	3	8	0	0	-
Chungnam	0	19	8	2	5	1	0	24	14	0	0	-
Jeonbuk	0	19	3	0	1	1	0	18	6	0	0	-
Jeonnam	1	28	6	2	6	0	0	16	10	0	1	-
Gyeongbuk	1	14	3	1	1	1	0	25	27	0	0	-
Gyeongnam	0	10	5	0	2	0	0	19	15	0	0	-
Jeju	0	1	0	1	1	0	0	9	12	0	0	-

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II. Sentinel-Reporting Infectious Diseases

1. Influenza, weeks ending November 2, 2019 (44th Week)

- Weekly proportion of influenza-like illness per 1,000 outpatients: 5.8 cases (=0.58%)
- Variation: increase from 4.5 cases in 43rd week of 2019
- Sentinel reporting sites: 200 hospitals/clinics
 2019-2020 outbreak standard: 5.9 cases (/1,000)

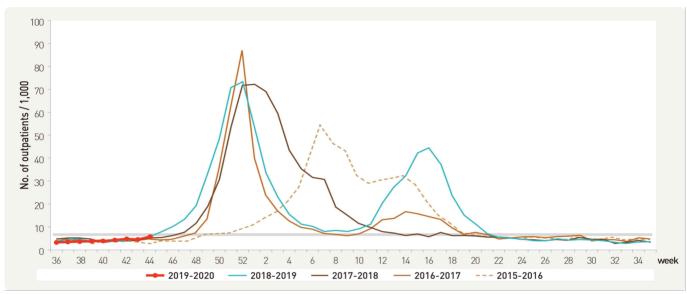


Figure 1. Weekly proportion of influenza-like illness per 1,000 outpatients, 2015-2016 to 2019-2020 flu seasons

2. Hand, Foot and Mouth Disease (HFMD), weeks ending November 2, 2019 (44th Week)

- Weekly proportion of hand, foot and mouth disease (HFMD) per 1,000 outpatients: 3.3 cases
- Variation: decrease from 3.8 cases in 43rd week of 2019
- Sentinel reporting sites: 97 hospitals/clinics

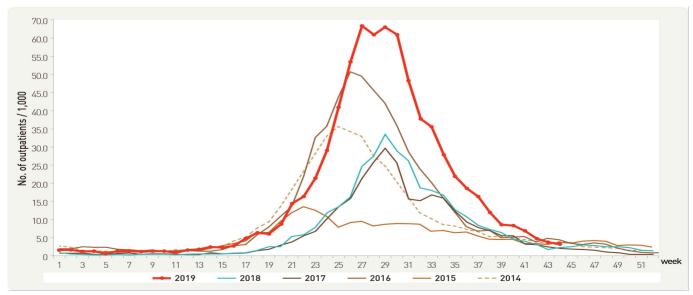


Figure 2. Weekly proportion of hand, foot and mouth per 1,000 outpatients, 2014-2019

3. Ophthalmologic infectious diseases, weeks ending November 2, 2019 (44th Week)

- Weekly proportion of epidemic keratoconjunctivitis per 1,000 outpatients: 14.8 cases
- Variation: decrease from 21.4 cases in 43rd week of 2019
- Sentinel reporting sites: 90 hospitals/clinics



Figure 3. Weekly proportion of epidemic keratoconjunctivitis per 1,000 outpatients, 2015-2019

- Weekly proportion of acute hemorrhagic conjunctivitis per 1,000 outpatients: 0.6 case
- Variation: no change from 0.6 case in 43rd week of 2019
- Sentinel reporting sites: 90 hospitals/clinics

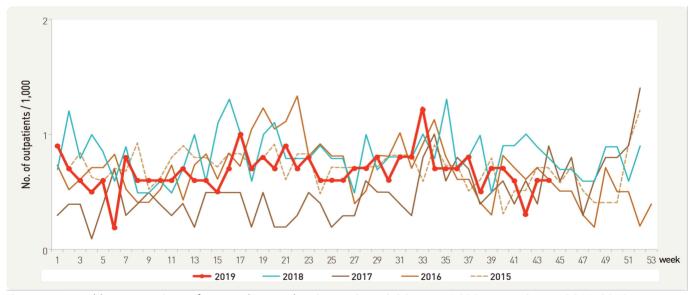


Figure 4. Weekly proportion of acute hemorrhagic conjunctivitis per 1,000 outpatients, 2015-2019

