

National surveillance data - December 2006

Disease ¹	Current year - 2006 ²			Previous year - 2005		
	Dec 2006 cases	Cumulative total since 1 January	Current 12-month rate ³	Dec 2005 cases	Cumulative total since 1 January	Previous 12-month rate ³
AIDS ⁴	1	29	0.8	2	48	1.3
Campylobacteriosis	1417	15785	422.4	1610	13836	370.2
Cryptosporidiosis	33	733	19.6	26	889	23.8
Dengue fever	3	19	0.5	1	11	0.3
Gastroenteritis ⁵	57	926	24.8	18	557	14.9
Giardiasis	77	1210	32.4	106	1231	32.9
<i>H. influenzae</i> type b disease	0	9	0.2	0	7	0.2
Hepatitis A	4	123	3.3	7	51	1.4
Hepatitis B (acute) ⁶	4	66	1.8	9	60	1.6
Hepatitis C (acute) ⁶	2	35	0.9	2	29	0.8
Hydatid disease	0	0	0	0	2	0.1
Influenza ⁷	0	762	20.4	3	841	22.5
Lead absorption	2	78	2.1	6	71	1.9
Legionellosis	8	57	1.5	9	85	2.3
Leprosy	1	4	0.1	1	2	0.1
Leptospirosis	2	88	2.4	5	85	2.3
Listeriosis	3	19	0.5	3	20	0.5
Malaria	2	30	0.8	1	32	0.9
Measles	1	19	0.5	0	19	0.5
Meningococcal disease ⁸	14	158	4.2	11	226	6.0
Mumps	8	50	1.3	2	61	1.6
Paratyphoid fever	2	23	0.6	1	25	0.7
Pertussis	25	1116	29.9	173	2719	72.8
Rheumatic fever	3	104	2.8	5	79	2.1
Rickettsial disease	0	7	0.2	0	1	0
Rubella	1	10	0.3	0	13	0.3
Salmonellosis	92	1327	35.5	119	1382	37.0
SARS	0	0	0	0	0	0
Shigellosis	8	102	2.7	16	183	4.9
Tetanus	0	1	0	0	1	0
Tuberculosis	21	362	9.7	24	340	9.1
Typhoid fever	9	41	1.1	3	30	0.8
VTEC / STEC infection	2	87	2.3	5	92	2.5
Yersiniosis	41	485	13.0	22	407	10.9

Notes: ¹ Other notifiable infectious diseases reported in December: Creutzfeldt-Jakob disease

² These data are provisional.

³ Rate is based on the cumulative total for the current year (12 months up to and including December 2006) or the previous year (12 months up to and including December 2005), expressed as cases per 100 000

⁴ All Aids data is provisional. Further information is available from the Aids Epidemiology Group, University of Otago.

⁵ Cases of gastroenteritis from a common source or foodborne intoxication. Eg: staphylococcal intoxication

⁶ Only acute cases of this disease are currently notifiable

⁷ Surveillance data based on laboratory-reported cases only (as reported in ESR's Virology Weekly Reports). The monthly total may differ from the Influenza disease section as the latter is based on the date a specimen is taken

⁸ These totals and rates are based on the EpiSurv report date as opposed to the earliest available date used in the meningococcal disease section