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# **I**. National Notifiable Infectious Diseases

#### 1. Reported cases, week ending September 4, 2021 (36th Week)\*

										Unit: no. of cases
		Current	Cum.	5-year		Total no.	of cases	s by year		Imported cases
Classif	ication of disease <sup>‡</sup>	week	2021	weekly average	2020	2019	2018	2017	2016	of current week : Country (no. of cases)
Category II										
Т	luberculosis	432	13,431	477	19,933	23,821	26,433	28,161	30,892	
N	/aricella	257	14,077	709	31,430	82,868	96,467	80,092	54,060	
Ν	Measles	0	0	0	6	194	15	7	18	
(	Cholera	0	0	0	0	1	2	5	4	
Т	Typhoid fever	9	108	2	39	94	213	128	121	
F	Paratyphoid fever	13	151	2	58	55	47	73	56	
S	Shigellosis	0	20	2	29	151	191	112	113	
E	EHEC	5	173	4	270	146	121	138	104	
١	/iral hepatitis A	99	4,295	156	3,989	17,598	2,437	4,419	4,679	
F	Pertussis	0	14	10	123	496	980	318	129	
Ν	Numps	155	5,526	269	9,922	15,967	19,237	16,924	17,057	
F	Rubella	0	0	0	0	8	0	7	11	
Ν	Meningococcal disease	0	0	0	5	16	14	17	6	
F	Pneumococcal disease	1	158	4	345	526	670	523	441	
F	Hansen's disease	0	3	0	3	4				
S	Scarlet fever	13	473	152	2,300	7,562	15,777	22,838	11,911	
N	/RSA	0	1	0	9	3	0	0	-	
C	CRE	310	10,345	321	18,113	15,369	11,954	5,717	-	
١	/iral hepatitis E	11	280	8	191	-	-	-	-	
Category II										
	letanus	0	17	1	30	31	31	34	24	
	/iral hepatitis B	5	275	7	382	389	392	391	359	
	apanese encephalitis	0	1	2	7	34	17	9	28	
	/iral hepatitis C	103	6,763	199	11,849	9,810	10,811	6,396		
	Malaria	7	227	17	385	559	576	515	673	
	egionellosis	7	223	7	368	501	305	198	128	
	<i>Vibrio vulnificus</i> sepsis	7	21	4	70	42	47	46	56	
	Murine typhus	1	18	0	1	14	16	18	18	
	Scrub typhus	19	613	38	4,479	4,005	6,668	10,528	11,105	
	_eptospirosis	3	95	4	114	138	118	103	117	
	Brucellosis	0	3	0	8	1	5	6	4	
	HFRS	4	130	7	270	399	433	531	575	
	HIV/AIDS	12	478	19	818	1,006	989	1,008	1,060	
	CJD	3	69	1	64	53	53	36	42	
	Dengue fever	0	1	6	43	273	159	171	313	
	Q fever	0	34	2	69	162	163	96	81	
	yme Borreliosis	0	0	1	18	23	23	31	27	
	Velioidosis	0	0	0	1	8	2	2	4	
	Chikungunya fever	0	0	0	1	16	3	5	10	
	SFTS	1	81	0 7	243	223	259	272	165	
	Zika virus infection	0	0	0	1	3	3	11	16	
_		5	5	2	-	-	5			

Abbreviation: EHEC= Enterohemorrhagic Escherichia coli, VRSA= Vancomycin-resistant Staphylococcus aureus, CRE= Carbapenem-resistant Enterobacteriaceae, HFRS= Hemorrhagic fever with renal syndrome, CJD= Creutzfeldt-Jacob Disease, SFTS= Severe fever with thrombocytopenia syndrome.

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\* The reported surveillance data excluded no incidence data such as Ebola virus disease, Marburg Hemorrhagic fever, Lassa fever, Crimean Congo Hemorrhagic fever, South American Hemorrhagic fever, Rift Valley fever, Smallpox, Plague, Anthrax, Botulism, Tularemia, Newly emerging infectious disease syndrome, Severe Acute Respiratory Syndrome, Middle East Respiratory Syndrome, Human infection with zoonotic influenza, Novel Influenza, Diphtheria, Polionyelitis, Haemophilus influenza type b, Epidemic typhus, Rabies, Yellow fever, West Nile fever and Tick-borne Encephalitis.