4. Sexually Transmitted Diseases[†], weeks ending November 2, 2019 (44th Week)

- Cases per sentinel: 2.9 for genital herpes, 2.2 for chlamydia, 1.8 for condyloma acuminata, 1.2 for gonorrhea
- Variation from 43rd week of 2019

Increase: chlamydia (2.0 \rightarrow 2.2), genital herpes (2.7 \rightarrow 2.9)

No change: gonorrhea $(1.2 \rightarrow 1.2)$

Decrease: condyloma acuminata (2.2 \rightarrow 1.8)

• Sentinel reporting sites: 592 hospitals/clinics

XX No. of reported sites in 44th week: 29 for gonorrhea, 83 for chlamydia, 62 for genital herpes, 44 for condyloma acuminata

Unit: no. of cases/sentine	وا
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C	Sonorrhe	ea		Chlamydi	ia	Gei	nital her	pes	Condyl	oma acı	uminata
Current week	Cum. 2019	Cum. 5-year average⁵	Current week	Cum. 2019	Cum. 5-year average§	Current week	Cum. 2019	Cum. 5-year average§	Current week	Cum. 2019	Cum. 5-year average§
1.2	8.2	9.3	2.2	30.5	24.8	2.9	43.5	29.1	1.8	23.2	17.6

Cum: Cumulative counts from 1st week to current week in a year

III. Waterborne and Foodborne Infectious Diseases

1. Waterborne and foodborne disease outbreaks, weeks ending November 2, 2019 (44th Week)

- No. of reported outbreaks: 8 with 57 patients (cumulative no. of outbreaks: 521 with 6,094 patients)
- Variation: increase from 5 in 43rd week of 2019
- · Reporting sites: 254 health centers



Figure 5. Number of waterborne and foodborne disease outbreaks reported by week, 2018-2019

[†] According to surveillance data, the reported cases may include all of the cases such as confirmed, suspected, and asymptomatic carrier in the group.

[§] Cum. 5-year average is mean value calculated by cumulative counts from 1st week to current week for 5 preceding years.

IV. Laboratory-based Pathogen Surveillance: Influenza and Respiratory Viruses

1. Influenza viruses, weeks ending November 2, 2019 (44th Week)

- Weekly reported number of specimens positive for influenza: 14 cases (5.4%) / 260 specimens [influenza subtype: A(H1N1)pdm09 11 cases, A(H3N2) 3 cases, B 0 case]
- Variation (%p): increase from 9 cases (3.8%) / 237 specimens in 43rd week of 2019
- Sentinel reporting sites: 52 hospitals/clinics

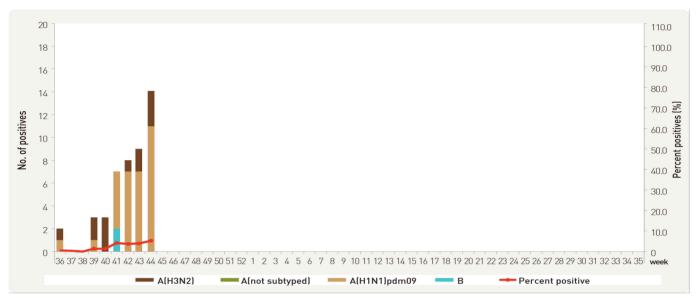


Figure 6. Number of specimens positive for influenza by subtype, 2019-2020 flu season

2. Respiratory viruses, weeks ending November 2, 2019 (44th Week)

- Detection rate: 53.1% (cumulative mean proportion during preceding three weeks plus current week: 46.7% out of 948 specimens)
- Variation (%p): increase from 46.0% in 43rd week of 2019
- Sentinel reporting sites: 17 city/provincial health and environmental institutes and 52 hospitals/clinics

