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I. National Notifiable Infectious Diseases

1. Reported cases, week ending September 11, 2021 (37th Week)*

Unit: no. of cases[†]

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		Current	Cum.	5-year		Total no.	of cases	s by year		Imported cases of current week
Class	sification of disease [‡]	week	2021	weekly average	2020	2019	2018	2017	2016	: Country (no. of cases)
Category	II									•
	Tuberculosis	396	13,767	472	19,933	23,821	26,433	28,161	30,892	
	Varicella	284	14,756	722	31,430	82,868	96,467	80,092	54,060	
	Measles	0	0	0	6	194	15	7	18	
	Cholera	0	0	0	0	1	2	5	4	
	Typhoid fever	13	102	2	39	94	213	128	121	
	Paratyphoid fever	24	122	2	58	55	47	73	56	
	Shigellosis	0	20	2	29	151	191	112	113	
	EHEC	9	188	4	270	146	121	138	104	
	Viral hepatitis A	64	4,517	148	3,989	17,598	2,437	4,419	4,679	
	Pertussis	0	14	9	123	496	980	318	129	
	Mumps	166	5,894	271	9,922	15,967	19,237	16,924	17,057	
	Rubella	0	0	0	0	8	0	7	11	
	Meningococcal disease	0	1	0	5	16	14	17	6	
	Pneumococcal disease	4	170	5	345	526	670	523	441	
	Hansen's disease	0	3	0	3	4				
	Scarlet fever	15	512	156	2,300	7,562	15,777	22,838	11,911	
	VRSA	0	1	0	9	3	0	0	-	
	CRE	273	11,525	313	18,113	15,369	11,954	5,717	-	
	Viral hepatitis E	4	293	9	191	-	-	-	-	
Category	III									
	Tetanus	0	19	1	30	31	31	34	24	
	Viral hepatitis B	5	291	7	382	389	392	391	359	
	Japanese encephalitis	0	2	2	7	34	17	9	28	
	Viral hepatitis C	125	7,219	194	11,849	9,810	10,811	6,396	-	
	Malaria	4	242	16	385	559	576	515	673	
	Legionellosis	9	242	7	368	501	305	198	128	
	Vibrio vulnificus sepsis	2	27	4	70	42	47	46	56	
	Murine typhus	0	18	0	1	14	16	18	18	
	Scrub typhus	9	644	44	4,479	4,005	6,668	10,528	11,105	
	Leptospirosis	8	110	4	114	138	118	103	117	
	Brucellosis	0	5	0	8	1	5	6	4	
	HFRS	1	138	8	270	399	433	531	575	
	HIV/AIDS	21	498	20	818	1,006	989	1,008	1,060	
	CJD	0	66	1	64	53	53	36	42	
	Dengue fever	0	1	5	43	273	159	171	313	
	Q fever	0	35	2	69	162	163	96	81	
	Lyme Borreliosis	0	0	1	18	23	23	31	27	
	Melioidosis	0	0	0	1	8	2	2	4	
	Chikungunya fever	0	0	0	1	16	3	5	10	
	SFTS	4	93	8	243	223	259	272	165	
	Zika virus infection	0	0	0	1	3	3	11	16	

Abbreviation: EHEC= Enterohemorrhagic Escherichia coli, VRSA= Vancomycin-resistant Staphylococcus aureus, CRE= Carbapenem-resistant Enterobacteriaceae, HFRS= Hemorrhagic fever with renal syndrome, CID= Creutzfeldt-Jacob Disease, SFTS= Severe fever with thrombocytopenia syndrome.