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Unit: no. of  $cases^{\dagger}$ 

						Diseases	of Categor	y II				
Reporting area	Tu	lberculos	sis		Varicella			Measles			Cholera	
	Current week	Cum. 2021	Cum. 5-year average§	Current week	Cum. 2021	Cum. 5-year average <sup>§</sup>	Current week	Cum. 2021	Cum. 5-year average <sup>§</sup>	Current week	Cum. 2021	Cum. 5-year average§
Overall	432	13,431	18,208	257	14,077	44,860	0	0	42	0	0	2
Seoul	70	2,190	3,294	31	1,744	5,025	0	0	6	0	0	0
Busan	35	917	1,239	17	876	2,511	0	0	2	0	0	1
Daegu	18	646	862	2	597	2,407	0	0	2	0	0	0
Incheon	27	696	959	13	747	2,225	0	0	2	0	0	0
Gwangju	12	312	451	6	477	1,566	0	0	0	0	0	0
Daejeon	9	291	402	14	404	1,270	0	0	5	0	0	0
Ulsan	6	253	380	4	295	1,348	0	0	1	0	0	0
Sejong	1	63	63	0	177	499	0	0	15	0	0	0
Gyonggi	100	3,052	3,924	82	4,077	12,437	0	0	0	0	0	0
Gangwon	20	586	769	9	409	1,173	0	0	1	0	0	0
Chungbuk	15	438	567	9	497	1,230	0	0	0	0	0	0
Chungnam	11	660	872	7	562	1,656	0	0	1	0	0	0
Jeonbuk	13	539	719	9	524	1,836	0	0	1	0	0	0
Jeonnam	22	736	956	21	748	1,777	0	0	2	0	0	0
Gyeongbuk	37	1,011	1,325	10	671	2,449	0	0	2	0	0	0
Gyeongnam	31	883	1,191	22	1,046	4,230	0	0	2	0	0	1
Jeju	5	158	235	1	226	1,221	0	0	0	0	0	0

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	Diseases of Category II												
Reporting area	Туј	ohoid fev	ver	Para	typhoid	fever	S	higellosis			ohemorrh <i>herichia c</i>		
	Current week	Cum. 2021	Cum. 5-year average§	Current week	Cum. 2021	Cum. 5-year average§	Current week	Cum. 2021	Cum. 5-year average <sup>§</sup>	Current week	Cum. 2021	Cum. 5-year average <sup>§</sup>	
Overall	9	108	95	13	151	41	0	20	87	5	173	123	
Seoul	0	5	19	0	1	6	0	2	21	0	15	15	
Busan	0	13	9	4	59	5	0	1	6	0	8	3	
Daegu	0	3	3	0	6	4	0	0	6	0	11	5	
Incheon	0	2	7	0	0	2	0	0	7	1	6	8	
Gwangju	0	2	1	1	9	2	0	1	3	1	36	10	
Daejeon	0	11	3	0	6	1	0	0	1	1	9	2	
Ulsan	0	5	3	0	5	0	0	0	1	0	3	4	
Sejong	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	3	1	
Gyonggi	7	32	22	0	13	7	0	7	17	0	27	40	
Gangwon	0	4	2	2	10	2	0	1	2	0	3	5	
Chungbuk	0	1	3	0	1	2	0	0	2	0	4	3	
Chungnam	0	9	5	0	0	1	0	0	6	0	3	4	
Jeonbuk	0	0	1	1	2	2	0	0	2	0	4	2	
Jeonnam	1	5	2	2	15	2	0	5	4	0	13	7	
Gyeongbuk	0	3	4	0	3	1	0	1	5	0	14	6	
Gyeongnam	1	13	7	2	14	3	0	0	3	2	9	3	
Jeju	0	0	3	1	6	1	0	2	1	0	5	5	

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						Diseases	of Categor	y II				
Reporting area	Vira	al hepati	tis A		Pertussis	;		Mumps			Rubella	
urcu	Current week	Cum. 2021	Cum. 5-year average§	Current week	Cum. 2021	Cum. 5-year average <sup>§</sup>	Current week	Cum. 2021	Cum. 5-year average <sup>§</sup>	Current week	Cum. 2021	Cum. 5-year average <sup>§</sup>
Overall	99	4,295	5,091	0	14	263	155	5,526	11,352	0	0	2
Seoul	18	849	963	0	1	32	11	640	1,299	0	0	1
Busan	1	55	195	0	0	24	7	306	664	0	0	0
Daegu	0	47	80	0	0	9	5	240	430	0	0	0
Incheon	14	369	347	0	2	16	8	274	555	0	0	0
Gwangju	3	78	77	0	0	13	8	168	471	0	0	0
Daejeon	7	114	521	0	0	7	4	172	320	0	0	0
Ulsan	0	16	37	0	0	8	4	176	357	0	0	0
Sejong	2	32	83	0	0	3	2	58	59	0	0	0
Gyonggi	36	1,803	1,546	0	4	42	50	1,617	3,105	0	0	1
Gangwon	2	92	93	0	0	2	5	211	376	0	0	0
Chungbuk	9	167	247	0	1	7	3	127	286	0	0	0
Chungnam	5	289	386	0	0	5	4	236	486	0	0	0
Jeonbuk	0	117	189	0	0	5	5	247	525	0	0	0
Jeonnam	0	82	95	0	0	14	8	281	486	0	0	0
Gyeongbuk	1	61	94	0	4	17	14	238	583	0	0	0
Gyeongnam	0	33	112	0	2	55	17	451	1,179	0	0	0
Jeju	1	91	26	0	0	4	0	84	171	0	0	0