2019	Weekly total		Detection rate (%)									
(week)	No. of samples	Detection rate (%)	HAdV	HPIV	HRSV	IFV	HCoV	HRV	HBoV	HMPV		
41	219	41.1	9.1	5.9	3.2	3.2	0.0	18.3	0.0	1.4		
42	232	45.7	6.9	4.7	3.9	3.4	1.3	22.0	1.3	2.2		
43	237	46.0	10.1	2.5	5.5	3.8	1.3	21.9	0.4	0.4		
44	260	53.1	9.6	1.5	5.0	5.4	3.8	26.5	1.2	0.0		
Cum.**	948	46.7	9.0	3.6	4.4	4.0	1.7	22.4	0.7	0.9		
2018 Cum. [∀]	11,966	63.0	6.8	6.1	4.4	17.0	5.7	16.3	1.7	4.9		

⁻ HAdV: human Adenovirus, HPIV: human Parainfluenza virus, HRSV: human Respiratory syncytial virus, IFV: Influenza virus, HCoV: human Coronavirus, HRV: human Rhinovirus, HBoV: human Bocavirus, HMPV: human Metapneumovirus

^{**} Cum.: the rate of detected cases between October 6, 2019 - November 2, 2019 (Average no. of detected cases is 237 last 4 weeks)

 $[\]forall$ 2018 Cum. : the rate of detected cases between January 01, 2018 – December 29, 2018

V. Laboratory-based Pathogen Surveillance: Acute Gastroenteritis Viruses/Bacteria

1. Acute gastroenteritis-causing virus, weeks ending October 26, 2019 (43rd Week)

- Detection rate: 4.8% [cumulative mean proportion in 2019: 705 cases (29.3%) out of 2,406 specimens]
- Variation (%p): decrease from 11.1% in 42nd week of 2019
- Sentinel reporting sites: 17 city/provincial health and environmental institutes and 70 hospitals/clinics

			No. of detection (Detection rate, %)												
Week		No. of sample	Norovirus			•		nteric As novirus As		Astrovirus		Sapovirus		Total	
2019	40	42	1	(2.4)	0	(0.0)	1	(2.4)	0	(0.0)	2	(4.8)	4	(9.5)	
	41	45	1	(2.2)	1	(2.2)	0	(0.0)	0	(0.0)	1	(2.2)	3	(6.7)	
	42	36	1	(2.8)	1	(2.8)	1	(2.8)	1	(2.8)	0	(0.0)	4	(11.1)	
	43	21	1	(4.8)	0	(0.0)	0	(0.0)	0	(0.0)	0	(0.0)	1	(4.8)	
Cur 201		2,406	457	(19.0)	121	(5.0)	38	(1.6)	48	(2.0)	41	(1.7)	705	(29.3)	

^{*} The samples were collected from children ≤ 5 years of sporadic acute gastroenteritis in Korea.

2. Acute gastroenteritis-causing bacteria, weeks ending October 26, 2019 (43rd Week)

- Detection rate: 24.0% [cumulative mean proportion in 2019: 1,122 cases (15.6%) out of 7,209 specimens]
- Variation (%p): increase from 18.7% in 42nd week of 2019
- Sentinel reporting sites: 17 city/provincial health and environmental institutes and 70 hospitals/clinics

			No. of	No. of isolation (Isolation rate, %)										
We		ek	Sample		Pathogenic <i>E.coli</i>	<i>Shigella</i> spp.	V.parahae molyticus	V. cholerae	Campylob acter spp.		S. aureus	B. cereus	Total	
	2019	40	145	4 (2.8)	9 (6.2)	0 (0)	0 (0)	0 (0)	4 (2.8)	5 (3.4)	0 (0)	3 (2.1)	25 (17.2)	
		41	113	7 (6.2)	12 (10.6)	0 (0)	0 (0)	0 (0)	5 (4.4)	5 (4.4)	4 (3.5)	2 (1.8)	36 (31.9)	
		42	123	5 (4.1)	5 (4.1)	0 (0)	0 (0)	0 (0)	2 (1.6)	2 (1.6)	6 (4.9)	3 (2.4)	23 (18.7)	
		43	75	3 (4.0)	5 (6.7)	0 (0)	0 (0)	0 (0)	1 (1.3)	5 (6.7)	2 (2.7)	1 (1.3)	18 (24.0)	
	Cui 20		7,209	231 (3.2)	385 (5.3)	1 (0.01)	4 (0.06)	0 (0)	100 (1.4)	144 (2.0)	139 (1.9)	110 (1.5)	1,122 (15.6)	

^{*} Bacterial Pathogens: Salmonella spp., E. coli (EHEC, ETEC, EPEC, EIEC), Shigella spp., Vibrio parahaemolyticus, Vibrio cholerae, Campylobacter spp.,

Clostridium perfringens, Staphylococcus aureus, Bacillus cereus, Listeria monocytogenes, Yersinia enterocolitica.