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						Diseases	of Categor	y II			<u> </u>	i cases
Reporting area	Tu	uberculos	sis	_	Varicella	=	_	Measles	=	=	Cholera	
uicu	Current week	Cum. 2021	Cum. 5-year average [§]	Current week	Cum. 2021	Cum. 5-year average [§]	Current week	Cum. 2021	Cum. 5-year average§	Current week	Cum. 2021	Cum. 5-year average§
Overall	396	13,767	18,682	284	14,756	45,571	0	0	42	0	0	2
Seoul	63	2,248	3,379	59	1,852	5,118	0	0	6	0	0	0
Busan	37	947	1,268	8	920	2,551	0	0	2	0	0	1
Daegu	19	664	883	14	631	2,438	0	0	2	0	0	0
Incheon	13	708	985	20	788	2,266	0	0	2	0	0	0
Gwangju	11	322	463	7	496	1,600	0	0	0	0	0	0
Daejeon	3	294	414	7	421	1,305	0	0	5	0	0	0
Ulsan	4	256	391	7	312	1,372	0	0	1	0	0	0
Sejong	0	62	66	3	185	504	0	0	15	0	0	0
Gyonggi	92	3,131	4,025	53	4,243	12,626	0	0	0	0	0	0
Gangwon	15	596	792	13	436	1,188	0	0	1	0	0	0
Chungbuk	17	451	580	10	524	1,248	0	0	0	0	0	0
Chungnam	20	673	893	4	583	1,684	0	0	1	0	0	0
Jeonbuk	19	555	738	7	541	1,866	0	0	1	0	0	0
Jeonnam	22	754	978	19	771	1,802	0	0	2	0	0	0
Gyeongbuk	30	1,038	1,363	17	717	2,486	0	0	2	0	0	0
Gyeongnam	25	904	1,222	34	1,101	4,281	0	0	2	0	0	1
Jeju	6	164	242	2	235	1,236	0	0	0	0	0	0

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Reporting area	Тур	ohoid fe	/er	Para	typhoid	fever	S	Shigellosis	;		ohemorrh herichia d	
urcu	Current week	Cum. 2021	Cum. 5-year average§	Current week	Cum. 2021	Cum. 5-year average§	Current week	Cum. 2021	Cum. 5-year average§	Current week	Cum. 2021	Cum. 5-year average§
Overall	13	102	96	24	122	45	0	20	88	9	188	126
Seoul	0	5	19	0	1	7	0	2	21	0	16	16
Busan	1	16	9	11	54	6	0	2	6	0	7	4
Daegu	2	4	3	0	7	4	0	0	6	0	11	5
Incheon	0	2	7	0	0	2	0	0	7	0	6	8
Gwangju	0	2	1	3	10	2	0	1	3	1	36	10
Daejeon	0	8	3	3	7	1	0	0	1	0	11	2
Ulsan	0	6	3	0	3	0	0	0	1	0	3	4
Sejong	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	1
Gyonggi	5	29	23	0	10	8	0	7	18	2	30	40
Gangwon	0	3	2	2	6	2	0	0	2	0	4	5
Chungbuk	0	0	3	0	1	2	0	0	2	0	4	3
Chungnam	0	4	5	0	1	1	0	0	6	0	3	4
Jeonbuk	0	0	1	0	2	2	0	0	2	0	4	2
Jeonnam	0	4	2	2	8	2	0	5	4	1	17	7
Gyeongbuk	0	3	4	2	3	2	0	1	5	3	18	6
Gyeongnam	5	16	7	1	6	3	0	0	3	0	7	4
Jeju	0	0	3	0	3	1	0	2	1	2	7	5

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						Diseases	of Categor	у II				
Reporting area	Vira	ıl hepatit	tis A		Pertussis			Mumps			Rubella	
dicu	Current week	Cum. 2021	Cum. 5-year average§	Current week	Cum. 2021	Cum. 5-year average [§]	Current week	Cum. 2021	Cum. 5-year average§	Current week	Cum. 2021	Cum. 5-year average§
Overall	64	4,517	5,215	0	14	275	166	5,894	11,624	0	0	2
Seoul	18	902	985	0	1	33	8	683	1,329	0	0	1
Busan	1	61	198	0	0	26	17	350	680	0	0	0
Daegu	0	48	82	0	0	9	5	250	443	0	0	0
Incheon	0	374	355	0	2	16	10	291	567	0	0	0
Gwangju	0	81	78	0	0	14	9	178	487	0	0	0
Daejeon	4	123	541	0	0	7	5	185	327	0	0	0
Ulsan	1	18	38	0	0	8	8	192	368	0	0	0
Sejong	1	33	86	0	0	4	0	58	60	0	0	0
Gyonggi	19	1,873	1,582	0	4	45	21	1,682	3,175	0	0	1
Gangwon	3	99	95	0	0	2	10	231	383	0	0	0
Chungbuk	5	179	253	0	1	7	13	142	291	0	0	0
Chungnam	7	330	393	0	0	5	5	255	498	0	0	0
Jeonbuk	0	117	198	0	0	5	9	265	537	0	0	0
Jeonnam	1	85	95	0	0	14	17	303	494	0	0	0
Gyeongbuk	2	67	96	0	4	18	9	253	599	0	0	0
Gyeongnam	0	33	114	0	2	58	17	474	1,210	0	0	0
Jeju	2	94	26	0	0	4	3	102	176	0	0	0