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		Di	seases of	Category	11			D	iseases of	Category I	11	
Reporting area	Mening	ococcal	disease	Sc	arlet fev	er		Tetanus		Vira	l hepatiti	s B
urea	Current week	Cum. 2021	Cum. 5-year average <sup>§</sup>									
Overall	0	0	9	13	473	8,837	0	17	21	5	275	259
Seoul	0	0	2	1	49	1,198	0	3	2	0	26	47
Busan	0	0	0	1	26	619	0	1	2	1	18	17
Daegu	0	0	1	0	6	296	0	2	2	0	8	9
Incheon	0	0	1	2	30	424	0	0	1	0	16	14
Gwangju	0	0	0	1	64	450	0	0	1	0	11	5
Daejeon	0	0	0	0	8	331	0	1	1	0	3	10
Ulsan	0	0	0	1	26	386	0	0	0	0	4	5
Sejong	0	0	0	0	2	51	0	0	0	0	4	0
Gyonggi	0	0	2	4	125	2,555	0	2	2	3	97	63
Gangwon	0	0	1	0	6	140	0	0	0	0	9	8
Chungbuk	0	0	0	0	10	159	0	2	0	0	6	9
Chungnam	0	0	0	0	15	383	0	2	2	0	25	13
Jeonbuk	0	0	0	0	10	298	0	1	1	0	9	14
Jeonnam	0	0	0	1	27	334	0	0	3	1	10	13
Gyeongbuk	0	0	1	0	18	448	0	2	2	0	12	13
Gyeongnam	0	0	1	2	38	656	0	1	2	0	13	17
Jeju	0	0	0	0	13	109	0	0	0	0	4	2

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						Diseases	of Category	y III				
Reporting area	Japane	se encep	ohalitis		Malaria		Le	gionellos	is	Vibrio	vulnificus	sepsis
	Current week	Cum. 2021	Cum. 5-year average <sup>§</sup>	Current week	Cum. 2021	Cum. 5-year average <sup>§</sup>	Current week	Cum. 2021	Cum. 5-year average <sup>§</sup>	Current week	Cum. 2021	Cum. 5-year average⁵
Overall	0	1	3	7	227	448	7	223	199	7	21	29
Seoul	0	0	1	0	21	64	1	43	56	1	1	4
Busan	0	0	0	1	2	6	0	6	11	1	4	2
Daegu	0	0	1	1	1	6	0	14	7	0	0	0
Incheon	0	0	0	1	36	62	0	10	15	0	1	2
Gwangju	0	0	1	0	0	4	0	6	3	0	0	0
Daejeon	0	0	0	0	3	3	0	3	2	0	0	0
Ulsan	0	0	0	0	2	3	0	3	2	0	1	1
Sejong	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
Gyonggi	0	0	0	4	147	255	4	51	47	2	4	5
Gangwon	0	0	0	0	5	14	0	2	7	0	0	0
Chungbuk	0	0	0	0	2	4	0	5	8	0	1	0
Chungnam	0	0	0	0	3	6	0	3	6	1	1	3
Jeonbuk	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	9	5	0	0	1
Jeonnam	0	0	0	0	2	3	1	21	6	0	2	5
Gyeongbuk	0	0	0	0	2	5	0	10	12	1	3	1
Gyeongnam	0	0	0	0	1	7	1	9	7	1	3	4
Jeju	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	28	5	0	0	1

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						Diseases	of Category	y III				
Reporting area	Mu	rine typł	านร	Sci	rub typh	us	Le	ptospiros	is	В	rucellosis	
	Current week	Cum. 2021	Cum. 5-year average⁵	Current week	Cum. 2021	Cum. 5-year average <sup>§</sup>	Current week	Cum. 2021	Cum. 5-year average <sup>§</sup>	Current week	Cum. 2021	Cum. 5-year average <sup>§</sup>
Overall	1	18	7	19	613	883	3	95	50	0	3	2
Seoul	0	0	1	0	14	38	0	2	2	0	0	1
Busan	0	0	0	2	27	32	0	5	2	0	0	0
Daegu	0	0	0	0	14	6	0	1	1	0	0	0
Incheon	1	12	1	0	6	16	0	5	1	0	0	0
Gwangju	0	0	1	0	12	20	0	3	2	0	0	0
Daejeon	0	0	0	0	10	20	0	3	1	0	0	0
Ulsan	0	0	0	0	5	21	0	1	1	0	0	0
Sejong	0	0	0	0	1	4	0	0	0	0	0	0
Gyonggi	0	4	1	1	44	86	2	21	8	0	2	0
Gangwon	0	0	0	1	6	18	0	13	3	0	0	0
Chungbuk	0	0	0	0	12	17	0	8	3	0	0	0
Chungnam	0	0	1	0	43	88	1	13	7	0	0	0
Jeonbuk	0	0	0	4	156	87	0	6	4	0	0	1
Jeonnam	0	1	1	7	161	218	0	3	6	0	1	0
Gyeongbuk	0	0	0	1	10	56	0	9	4	0	0	0
Gyeongnam	0	0	1	3	85	145	0	2	4	0	0	0
Jeju	0	1	0	0	7	11	0	0	1	0	0	0

