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WEEKLY INFECTIOUS DISEASE BULLETIN

EPIDEMIOLOGICAL WEEK 41 11 - 17 Oct 2026

	E Week 41			Cumulative first 41 Week		
	2026*	2025	Median+ 2021 -2025	2026*	2025	Median 2021 -2025
FOOD/WATER-BORNE DISEASES						
Acute Hepatitis A	0	0	1	68	63	36
Acute Hepatitis E	2	2	2	73	47	42
Campylobacteriosis	6	13	9	450	460	455
Cholera	0	0	0	1	3	3
Paratyphoid	0	0	0	13	13	8
Poliomyelitis	0	0	0	0	1	0
Salmonellosis	25	30	25	1089	1077	1026
Typhoid	1	2	1	47	45	45
VECTOR-BORNE DISEASES						
Chikungunya Fever	0	0	0	7	27	14
Dengue Fever	60	32	141	2680	3527	7874
Dengue Haemorrhagic Fever	0	1	0	23	18	18
Japanese Encephalitis	0	0	0	0	0	0
Leptospirosis	0	3	1	46	57	46
Malaria	0	0	0	29	28	19
Murine Typhus	0	2	0	76	74	14
Nipah Virus Infection	0	0	0	0	0	0
Plague	0	0	0	0	0	0
Yellow Fever	0	0	0	0	0	0
Zika Virus Infection	1	1	0	10	14	12
AIR/DROPLET-BORNE DISEASES						
Avian Influenza	0	0	0	0	0	0
Diphtheria	0	0	0	0	0	0
Haemophilus influenzae type b	0	0	0	0	0	0
Legionellosis	0	1	1	44	42	22
Measles	0	2	0	54	18	6
Meningococcal Disease	0	0	0	4	5	3
Middle East Respiratory Syndrome^	0	0	0	0	0	0
Mumps	3	8	3	173	187	155
Pertussis	3	1	0	106	89	14
Pneumococcal Disease (Invasive)	0	3	2	92	100	89
Rubella	0	0	0	0	0	0
Severe Acute Respiratory Syndrome	0	0	0	0	0	0
OTHER DISEASES						
Acute Hepatitis B	0	1	0	26	23	25
Acute Hepatitis C	0	0	0	11	21	13
Botulism	0	0	0	0	0	0
Ebola Virus Disease	0	0	0	0	0	0
Melioidosis	2	2	1	35	47	46
Mpox#	1	0	NA	46	13	NA
Tetanus	0	0	0	0	0	0
POLYCLINIC ATTENDANCES - AVERAGE DAILY NUMBER						
Acute Upper Respiratory Infections	3061	2715	2508			NA
Acute Conjunctivitis	135	86	58			NA
Acute Diarrhoea	333	442	361			NA
Chickenpox	5	4	4			NA
Hand, Foot And Mouth Disease	16	16	16			NA
HIV/STI/TB NOTIFICATIONS	**2026**	**Sep**		**Cumulative 2026**		
HIV/AIDS	12			115		
Legally Notifiable STIs**	1483			12645		
Tuberculosis	85			745		

* *Provisional figures*

\# *Added to the list of notifiable diseases as of 30 Jun 2022.*

^ *With effect from E-week 27, 2023, only confirmed cases of MERS will be reported, instead of the number of persons tested.*

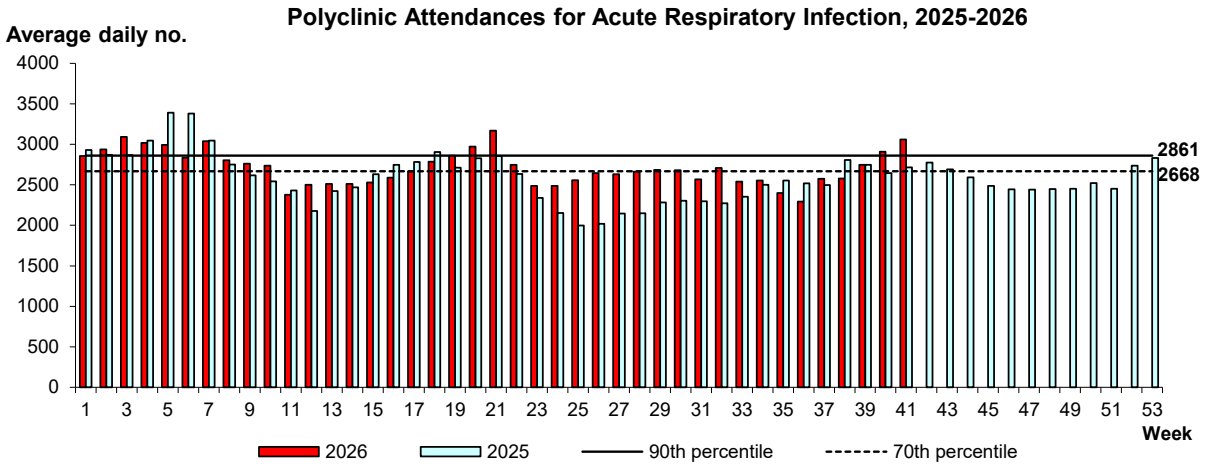
** *With effect from January 2026, national-level STI data will be reported.*