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		Di	seases of	Category	II			Di	iseases of	Category I	II: no. of	cases
Reporting area	Mening	ococcal	disease	Sc	arlet fev	er		Tetanus		Vira	l hepatiti	s B
area	Current week	Cum. 2021	Cum. 5-year average§	Current week	Cum. 2021	Cum. 5-year average§	Current week	Cum. 2021	Cum. 5-year average§	Current week	Cum. 2021	Cum. 5-year average [§]
Overall	0	1	9	15	512	8,986	0	19	21	5	291	264
Seoul	0	0	2	1	51	1,218	0	3	2	1	31	47
Busan	0	0	0	2	32	626	0	1	2	1	21	18
Daegu	0	0	1	1	8	302	0	2	2	0	8	9
Incheon	0	0	1	1	32	430	0	0	1	0	16	14
Gwangju	0	0	0	1	68	459	0	0	1	0	11	5
Daejeon	0	0	0	2	10	337	0	2	1	0	3	10
Ulsan	0	0	0	0	28	392	0	0	0	0	4	5
Sejong	0	0	0	0	2	52	0	0	0	0	4	0
Gyonggi	0	0	2	1	128	2,600	0	2	2	2	101	64
Gangwon	0	0	1	1	9	142	0	0	0	0	9	8
Chungbuk	0	0	0	2	12	162	0	2	0	0	7	10
Chungnam	0	0	0	0	16	388	0	3	2	0	25	14
Jeonbuk	0	0	0	1	11	303	0	1	1	0	10	14
Jeonnam	0	0	0	1	32	340	0	0	3	0	10	13
Gyeongbuk	0	0	1	0	18	456	0	2	2	1	13	13
Gyeongnam	0	1	1	1	39	668	0	1	2	0	14	17
Jeju	0	0	0	0	16	111	0	0	0	0	4	3

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Reporting area	Japane	se ence	ohalitis		Malaria		Le	gionellos	is	Vibrio	vulnificus	sepsis
	Current week	Cum. 2021	Cum. 5-year average§	Current week	Cum. 2021	Cum. 5-year average [§]	Current week	Cum. 2021	Cum. 5-year average§	Current week	Cum. 2021	Cum. 5-year average§
Overall	0	2	5	4	242	464	9	242	205	2	27	31
Seoul	0	0	1	1	27	66	0	46	58	0	2	5
Busan	0	0	0	0	2	6	1	7	12	0	5	3
Daegu	0	0	1	0	1	6	0	14	7	0	0	0
Incheon	0	0	0	1	39	63	0	10	15	0	1	2
Gwangju	0	1	1	0	0	5	0	6	4	0	0	0
Daejeon	0	0	0	0	3	3	0	3	2	0	0	0
Ulsan	0	0	0	0	2	3	0	3	2	0	1	1
Sejong	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
Gyonggi	0	0	0	2	150	264	3	54	48	0	4	5
Gangwon	0	0	0	0	7	14	0	4	7	0	0	0
Chungbuk	0	0	1	0	2	4	1	6	8	0	1	0
Chungnam	0	0	0	0	4	7	0	3	6	0	1	3
Jeonbuk	0	0	0	0	0	3	1	10	5	0	1	1
Jeonnam	0	0	1	0	2	3	1	24	6	1	3	5
Gyeongbuk	0	0	0	0	2	6	1	13	13	0	2	1
Gyeongnam	0	0	0	0	1	7	1	9	7	1	6	4
Jeju	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	30	5	0	0	1