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Reporting area		orrhagic renal sync		Creutzfel	dt-Jacob	Disease	De	engue fev	er		Q fever	
	Current week	Cum. 2021	Cum. 5-year average⁵	Current week	Cum. 2021	Cum. 5-year average <sup>§</sup>	Current week	Cum. 2021	Cum. 5-year average <sup>§</sup>	Current week	Cum. 2021	Cum. 5-year average <sup>§</sup>
Overall	4	130	198	3	69	35	0	1	136	0	34	80
Seoul	0	1	8	0	5	10	0	0	42	0	3	4
Busan	0	0	6	0	7	2	0	0	8	0	2	1
Daegu	0	5	2	0	4	1	0	0	8	0	0	1
Incheon	0	2	3	1	5	1	0	0	7	0	1	1
Gwangju	0	3	3	0	1	1	0	0	1	0	1	3
Daejeon	0	1	3	0	6	2	0	0	2	0	3	2
Ulsan	0	1	1	0	0	1	0	0	3	0	1	2
Sejong	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Gyonggi	1	15	45	1	16	8	0	0	38	0	2	11
Gangwon	0	9	9	0	5	1	0	1	3	0	0	0
Chungbuk	0	1	13	0	5	1	0	0	2	0	5	18
Chungnam	0	16	22	0	2	1	0	0	4	0	9	11
Jeonbuk	1	46	21	1	4	1	0	0	3	0	1	5
Jeonnam	2	19	31	0	3	1	0	0	3	0	1	11
Gyeongbuk	0	6	20	0	1	2	0	0	4	0	3	4
Gyeongnam	0	5	10	0	5	2	0	0	6	0	2	6
Jeju	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0

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				Diseas	es of Catego	ory III			
Reporting area	Lym	ne Borrelio	sis	Severe fever	with thrombody syndrome	ocytopenia	Zika	virus infect	ion
	Current week	Cum. 2021	Cum. 5-year average <sup>§</sup>	Current week	Cum. 2021	Cum. 5-year average <sup>§</sup>	Current week	Cum. 2021	Cum. 5-year average <sup>§</sup>
Overall	0	0	16	1	81	133	0	0	-
Seoul	0	0	6	0	4	4	0	0	-
Busan	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	-
Daegu	0	0	0	0	2	5	0	0	-
Incheon	0	0	2	0	0	2	0	0	-
Gwangju	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	-
Daejeon	0	0	1	0	1	1	0	0	-
Ulsan	0	0	0	0	4	3	0	0	-
Sejong	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	-
Gyonggi	0	0	3	0	18	19	0	0	-
Gangwon	0	0	1	0	4	17	0	0	-
Chungbuk	0	0	0	0	2	3	0	0	-
Chungnam	0	0	1	0	12	14	0	0	-
Jeonbuk	0	0	1	0	3	8	0	0	-
Jeonnam	0	0	0	0	7	11	0	0	-
Gyeongbuk	0	0	1	1	13	19	0	0	-
Gyeongnam	0	0	0	0	6	15	0	0	-
Jeju	0	0	0	0	4	10	0	0	-

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# **II. Sentinel-Reporting Infectious Diseases**

#### 1. Influenza, weeks ending September 4, 2021 (36th Week)

- Weekly proportion of influenza-like illness per 1,000 outpatients: 1.0 cases (=0.10%)
- Variation: increase from 0.9 cases in 35th week of 2021
- Sentinel reporting sites: 200 hospitals/clinics
   ※ 2020-2021 outbreak standard: 5.8 cases (/1,000)

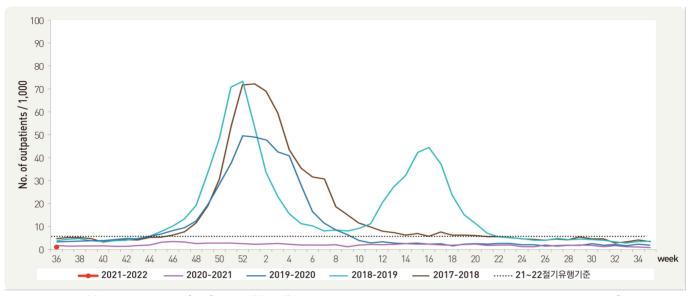


Figure 1. Weekly proportion of influenza-like illness per 1,000 outpatients, 2015-2016 to 2020-2021 flu seasons

#### 2. Hand, Foot and Mouth Disease (HFMD), weeks ending September 4, 2021 (36th Week)

- Weekly proportion of hand, foot and mouth disease (HFMD) per 1,000 outpatients: 0.7 case
- Variation: decrease from 0.8 case in  $35^{th}$  week of 2021
- · Sentinel reporting sites: 97 hospitals/clinics