Acute Respiratory Infection (ARI) Situation in Singapore 2026

ARI indicators for E-week 41 (11 - 17 Oct 2026) were as follows:

The average daily number of patients seeking treatment in the polyclinics for ARI was 3061[+] (over 5.5 working days) in E-week 41.

[+] Data is provisional.



In E-week 41, the top respiratory pathogens among adult and paediatric samples from the National Surveillance Programme for Acute Respiratory Infection[§] (ARI) were:

- Adult samples: Influenza (20%), human rhinovirus/enterovirus (20%), and non-SARS seasonal coronaviruses (7%).
- Paediatric samples: Human rhinovirus/enterovirus (33%), influenza (23%), and adenovirus (10%).

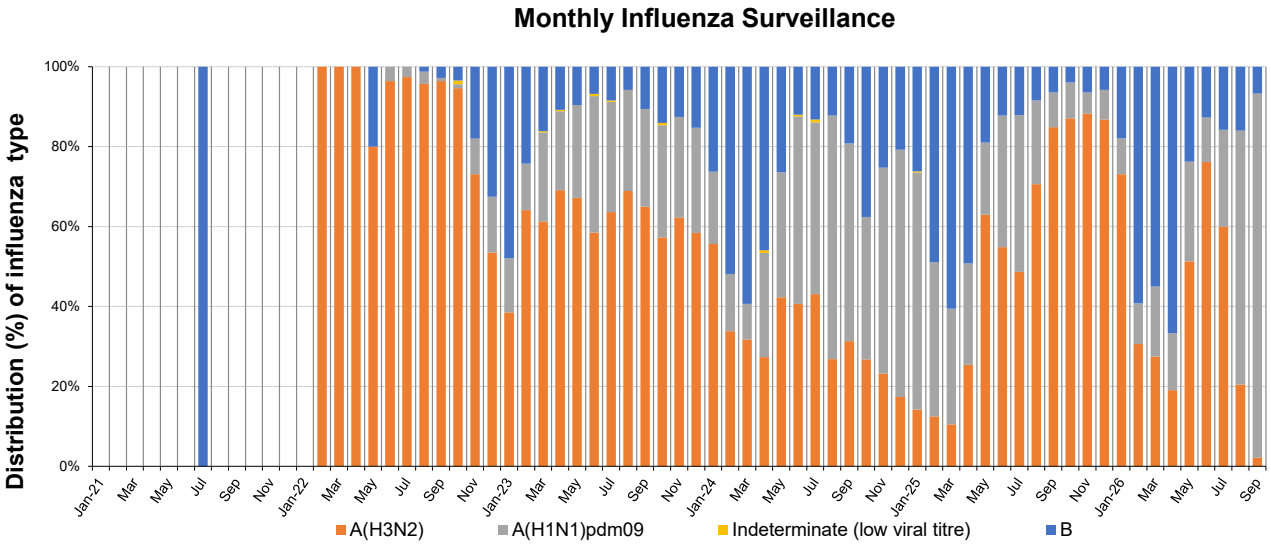
§ CDA monitors the trends of respiratory pathogens in the community through our sentinel surveillance programme for Acute Respiratory Infections (ARI) which includes polyclinics and selected general practitioner (GP) clinics.

COVID-19 and Influenza

The positivity rate for influenza among ILI samples (n= 201) in the community was 34% in E-week 41. The positivity rate for COVID-19 among ARI samples (n= 314) in the community was 2% in E-week 41.

