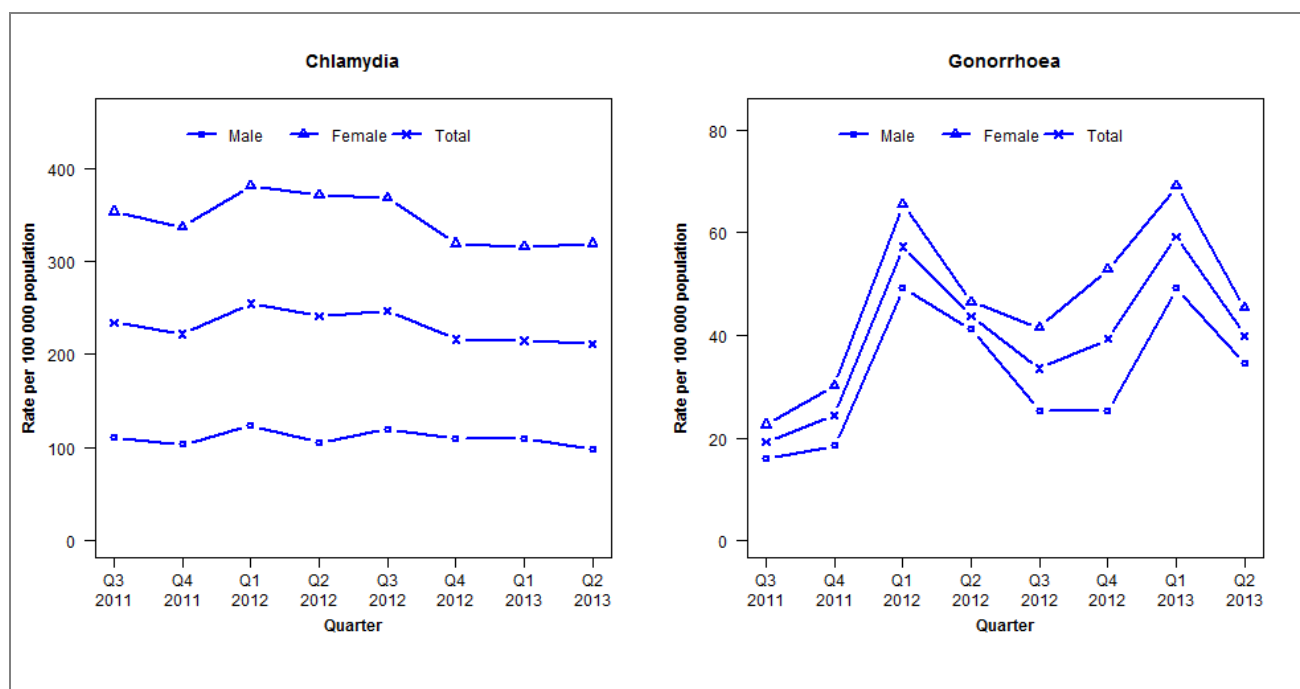


Laboratory surveillance of chlamydia and gonorrhoea: April - June 2013

Quarterly chlamydia and gonorrhoea rates (female, male and total population), Jul 2011 to Jun 2013



Denominator = Statistics New Zealand mid-year population estimates

Note: New data processing procedures from Q1 2013 may have impacted slightly on the counts and rates produced.

NAAT (nucleic acid amplification testing) for gonorrhoea testing introduced during Q4 2011

Number of lab confirmed chlamydia cases (female, male and total population) and number of tests per 100 000 population, July 2011 to June 2013

	Q3 2011	Q4 2011	Q1 2012	Q2 2012	Q3 2012	Q4 2012	Q1 2013	Q2 2013
Number of lab-confirmed cases¹	365	346	396	374	383	336	334	328
<i>Female</i>	281	268	303	295	293	254	251	254
<i>Male</i>	84	78	93	79	90	82	82	74
Tests per 100 000 population²	2046	1807	1997	1856	1949	1849	1914	1936

¹Total includes cases where sex is not reported

²Denominator = Statistics New Zealand mid-year population estimates

Number of lab confirmed gonorrhoea cases (female, male and total population) and number of tests per 100 000 population, July 2011 to June 2013

	Q3 2011	Q4 2011	Q1 2012	Q2 2012	Q3 2012	Q4 2012	Q1 2013	Q2 2013
Number of lab-confirmed cases¹	30	38	89	68	52	61	92	62
<i>Female</i>	18	24	52	37	33	42	55	36
<i>Male</i>	12	14	37	31	19	19	37	26
Tests per 100 000 population²	796	1912	1997	1856	1949	1849	2390	2382

¹Total includes cases where sex is not reported

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