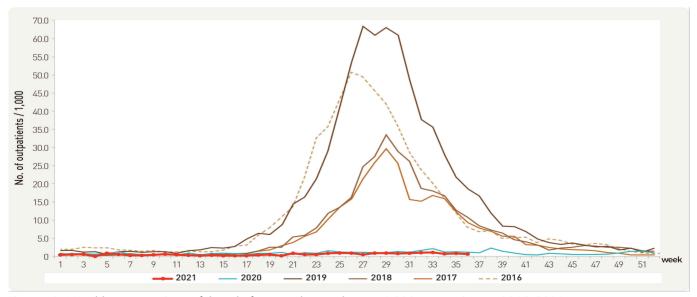


Figure 2. Weekly proportion of hand, foot and mouth per 1,000 outpatients, 2016-2021

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#### 3. Ophthalmologic infectious diseases, weeks ending September 4, 2021 (36th Week)

- Weekly proportion of epidemic keratoconjunctivitis per 1,000 outpatients: 3.8 cases
- Variation: decrease from 5.7 cases in  $35^{th}$  week of 2021
- Sentinel reporting sites: 90 hospitals/clinics

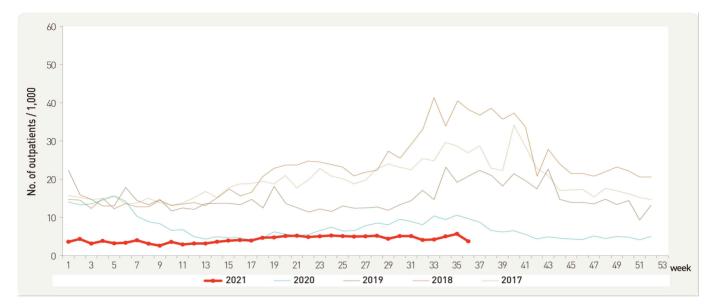


Figure 3. Weekly proportion of epidemic keratoconjunctivitis per 1,000 outpatients, 2017-2021

- Weekly proportion of acute hemorrhagic conjunctivitis per 1,000 outpatients: 0.5 case
- Variation: increase from 0.3 case in 35<sup>th</sup> week of 2021
- Sentinel reporting sites: 90 hospitals/clinics

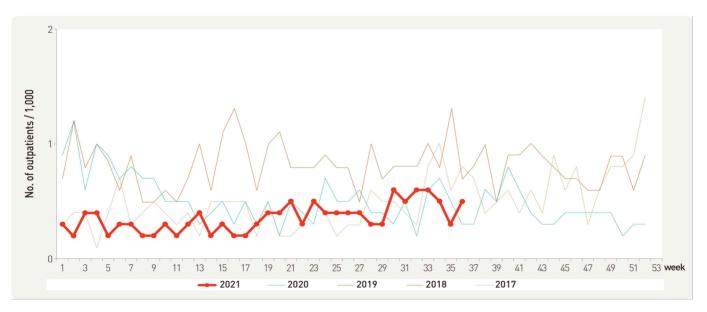


Figure 4. Weekly proportion of acute hemorrhagic conjunctivitis per 1,000 outpatients, 2017-2021

#### 4. Sexually Transmitted Diseases<sup>†</sup>, weeks ending September 4, 2021 (36th Week)

 Cases per sentinel: 3.3 for genital herpes, 3.0 for human Papilloma virus infection, 1.9 for condyloma acuminata, 1.8 for gonorrhea, 1.8 for chlamydia, 1.0 for primary Syphilis, 1.0 for secondary Syphilis, 0.0 for congenital Syphilis

Variation from 35<sup>th</sup> week of 2021
 Increase: gonorrhea (1.2 → 1.8), genital herpes (2.4 → 3.3), condyloma acuminata (1.7 → 1.9)
 Decrease: human Papilloma virus infection (3.2 → 3.0)
 No change: chlamydia (1.8 → 1.8), primary Syphilis (1.0 → 1.0), secondary Syphilis (1.0 → 1.0), congenital Syphilis (0.0 → 0.0)

Sentinel reporting sites: 589 hospitals/clinics
 X No. of reported sites in 36<sup>th</sup> week: 6 for gonorrhea, 43 for chlamydia, 27 for genital herpes, 19 for condyloma acuminata, 31 for human Papilloma virus infection, 2 for primary Syphilis, 3 for secondary Syphilis,

0 for	congenital	Syp	hilis
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										Ur	nit: no. of	cases/sentinels
	Gonorrhea	3	C	hlamydia			Genital	herpes		Conc	dyloma acumir	nata
Current week	5-Vear 5-Vear		5-year	Current week	Cum. 2020		Cum. 5-year verage <sup>§</sup>	Current week	Cum. 2020	Cum. 5-year average <sup>§</sup>		
1.8	1.8 6.2 7.8 1.8 19.2 23.						32.5		30.7	1.9	18.0	18.0
Human P	Human Papilloma virus infection		n Primary Syphilis				Seco	ndary S	Syphilis	(	Congenital Sy	philis
Current week	Cum. 2020	Cum. 5-year average <sup>§</sup>	Current week	Cum. 2020	Cum. 5-year average <sup>§</sup>			Cum. 2020	Cum. 5-year average <sup>§</sup>	Current week	Cum. 2020	Cum. 5-year average <sup>§</sup>
3.0	3.0 64.7 11.9 1.0 2.0 0.4		1	.0	2.5	0.5	0.0	1.0	0.2			

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

+ 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.