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						Diseases	of Category	y III				
Reporting area	Mu	rine typł	nus	Sci	rub typh	ius	Le	ptospiros	is	В	rucellosis	
	Current week	Cum. 2021	Cum. 5-year average§	Current week	Cum. 2021	Cum. 5-year average§	Current week	Cum. 2021	Cum. 5-year average [§]	Current week	Cum. 2021	Cum. 5-year average [§]
Overall	0	18	7	9	644	924	8	110	54	0	5	2
Seoul	0	0	1	0	14	39	0	2	3	0	0	1
Busan	0	0	0	1	32	34	0	7	2	0	0	0
Daegu	0	0	0	0	14	7	0	1	1	0	0	0
Incheon	0	12	1	0	6	17	0	5	1	0	0	0
Gwangju	0	0	1	0	13	20	0	3	2	0	0	0
Daejeon	0	0	0	0	10	21	0	3	1	0	0	0
Ulsan	0	0	0	0	5	23	0	1	1	0	0	0
Sejong	0	0	0	0	1	5	0	0	0	0	0	0
Gyonggi	0	3	1	1	47	90	2	23	9	0	4	0
Gangwon	0	0	0	0	6	18	3	15	3	0	0	0
Chungbuk	0	0	0	1	13	17	2	12	3	0	0	0
Chungnam	0	0	1	1	45	94	0	14	8	0	0	0
Jeonbuk	0	0	0	0	159	92	0	8	4	0	0	1
Jeonnam	0	1	1	4	170	226	1	5	6	0	1	0
Gyeongbuk	0	0	0	0	10	57	0	9	5	0	0	0
Gyeongnam	0	0	1	1	91	152	0	2	4	0	0	0
Jeju	0	2	0	0	8	12	0	0	1	0	0	0

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						Diseases	of Category	y III				
Reporting area		orrhagic renal sync		Creutzfel	dt-Jacob	Disease	De	ngue fev	er		Q fever	
	Current week	Cum. 2021	Cum. 5-year average§	Current week	Cum. 2021	Cum. 5-year average§	Current week	Cum. 2021	Cum. 5-year average§	Current week	Cum. 2021	Cum. 5-year average§
Overall	1	138	202	0	66	36	0	1	141	0	35	84
Seoul	0	1	8	0	5	10	0	0	43	0	3	4
Busan	0	0	6	0	6	2	0	0	9	0	2	1
Daegu	0	5	2	0	4	1	0	0	8	0	0	2
Incheon	0	2	3	0	4	1	0	0	7	0	1	2
Gwangju	0	3	3	0	1	1	0	0	1	0	1	3
Daejeon	0	1	3	0	6	2	0	0	2	0	3	2
Ulsan	0	1	1	0	0	1	0	0	3	0	1	2
Sejong	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Gyonggi	0	14	46	0	16	9	0	0	39	0	2	12
Gangwon	0	9	9	0	5	1	0	1	3	0	0	0
Chungbuk	0	1	13	0	5	1	0	0	3	0	5	19
Chungnam	0	18	23	0	2	1	0	0	5	0	10	11
Jeonbuk	0	48	22	0	3	1	0	0	3	0	1	5
Jeonnam	1	22	32	0	3	1	0	0	3	0	1	11
Gyeongbuk	0	6	20	0	1	2	0	0	4	0	3	4
Gyeongnam	0	7	10	0	5	2	0	0	6	0	2	6
Jeju	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0

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				Diseas	es of Catego	ory III			
Reporting area	Lym	ne Borrelio	sis	Severe fever	with thrombo	ocytopenia	Zika	virus infect	ion
	Current week	Cum. 2021	Cum. 5-year average [§]	Current week	Cum. 2021	Cum. 5-year average [§]	Current week	Cum. 2021	Cum. 5-year average [§]
Overall	0	0	16	4	93	142	0	0	-
Seoul	0	0	6	0	4	5	0	0	-
Busan	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	-
Daegu	0	0	0	0	2	6	0	0	-
Incheon	0	0	2	0	0	2	0	0	-
Gwangju	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	-
Daejeon	0	0	1	0	1	1	0	0	-
Ulsan	0	0	0	1	5	3	0	0	-
Sejong	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	-
Gyonggi	0	0	3	1	22	21	0	0	-
Gangwon	0	0	1	0	5	18	0	0	-
Chungbuk	0	0	0	0	2	4	0	0	-
Chungnam	0	0	1	0	12	15	0	0	-
Jeonbuk	0	0	1	0	3	9	0	0	-
Jeonnam	0	0	0	0	8	11	0	0	-
Gyeongbuk	0	0	1	1	15	20	0	0	-
Gyeongnam	0	0	0	0	7	15	0	0	-
Jeju	0	0	0	1	6	10	0	0	-