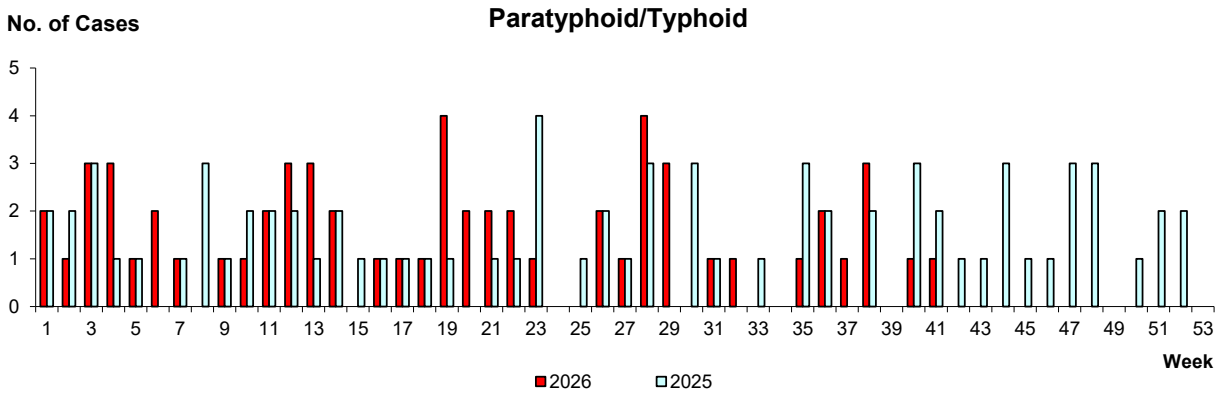
Of the 327 specimens that tested positive for influenza in September 2026, 298 were positive for influenza A(pH1N1) (91.1%), seven were positive for influenza A(H3N2) (2.1%), and 22 were positive for influenza B (6.7%)***.

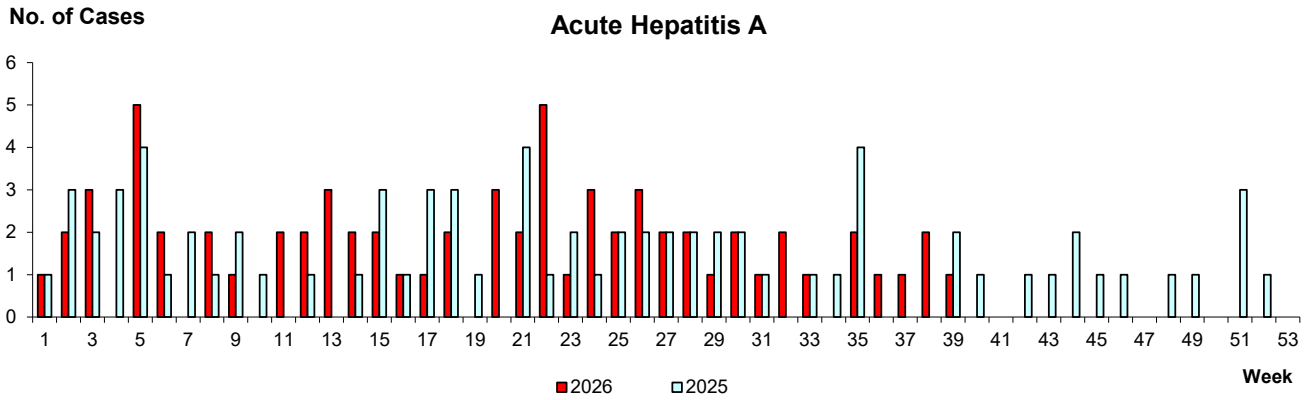
**** Figures may not add to 100% due to rounding.*

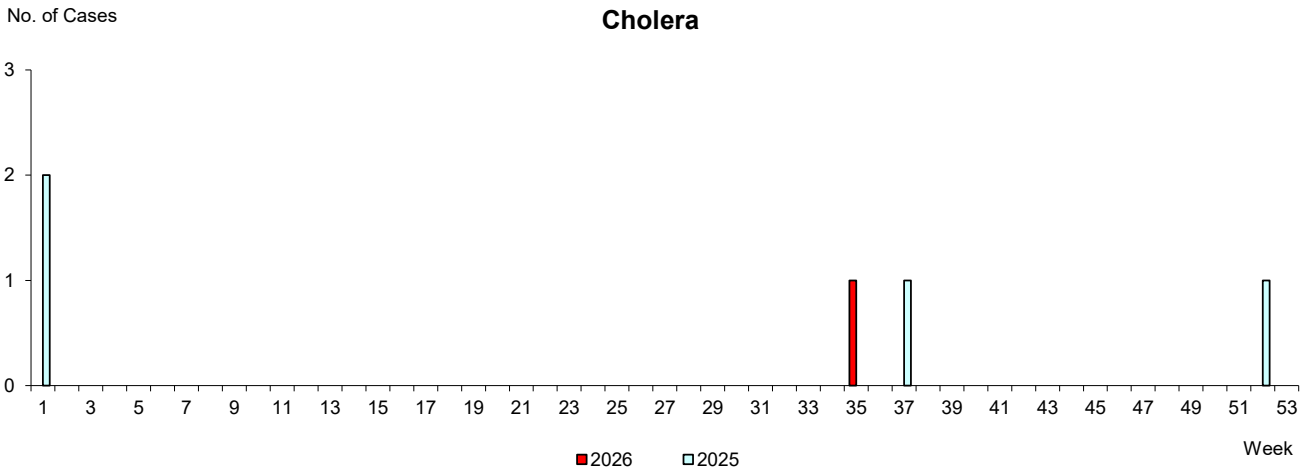


Based on influenza-like illness (ILI) samples from GPs and polyclinics.