^{*} Hospitals participating in Laboratory surveillance in 2019 (70 hospitals)

VI. Laboratory-based Pathogen Surveillance: Enterovirus

1. Enterovirus, weeks ending October 26, 2019 (43rd Week)

- Detection rate: 23.1% (3 cases / 13 specimens) [cumulative mean proportion in 2019: 39.3% (647 cases / 1,648 specimens)]
 - Aseptic meningitis: 1 case (Cum. 2019: 250 cases)
 - HFMD and herpangina: 1 case (Cum. 2019: 244 cases)
 - HFMD with complications: 0 case (Cum. 2019: 14 cases)
 - Other: 1 case (Cum. 2019: 139 cases)
- Variation (%p): increase from 21.4% in 42nd week of 2019
- Sentinel reporting sites: 14 city/provincial health and environmental institutes and 59 hospitals/clinics

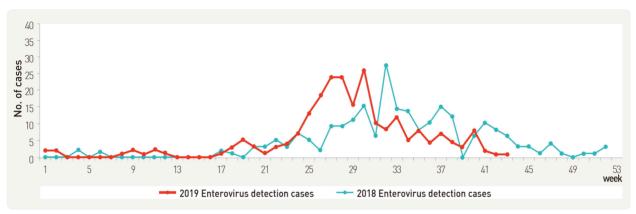


Figure 7. Detection of enterovirus in aseptic meningitis patients from 2017 to 2018

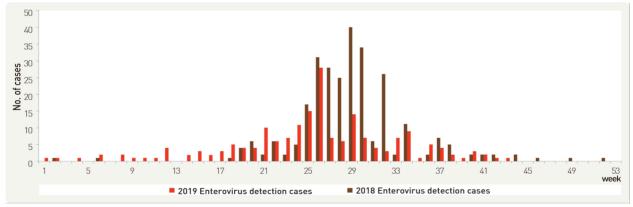


Figure 8. Detection of enterovirus in HFMD and herpangina patients from 2017 to 2018

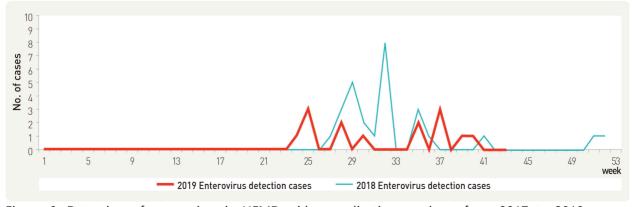


Figure 9. Detection of enterovirus in HFMD with complications patients from 2017 to 2018

VII. Vector Surveillance: Malaria Vector Mosquitoes

1. Malaria vector mosquitoes, weeks ending October 26, 2019 (43rd Week)

- No. of malaria vector mosquitoes: 0
- Variation: no change from 0 in 42nd week of 2019
- Sentinel reporting sites: 3 city/province (44 sites)
 - X No. of mosquitoes: average number of mosquitoes/trap/day

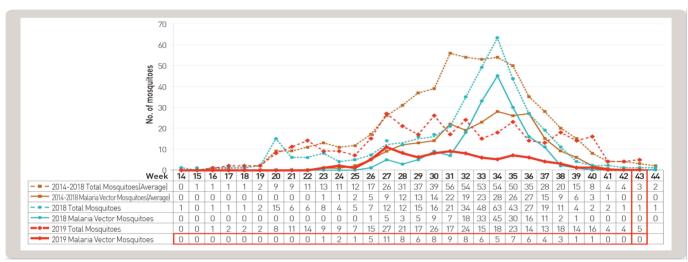


Figure 10. Weekly incidences of malaria vector mosquitoes in 2018

VIII. Vector Surveillance: Japanese encephalitis vector Mosquitoes

1. Japanese encephalitis vector mosquitoes, weeks ending November 2, 2019 (44th Week)

- No. of Japanese encephalitis vector mosquitoes: 1
 - **X JEV: Japanese encephalitis vector**
- Variation: decrease from 4 in 43rd week of 2019
- Sentinel reporting sites: 10 city/provincial health and environmental institutes and health centers (10 sites) ** No. of mosquitoes: average number of mosquitoes/trap/day

