

National surveillance data - December 2004

Disease ¹	Current year - 2004 2			Previous year - 2003		
	Dec 2004 cases	Cumulative total since 1 January	Current rate ³	Dec 2003 cases	Cumulative total since 1 January	Previous rate ³
AIDS	6	39	1.0	5	33	0.9
Campylobacteriosis	1395	12235	327.4	1542	14790	395.7
Cryptosporidiosis	20	611	16.3	30	818	21.9
Dengue fever	0	8	0.2	0	55	1.5
Gastroenteritis ⁴	65	1358	36.3	89	1026	27.5
Giardiasis	109	1515	40.5	138	1569	42.0
<i>H. influenzae</i> type b disease	1	4	0.1	1	12	0.3
Hepatitis A	3	49	1.3	5	70	1.9
Hepatitis B (acute) ⁵	3	39	1.0	2	61	1.6
Hepatitis C (acute) ⁵	1	26	0.7	4	40	1.1
Hydatid disease	0	1	0	0	0	0
Influenza ⁶	0	887	23.7	2	1052	28.1
Lead absorption	7	96	2.6	2	119	3.2
Legionellosis	2	63	1.7	17	77	2.1
Leprosy	0	3	0.1	0	4	0.1
Leptospirosis	8	105	2.8	8	113	3.0
Listeriosis	2	26	0.7	2	24	0.6
Malaria	2	33	0.9	3	46	1.2
Measles	8	34	0.9	12	67	1.8
Meningococcal disease ⁷	19	346	9.3	27	542	14.5
Mumps	4	46	1.2	8	56	1.5
Paratyphoid	0	23	0.6	4	18	0.5
Pertussis	538	3492	93.4	70	584	15.6
Rheumatic fever	3	74	2.0	10	151	4.0
Rickettsial disease	0	2	0.1	0	1	0
Rubella	4	25	0.7	3	26	0.7
Salmonellosis	80	1095	29.3	126	1401	37.5
SARS	0	0	0	0	0	0
Shigellosis	11	140	3.7	7	87	2.3
Tetanus	0	1	0	0	2	0.1
Tuberculosis	41	375	10.0	42	421	11.3
Typhoid	0	31	0.8	0	20	0.5
VTEC / STEC infection	6	89	2.4	5	104	2.8
Yersiniosis	27	422	11.3	40	439	11.7

Notes: ¹ Other notifiable infectious diseases reported in December : Nil

² These data are provisional

³ Rate is based on the cumulative total for the current year (12 months up to and including December 2004) or the previous year (12 months up to and including December 2003), expressed as cases per 100 000

⁴ Cases of gastroenteritis from a common source or foodborne intoxication eg, staphylococcal intoxication or toxic shellfish poisoning

⁵ Only acute cases of this disease are currently notifiable

⁶ Surveillance data based on laboratory-reported cases only

⁷ These totals and rates are based on the EpiSurv report date as opposed to the earliest available date used in the meningococcal disease section