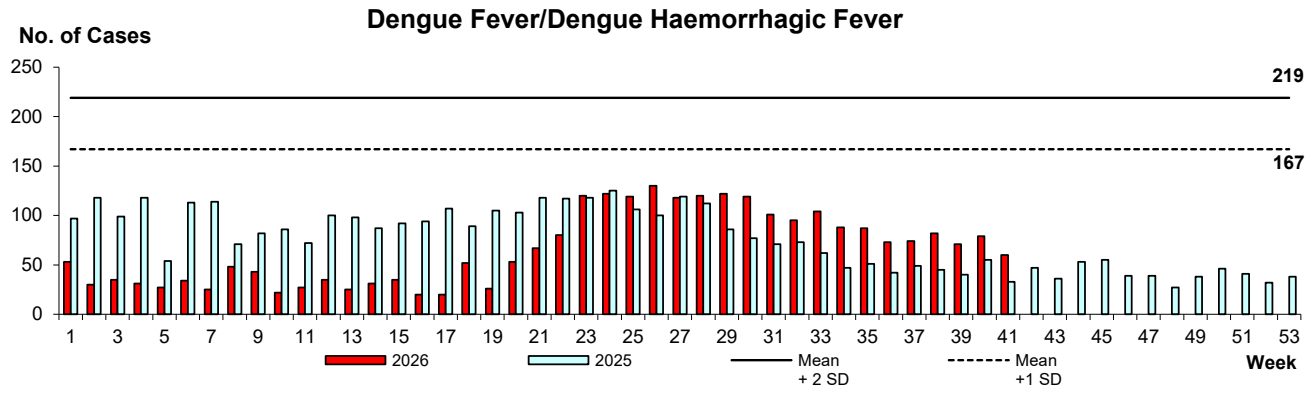
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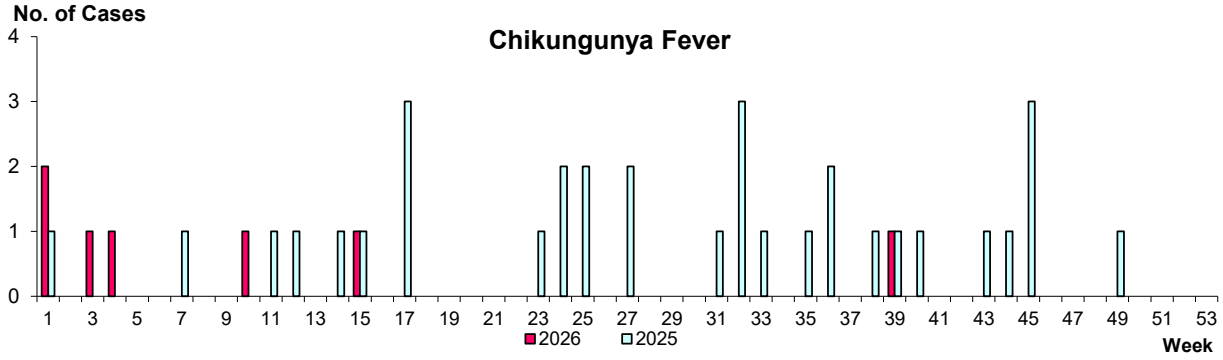