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II. Sentinel-Reporting Infectious Diseases

1. Influenza, weeks ending September 11, 2021 (37th Week)

- Weekly proportion of influenza-like illness per 1,000 outpatients: 1.0 cases (=0.10%)
- Variation: no change from 1.0 cases in 36th week of 2021
- Sentinel reporting sites: 200 hospitals/clinics
 2020-2021 outbreak standard: 5.8 cases (/1,000)

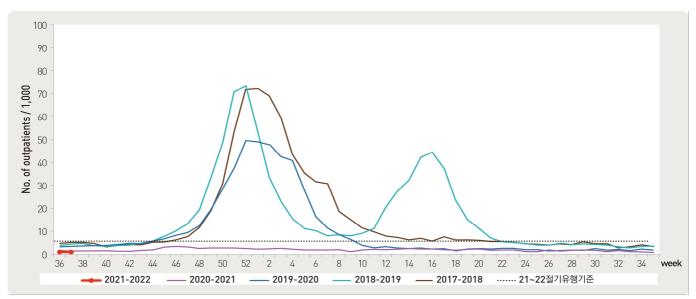


Figure 1. Weekly proportion of influenza-like illness per 1,000 outpatients, 2015-2016 to 2020-2021 flu seasons

2. Hand, Foot and Mouth Disease (HFMD), weeks ending September 11, 2021 (37th Week)

- Weekly proportion of hand, foot and mouth disease (HFMD) per 1,000 outpatients: 1.1 case
- Variation: increase from 0.7 case in 36th week of 2021
- Sentinel reporting sites: 97 hospitals/clinics

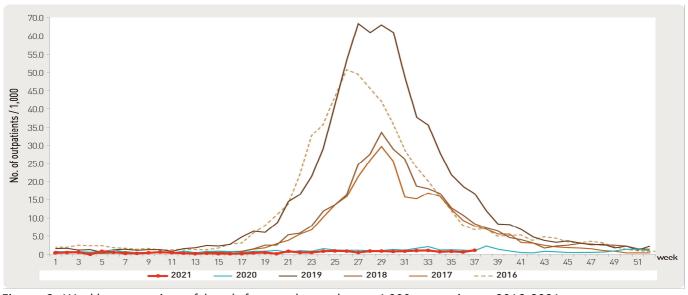


Figure 2. Weekly proportion of hand, foot and mouth per 1,000 outpatients, 2016-2021

3. Ophthalmologic infectious diseases, weeks ending September 11, 2021 (37th Week)

- Weekly proportion of epidemic keratoconjunctivitis per 1,000 outpatients: 4.6 cases
- Variation: decrease from 4.9 cases in 36th week of 2021
- Sentinel reporting sites: 90 hospitals/clinics

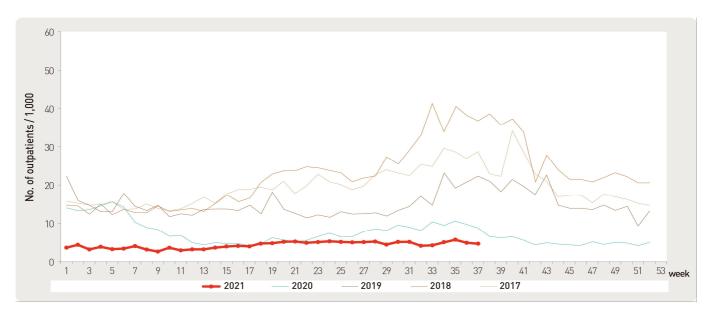


Figure 3. Weekly proportion of epidemic keratoconjunctivitis per 1,000 outpatients, 2017-2021