※ Added human Papilloma virus infection and syphilis from 1<sup>st</sup> week 2020.

# III. Waterborne and Foodborne Infectious Diseases

#### 1. Waterborne and foodborne disease outbreaks, weeks ending September 4, 2021 (36th Week)

- No. of reported outbreaks: 11 with 280 patients (cumulative no. of outbreaks: 362 with 5,633 patients)
- Variation: decrease from 12 in 35<sup>th</sup> week of 2021
- Reporting sites: 254 health centers

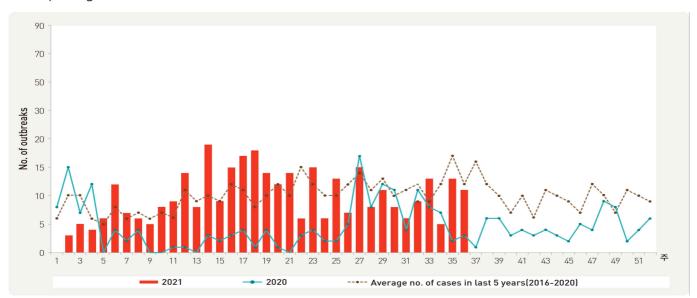


Figure 5. Number of waterborne and foodborne disease outbreaks reported by week, 2020-2021

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

#### 1. Influenza viruses, weeks ending September 4, 2021 (36th Week)

- Weekly reported number of specimens positive for influenza: 0 case (0.0%) / 56 specimens [influenza subtype: A(H1N1)pdm09 0 case, A(H3N2) 0 case, B 0 case]
- Variation (%p): no change from 0 case (0.0%) / 54 specimens in 35<sup>th</sup> week of 2021
- · Sentinel reporting sites: 63 hospitals/clinics

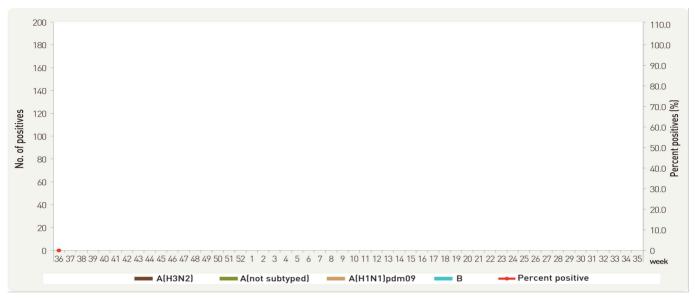


Figure 6. Number of specimens positive for influenza by subtype, 2020-2021 flu season

#### 2. Respiratory viruses, weeks ending September 4, 2021 (36th Week)

- Detection rate: 55.4% (cumulative mean proportion during preceding three weeks plus current week: 37.7% out of 199 specimens)
- Variation (%p): increase from 27.8% in  $35^{th}$  week of 2021
- Sentinel reporting sites: 17 city/provincial health and environmental institutes and 52 hospitals/clinics

2021		ekly tal	Detection rate (%)										
(week)	No. of samples	Detection rate (%)	HAdV	HPIV	HRSV	IFV	HCoV	HRV	HBoV	HMPV			
33	48	29.2	2.1	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	22.9	4.2	0.0			
34	41	36.6	7.3	4.9	0.0	0.0	0.0	22.0	2.4	0.0			
35	54	27.8	14.8	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	13.0	0.0	0.0			
36	56	55.4	23.2	8.9	0.0	0.0	0.0	19.6	3.6	0.0			
Cum.**	199	37.7	12.6	3.5	0.0	0.0	0.0	19.1	2.5	0.0			
2020 Cum. <sup>∀</sup>	5,819	48.6	6.5	0.4	3.1	12.0	3.4	18.4	3.5	1.4			

- 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 August 8, 2021 – September 4, 2021 (Average no. of detected cases is 50 last 4 weeks)

 $\forall$  2020 Cum. : the rate of detected cases between December 29, 2019 – December 26, 2020

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

#### 1. Acute gastroenteritis-causing virus, weeks ending August 28, 2021 (35th Week)

• Detection rate: 25.5% (cumulative mean proportion in 2021: 768 cases [32.3%] out of 2,375 specimens)

- Variation (%p): increase from 21.2% in 34<sup>th</sup> week of 2021
- Sentinel reporting sites: 17 city/provincial health and environmental institutes and 70 hospitals/clinics