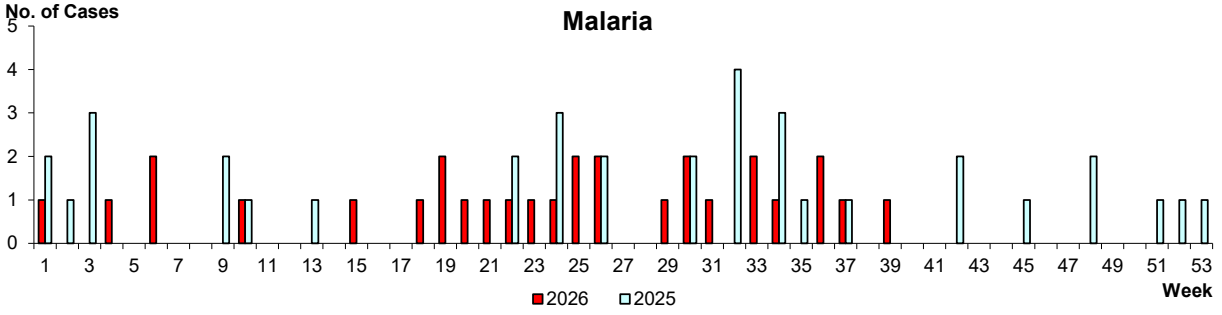
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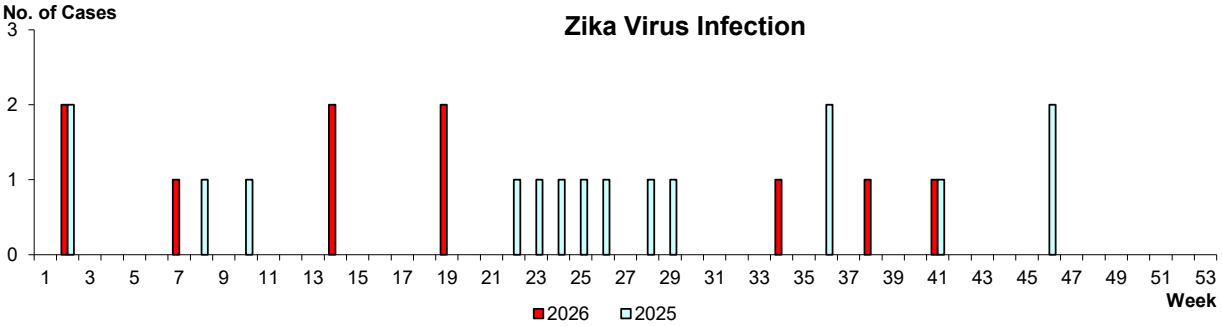


The number of dengue notifications was 60 in E-week 41.
The number of hospital admissions decreased to 5 in E-week 41, compared to 15 in E-week 40.

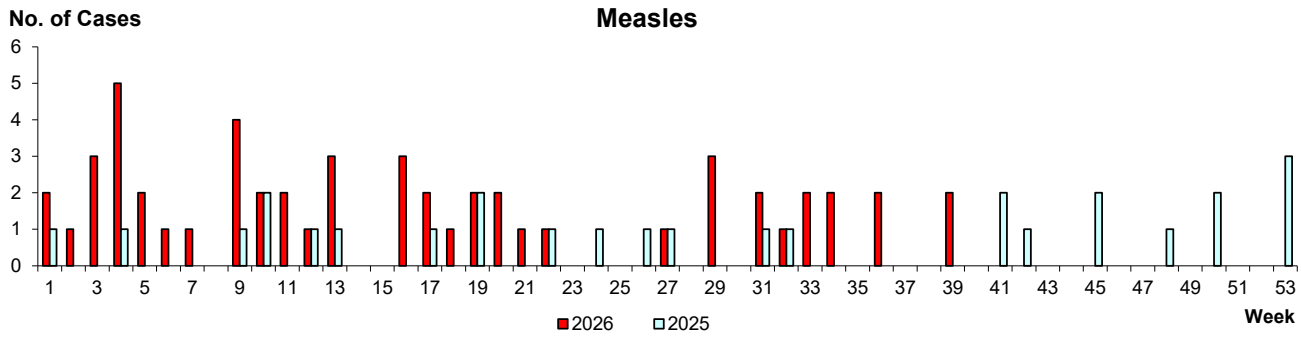
Preliminary results of all positive dengue samples serotyped in Oct 2026 showed DEN-1, DEN-2, DEN-3 and DEN-4 at 51.4%, 13.5%, 35.1% and 0.0% respectively.