- Weekly proportion of acute hemorrhagic conjunctivitis per 1,000 outpatients: 0.4 case
- Variation: decrease from 0.5 case in 36th week of 2021
- Sentinel reporting sites: 90 hospitals/clinics

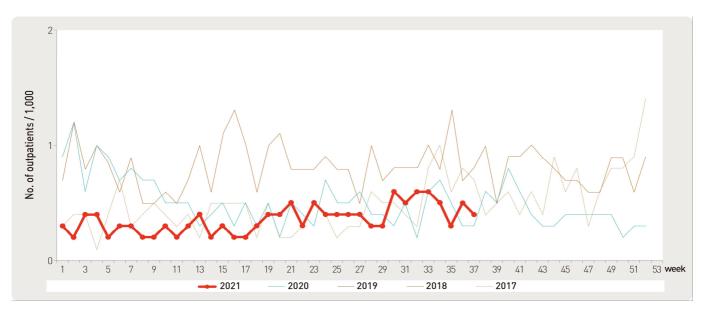


Figure 4. Weekly proportion of acute hemorrhagic conjunctivitis per 1,000 outpatients, 2017-2021

4. Sexually Transmitted Diseases[†], weeks ending September 11, 2021 (37th Week)

- Cases per sentinel: 5.0 for human Papilloma virus infection, 2.8 for genital herpes, 2.0 for chlamydia, 1.6 for condyloma acuminata, 1.1 for gonorrhea, 1.0 for primary Syphilis, 0.0 for secondary Syphilis, 0.0 for congenital Syphilis
- Variation from 36th week of 2021

Increase: chlamydia (1.8 \rightarrow 2.0), human Papilloma virus infection (3.0 \rightarrow 5.0)

No change: primary Syphilis (1.0 \rightarrow 1.0), congenital Syphilis (0.0 \rightarrow 0.0)

Decrease: gonorrhea (1.8 \rightarrow 1.1), genital herpes (3.3 \rightarrow 2.8), condyloma acuminata (1.9 \rightarrow 1.6), secondary Syphilis (1.0 \rightarrow 0.0)

Sentinel reporting sites: 589 hospitals/clinics

X No. of reported sites in 37th week: 11 for gonorrhea, 33 for chlamydia, 33 for genital herpes, 20 for condyloma acuminata, 23 for human Papilloma virus infection, 1 for primary Syphilis, 0 for secondary Syphilis, 0 for congenital Syphilis

Unit: no. of cases/sentinels

	Gonorrhe	a		Chlamydia	ì		Genital he	rpes	Cor	ndyloma acumir	nata
Current week	Cum. 2020	Cum. 5-year average [§]	Current week	Cum. 2020	Cum. 5-year average [§]	Current week	Cum. 2020	Cum. 5-year average [§]	Current week	Cum. 2020	Cum. 5-year average [§]
1.1	6.4	8.0	2.0	19.7	24.4	2.8	33.4	31.4	1.6	18.6	18.4

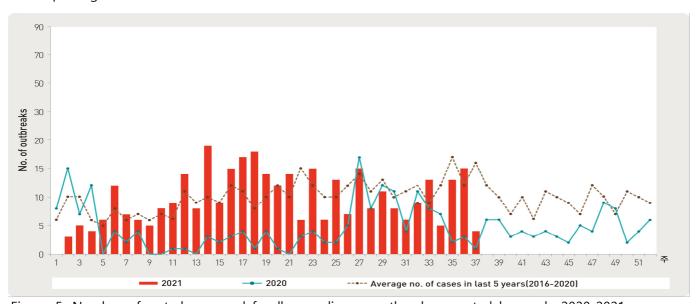
Human Pa	apilloma vir	us infection	Pr	rimary Syp	hilis	Se	condary Sy	philis	(Congenital Syp	bhilis
Current week	Cum. 2020	Cum. 5-year average [§]	Current week	Cum. 2020	Cum. 5-year average [§]	Current week	Cum. 2020	Cum. 5-year average [§]	Current week	Cum. 2020	Cum. 5-year average [§]
5.0	66.5	12.3	1.0	2.0	0.4	0.0	2.5	0.5	0.0	1.0	0.2