			No. of detection (Detection rate, %)											
We	ek	No. of sample	Norovirus		Group A Rotavirus		Enteric Adenovirus		Astrovirus		Sapovirus		Total	
2021	32	50	4	(8.0)	0	(0.0)	3	(6.0)	2	(4.0)	0	(0.0)	9	(18.0)
	33	56	4	(7.1)	0	(0.0)	1	(1.8)	1	(1.8)	0	(0.0)	6	(10.7)
	34	33	4	(12.1)	0	(0.0)	1	(3.0)	2	(6.1)	0	(0.0)	7	(21.2)
	35	55	4	(7.3)	0	(0.0)	7	(12.7)	2	(3.6)	1	(1.8)	14	(25.5)
Cur 202		2,375	593	(25.0)	22	(0.9)	45	(1.9)	105	(4.4)	3	(0.1)	768	(32.3)

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

#### 2. Acute gastroenteritis-causing bacteria, weeks ending August 28, 2021 (35th Week)

- Detection rate: 8.8% (cumulative mean proportion in 2021: 1,173 cases [16.5%] out of 7,092 specimens)
- Variation (%p): decrease from 28.9% in 34<sup>th</sup> week of 2021
- Sentinel reporting sites: 17 city/provincial health and environmental institutes and 70 hospitals/clinics

Week		No. of Sample	No. of isolation (Isolation rate, %)									
			<i>Salmonella</i> spp.	Pathogenic <i>E.coli</i>	<i>Shigella</i> spp.	V.parahae molyticus	V. cholerae	<i>Campylob</i> <i>acter</i> spp.	, ,	S. aureus	B. cereus	Total
2021	32	185	17 (9.2)	14 (7.6)	0 (0.0)	0 (0.0)	0 (0.0)	14 (7.6)	7 (3.8)	14 (7.6)	3 (1.6)	69 (37.3)
	33	218	10 (4.6)	26 (11.9)	0 (0.0)	0 (0.0)	0 (0.0)	13 (6.0)	7 (3.2)	12 (5.5)	3 (1.4)	71 (32.6)
	34	159	11 (6.9)	17 (10.7)	0 (0.0)	0 (0.0)	0 (0.0)	4 (2.5)	1 (0.6)	6 (3.8)	6 (3.8)	46 (28.9)
	35	148	8 (5.4)	1 (0.7)	0 (0.0)	0 (0.0)	0 (0.0)	0 (0.0)	2 (1.4)	1 (0.7)	1 (0.7)	13 (8.8)
Cu 20	ım. 21	7.092	174 (2.5)	268 (3.8)	3 (0.04)	0 (0.0)	0 (0.0)	162 (2.3)	166 (2.3)	277 (3.9)	107 (1.5)	1,173 (16.5)

\* 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 2021 (69 hospitals)

## VI. Laboratory-based Pathogen Surveillance: Enterovirus

#### 1. Enterovirus, weeks ending August 28, 2021 (35th Week)

- Detection rate: 0.0% (0 case / 2 specimens) (cumulative mean proportion in 2021: 1.4% [4 cases / 281 specimens])
  - Aseptic meningitis: 0 case (Cum. 2021: 1 case)
  - HFMD and herpangina: 0 case (Cum. 2021: 1 case)
  - HFMD with complications: 0 case (Cum. 2021: 0 case)
  - Other: 0 case (Cum. 2021: 2 cases)
- Variation (%p): decrease from 50.0% in 34<sup>th</sup> week of 2020
- Sentinel reporting sites: 14 city/provincial health and environmental institutes and 60 hospitals/clinics

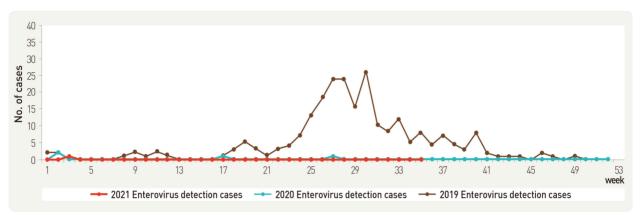


Figure 7. Detection of enterovirus in aseptic meningitis patients from 2019 to 2020

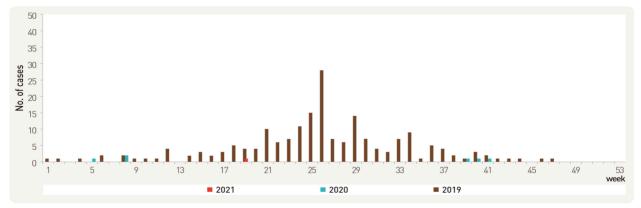


Figure 8. Detection of enterovirus in HFMD and herpangina patients from 2019 to 2020

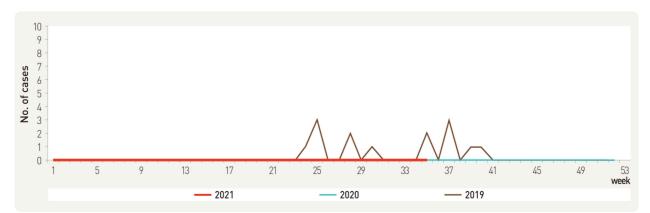


Figure 9. Detection of enterovirus in HFMD with complications patients from 2019 to 2020