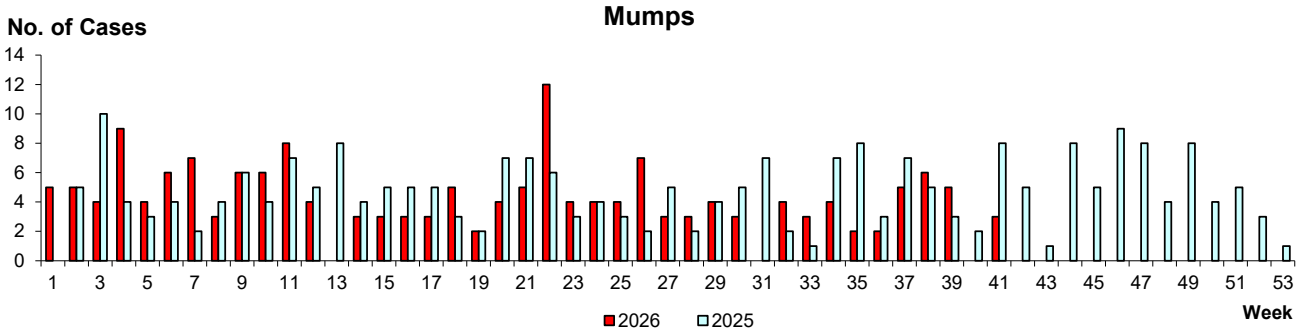


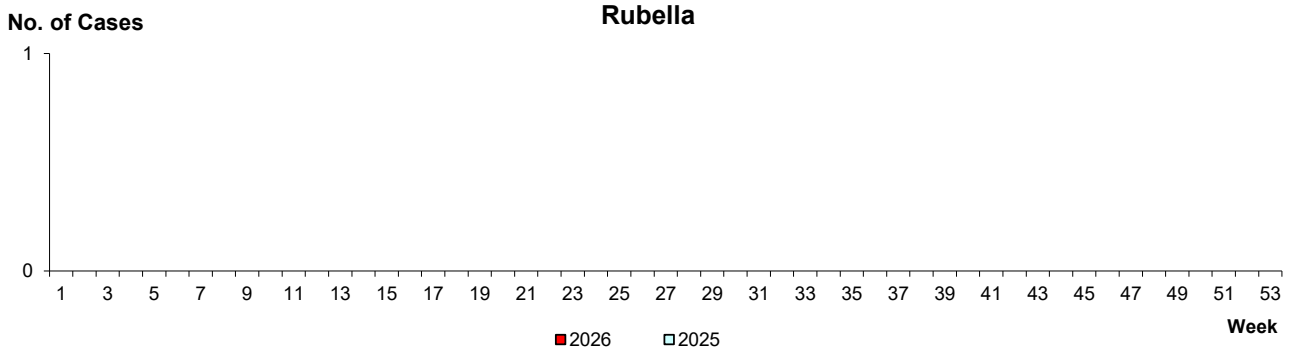




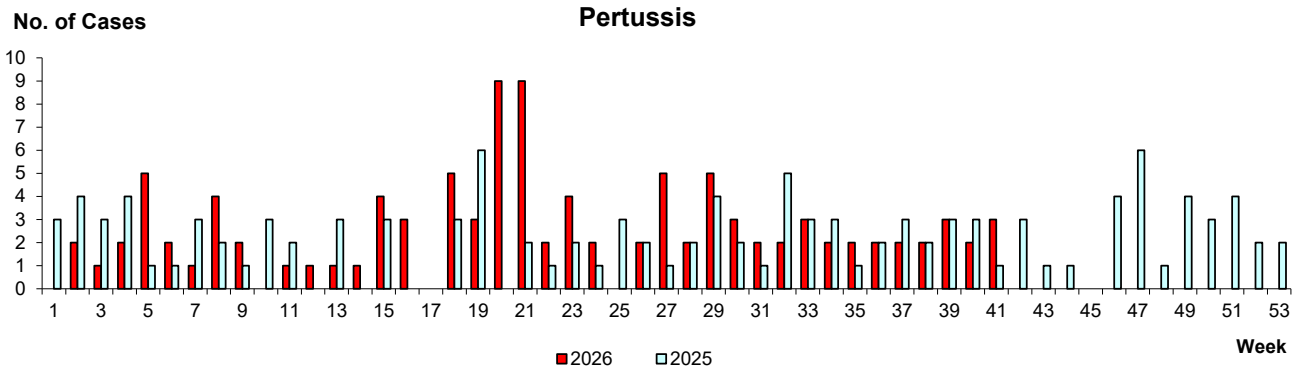
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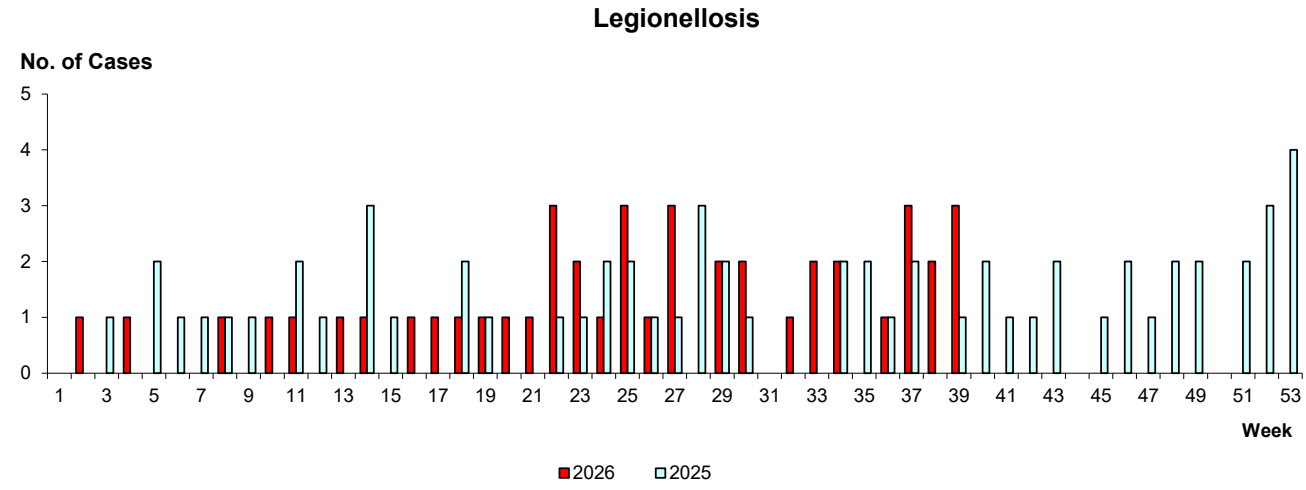