Cum: Cumulative counts from 1st week to current week in a year

III. Waterborne and Foodborne Infectious Diseases

1. Waterborne and foodborne disease outbreaks, weeks ending September 11, 2021 (37th Week)

- No. of reported outbreaks: 4 with 35 patients (cumulative no. of outbreaks: 370 with 5,775 patients)
- Variation: decrease from 15 in 36th week of 2021
- · Reporting sites: 254 health centers



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Figure 5. Number of waterborne and foodborne disease outbreaks reported by week, 2020-2021

[†] According to surveillance data, the reported cases may include all of the cases such as confirmed, suspected, and asymptomatic carrier in the group.

[§] Cum. 5-year average is mean value calculated by cumulative counts from 1st week to current week for 5 preceding years. X Added human Papilloma virus infection and syphilis from 1st week 2020.

IV. Laboratory-based Pathogen Surveillance: Influenza and Respiratory Viruses

1. Influenza viruses, weeks ending September 11, 2021 (37th Week)

- Weekly reported number of specimens positive for influenza: 0 case (0.0%) / 72 specimens [influenza subtype: A(H1N1)pdm09 0 case, A(H3N2) 0 case, B 0 case]
- Variation (%p): no change from 0 case (0.0%) / 54 specimens in 36th week of 2021
- Sentinel reporting sites: 63 hospitals/clinics

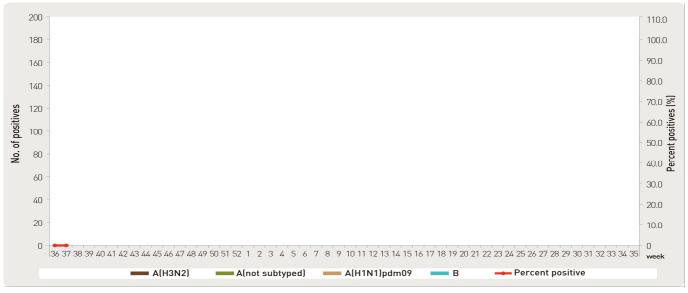


Figure 6. Number of specimens positive for influenza by subtype, 2020-2021 flu season

2. Respiratory viruses, weeks ending September 11, 2021 (37th Week)

- Detection rate: 84.7% (cumulative mean proportion during preceding three weeks plus current week: 54.7% out of 223 specimens)
- Variation (%): increase from 55.4% in 36th week of 2021
- Sentinel reporting sites: 17 city/provincial health and environmental institutes and 52 hospitals/clinics

2021	Wee to	ekly tal				Detection	rate (%)			
(week)	No. of samples	Detection rate (%)	HAdV	HPIV	HRSV	IFV	HCoV	HRV	HBoV	HMPV
34	41	36.6	7.3	4.9	0.0	0.0	0.0	22.0	2.4	0.0
35	54	27.8	14.8	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	13.0	0.0	0.0
36	56	55.4	23.2	8.9	0.0	0.0	0.0	19.6	3.6	0.0
37	72	84.7	13.9	26.4	0.0	0.0	0.0	37.5	6.9	0.0
Cum.**	223	54.7	15.2	11.7	0.0	0.0	0.0	24.2	3.6	0.0
2020 Cum. [∀]	5,819	48.6	6.5	0.4	3.1	12.0	3.4	18.4	3.5	1.4

⁻ HAdV: human Adenovirus, HPIV: human Parainfluenza virus, HRSV: human Respiratory syncytial virus, IFV: Influenza virus, HCoV: human Coronavirus, HRV: human Rhinovirus, HBoV: human Bocavirus, HMPV: human Metapneumovirus

X Cum.: the rate of detected cases between August 15, 2021 - September 11, 2021 (Average no. of detected cases is 56 last 4 weeks)

^{∀ 2020} Cum. : the rate of detected cases between December 29, 2019 - December 26, 2020

