

National surveillance data - July 2003

Disease ¹	Current year - 2003 ²			Previous year - 2002		
	Jul 2003 cases	Cumulative total since 1 January	Current rate ³	Jul 2002 cases	Cumulative total since 1 January	Previous rate ³
AIDS	5	21	0.7	1	11	0.6
Campylobacteriosis	1064	7534	356.1	1006	6717	330.5
Cryptosporidiosis	16	260	26.5	53	243	24.1
Dengue fever	3	53	1.9	13	52	3.2
Gastroenteritis ⁴	71	588	29.2	62	585	27.3
Giardiasis	110	912	39.5	128	982	43.9
<i>H. influenzae</i> type b disease	2	8	0.2	0	3	0.2
Hepatitis A	5	42	1.6	1	89	3.1
Hepatitis B (acute) ⁵	6	39	1.8	6	41	1.6
Hepatitis C (acute) ⁵	4	19	1.1	3	30	1.5
Hydatid disease	0	0	0.1	0	0	0.1
Influenza ⁶	645	728	26.5	230	436	18.1
Lead absorption	6	78	3.0	8	57	2.6
Legionellosis	8	41	1.6	8	32	1.2
Leprosy	0	2	0.1	1	3	0.1
Leptospirosis	5	59	2.9	14	90	3.6
Listeriosis	2	16	0.7	2	9	0.5
Malaria	5	26	1.2	6	44	1.6
Measles	8	34	1.1	3	13	1.7
Meningococcal disease ⁷	91	317	15.5	65	294	16.5
Mumps	11	35	1.7	4	35	1.6
Paratyphoid	0	8	0.3	2	12	0.8
Pertussis	46	304	21.4	83	574	25.1
Rheumatic fever	7	64	2.7	4	57	2.2
Rickettsial disease	0	0	0.1	0	2	0.2
Rubella	2	14	0.6	1	23	0.9
Salmonellosis	75	865	39.5	95	1267	64.9
SARS	0	1	0	0	0	0
Shigellosis	15	60	2.5	12	79	3.3
Tetanus	0	2	0.1	0	1	0.1
Tuberculosis	36	229	11.0	40	201	9.6
Typhoid	1	13	0.5	2	19	0.7
VTEC / STEC infection	6	68	2.5	7	48	2.2
Yersiniosis	35	235	11.1	30	295	13.1

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

² These data are provisional

³ Rate is based on the cumulative total for the current year (12 months up to and including July 2003) or the previous year (12 months up to and including July 2002), 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