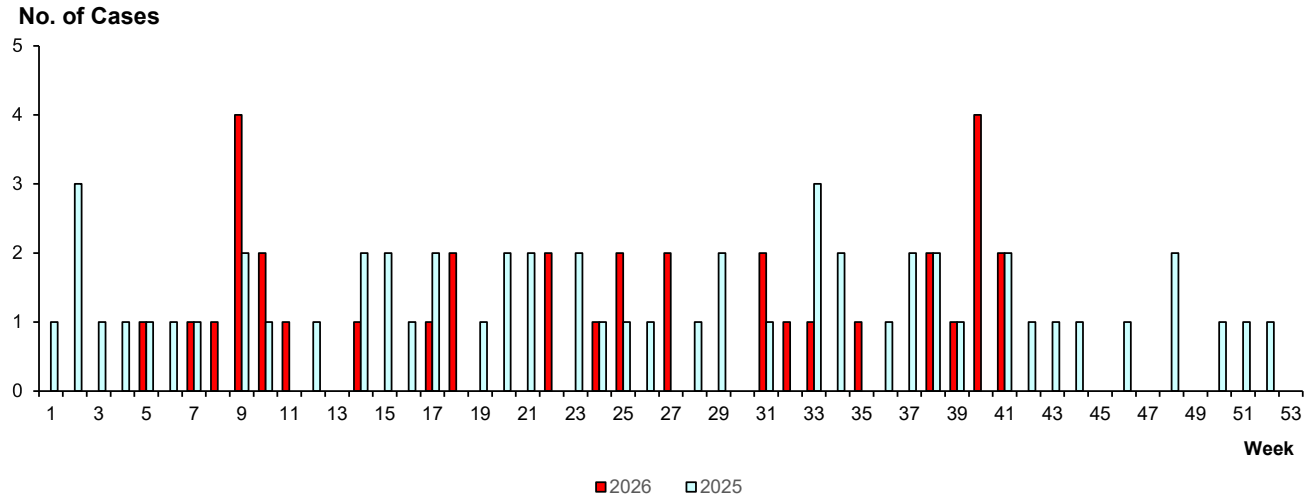
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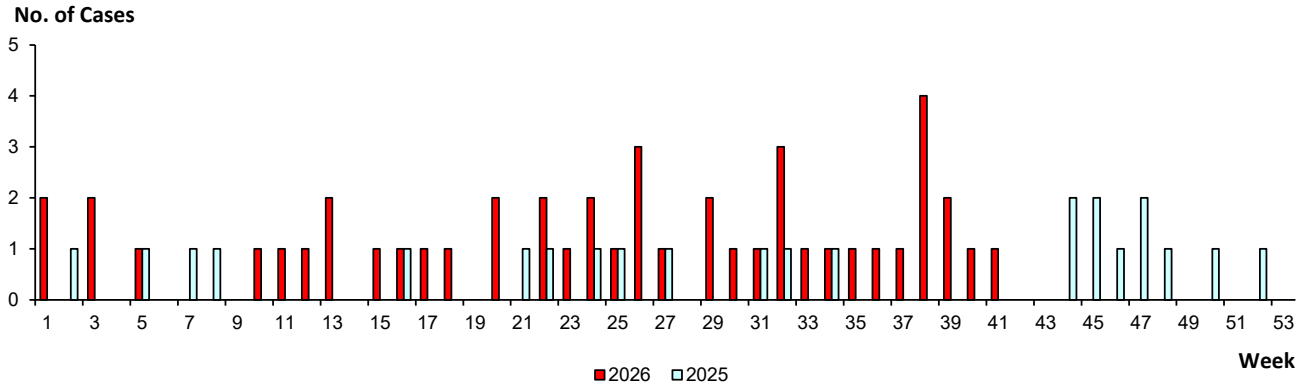