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## VII. Vector Surveillance: Malaria Vector Mosquitoes

#### 1. Malaria vector mosquitoes, weeks ending August 28, 2021 (35th Week)

- No. of malaria vector mosquitoes: 5
- Variation: no change from 5 in 34<sup>th</sup> week of 2021
- Sentinel reporting sites: 3 city/province (50 sites)

X No. of mosquitoes: average number of mosquitoes/trap/day

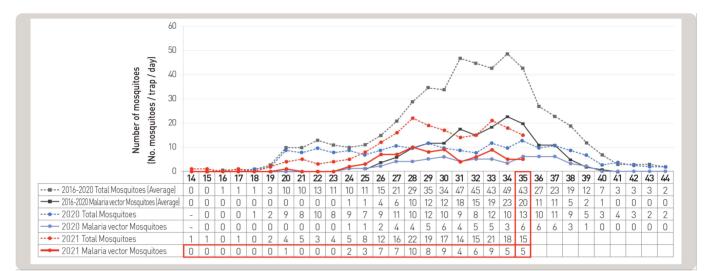


Figure 10. Weekly incidences of malaria vector mosquitoes in 2021

## VIII. Vector Surveillance: Japanese encephalitis vector Mosquitoes

#### 1. Japanese encephalitis vector mosquitoes, weeks ending September 4, 2021 (36th Week)

- No. of Japanese encephalitis vector mosquitoes: 116
  - X JEV: Japanese encephalitis vector
- Variation: increase from 99 in 35th week of 2021
- Sentinel reporting sites: 9 city/provincial health and environmental institutes (9 sites)
   X No. of mosquitoes: average number of mosquitoes/trap/day

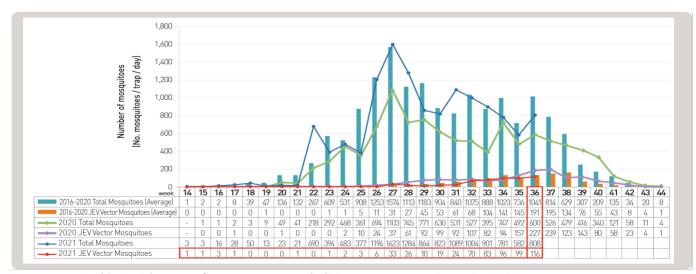


Figure 11. Weekly incidences of Japanese encephalitis vector mosquitoes in 2021

# IX. Vector Surveillance: Scrub typhus vector chigger mites

## 1. Scrub typhus vector chigger mites, weeks ending September 4, 2021 (36th Week)

- Trap index of chigger mites: 0.00
- Variation: decrease from 0.01 in  $36^{th}$  week of 2020
- Sentinel reporting sites: 9 city/province (16 sites)

% Trap index of chigger mites: average number of chigger in 16 sites (320 traps) per week

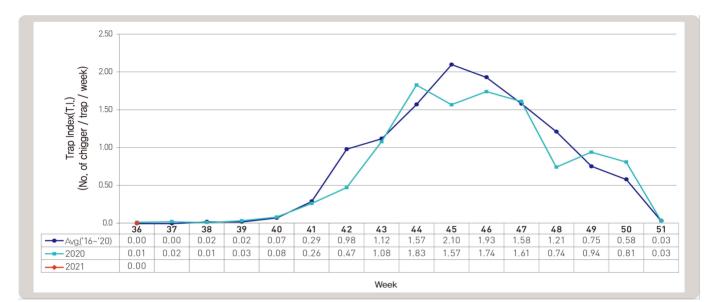


Figure 12. Weekly incidences of scrub typhus vector chiggers in 2021

#### About PHWR Disease Surveillance Statistics

The Public Health Weekly Report (PHWR) Disease Surveillance Statistics is prepared by the Korea Disease Control and Prevention Agency (KCDA). These provisional surveillance data on the reported occurrence of national notifiable diseases and conditions are compiled through population-based or sentinel-based surveillance systems and published weekly, except for data on infrequent or recently-designated diseases. These surveillance statistics are informative for analyzing infectious disease or condition numbers and trends. However, the completeness of data might be influenced by some factors such as a date of symptom or disease onset, diagnosis, laboratory result, reporting of a case to a jurisdiction, or notification to Korea Disease Control and Prevention Agency. The official and final disease statistics are published in infectious disease surveillance yearbook annually.

#### 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. 2021 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	14					
1000	2021			Current							
Year	2021			week							
	2020	X1	X2	X3	X4	X5					
	2019	X6	X7	X8	X9	X10					
	2018	X11	X12	X13	X14	X15					
	2017	X16	X17	X18	X19	X20					
	2016	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 1<sup>st</sup> 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. 2021 and cum. 5-year average.

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