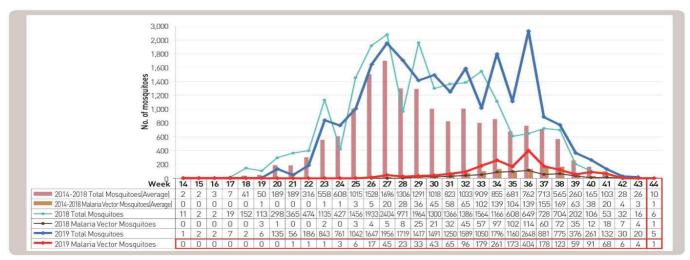


Figure 11. Weekly incidences of Japanese encephalitis vector mosquitoes in 2018

IX. Vector Surveillance: Scrub typhus vector chigger mites

1. Scrub typhus vector chigger mites, weeks ending November 2, 2019 (44th Week)

• No. of chigger mites: 243

• Variation: increase from 153 in 43rd week of 2019

• Sentinel reporting sites: 11 city/province (16 sites)

X No. of chigger mites: total number of chigger in 320 traps

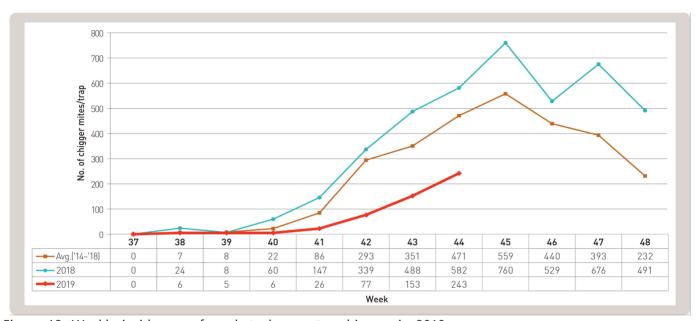


Figure 12. Weekly incidences of scrub typhus vector chiggers in 2019

X. Vector Surveillance: Severe fever with thrombocytopia syndrome vector ticks

1. Severe fever with thrombocytopenia syndrome vector ticks, weeks ending November 2, 2019 (44th Week, October)

- No. of severe fever with thrombocytopenia syndrome vector ticks per trap: 33.5
 X T.I.: Trap index (No. of ticks / trap)
- Variation: decrease from 158.9 in 39th week (September) of 2019
- Sentinel reporting sites: 11 city/province (16 sites)
 X No. of vector ticks: average number of vector ticks/trap/day



Figure 13. Monthly incidences of severe fever with thrombocytopenia syndrome vector ticks in 2019

About PHWR Disease Surveillance Statistics

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Using and Interpreting These Data in Tables

- Current Week The number of cases under current week denotes cases who have been reported to Korea CDC at the central level via corresponding jurisdictions(health centers, and health departments) during that week and accepted/approved by surveillance staff.
- Cum. 2018 For the current year, it denotes the cumulative(Cum) year-to-date provisional counts for the specified condition.
- 5-year weekly average The 5-year weekly average is calculated by summing, for the 5 proceeding years, the provisional incidence counts for the current week, the two weeks preceding the current week, and the two weeks following the current week. The total sum of cases is then divided by 25 weeks. It gives help to discern the statistical aberration of the specified disease incidence by comparing difference between counts under current week and 5-year weekly average.

For example,

		Week Number								
		10 11 12 13								
Year	2018			Current						
rear	2010			week						
	2017	X1	X2	X3	X4	X5				
	2016	X6	X7	X8	X9	X10				
	2015	X11	X12	X13	X14	X15				
	2014	X16	X17	X18	X19	X20				
	2013	X21	X22	X23	X24	X25				

5-year weekly average for current week

$$= (X1 + X2 + ... + X25) / 25$$

• Cum. 5-year average – Mean value calculated by cumulative counts from 1st week to current week for 5 preceding years. It gives help to understand the increasing or decreasing pattern of the specific disease incidence by comparing difference between cum. 2018 and cum. 5-year average.

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