WEEKLY INCIDENCE OF OTHER DISEASES, 2025-2026

Melioidosis

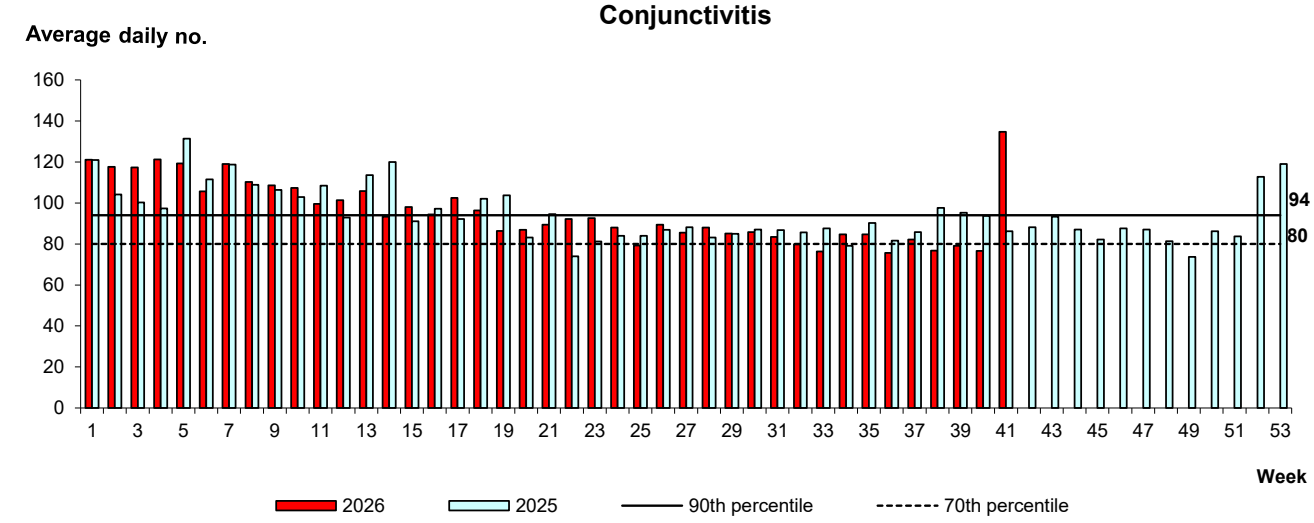


Mpox

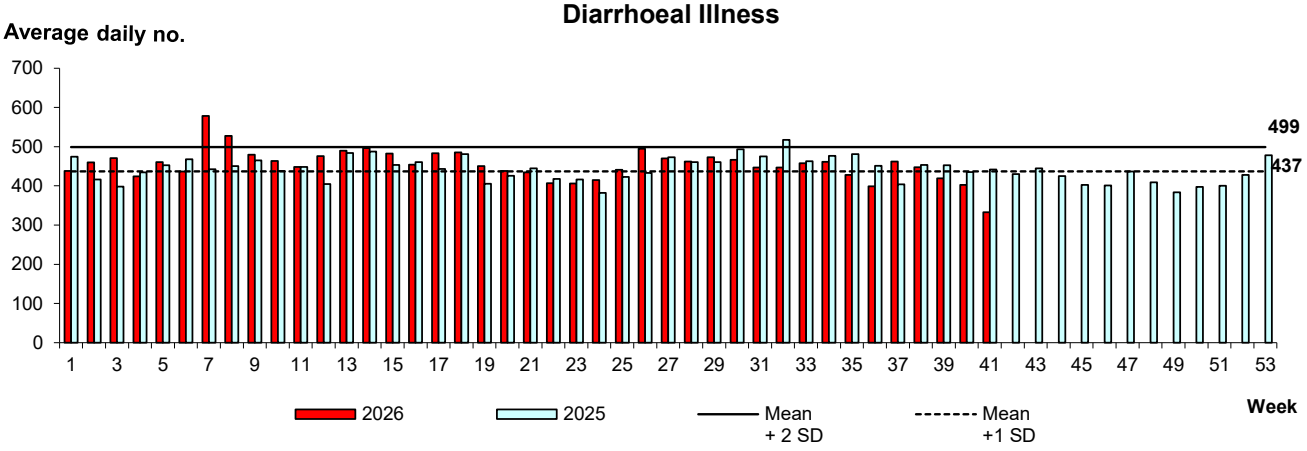


POLYCLINIC ATTENDANCES, 2025-2026

Conjunctivitis



Diarrhoeal Illness



Hand, Foot & Mouth Disease