V. Laboratory-based Pathogen Surveillance: Acute Gastroenteritis Viruses/Bacteria

1. Acute gastroenteritis-causing virus, weeks ending September 4, 2021 (36th Week)

- Detection rate: 11.9% (cumulative mean proportion in 2021: 773 cases [31.8%] out of 2,428 specimens)
- Variation (%): decrease from 23.3% in 35th week of 2021
- Sentinel reporting sites: 17 city/provincial health and environmental institutes and 70 hospitals/clinics

			No. of detection (Detection rate, %)											
Week		No. of sample	Norovirus		Group A Rotavirus		Enteric Adenovirus		Astrovirus		Sapovirus		Total	
2021	33	59	4	(6.8)	0	(0.0)	1	(1.7)	1	(1.7)	0	(0.0)	6	(10.2)
	34	36	4	(11.1)	0	(0.0)	1	(2.8)	2	(5.6)	0	(0.0)	7	(19.4)
	35	60	4	(6.7)	0	(0.0)	7	(11.7)	2	(3.3)	1	(1.7)	14	(23.3)
	36	42	1	(2.4)	0	(0.0)	2	(4.8)	2	(4.8)	0	(0.0)	5	(11.9)
Cur 202		2,428	594	(24.5)	22	(0.9)	47	(1.9)	107	(4.4)	3	(0.1)	773	(31.8)

^{*} The samples were collected from children ≤ 5 years of sporadic acute gastroenteritis in Korea.

2. Acute gastroenteritis-causing bacteria, weeks ending September 4, 2021 (36th Week)

- Detection rate: 5.9% (cumulative mean proportion in 2021: 1,220 cases [16.8%] out of 7,270 specimens)
- Variation (%p): decrease from 21.9% in 35th week of 2021
- Sentinel reporting sites: 17 city/provincial health and environmental institutes and 70 hospitals/clinics

		NIf	No. of isolation (Isolation rate, %)									
Week		No. of Sample	Salmonella spp.	Pathogenic <i>E.coli</i>	<i>Shigella</i> spp.	V.parahae molyticus	V. cholerae	Campylob acter spp.		S. aureus	B. cereus	Total
2021	33	226	10 (4.4)	26 (11.5)	0 (0.0)	0 (0.0)	0 (0.0)	13 (5.8)	7 (3.1)	12 (5.3)	3 (1.3)	71 (31.4)
	34	174	13 (7.5)	20 (11.5)	0 (0.0)	0 (0.0)	0 (0.0)	4 (2.3)	2 (1.1)	8 (4.6)	8 (4.6)	56 (32.3)
	35	201	14 (7.0)	14 (7.0)	0 (0.0)	0 (0.0)	0 (0.0)	0 (0.0)	4 (2.0)	5 (2.5)	7 (3.5)	44 (21.9)
	36	102	3 (2.9)	0 (0.0)	0 (0.0)	0 (0.0)	0 (0.0)	0 (0.0)	0 (0.0)	3 (2.9)	0 (0.0)	6 (5.9)
	ım. 21	7,270	185 (2.5)	284 (3.9)	3 (0.04)	0 (0.0)	0 (0.0)	162 (2.2)	169 (2.3)	286 (3.9)	115 (1.6)	1,220 (16.8)

^{*} Bacterial Pathogens: Salmonella spp., E. coli (EHEC, ETEC, EPEC, EIEC), Shigella spp., Vibrio parahaemolyticus, Vibrio cholerae, Campylobacter spp.,

Clostridium perfringens, Staphylococcus aureus, Bacillus cereus, Listeria monocytogenes, Yersinia enterocolitica.

^{*} Hospitals participating in Laboratory surveillance in 2021 (69 hospitals)

VI. Laboratory-based Pathogen Surveillance: Enterovirus

1. Enterovirus, weeks ending September 4, 2021 (36th Week)

- Detection rate: 50.0% (1 case / 2 specimens) (cumulative mean proportion in 2021: 1.8% [5 cases / 283 specimens])
 - Aseptic meningitis: 0 case (Cum. 2021: 1 case)
 - HFMD and herpangina: 1 case (Cum. 2021: 2 case)
 - HFMD with complications: 0 case (Cum. 2021: 0 case)
 - Other: 0 case (Cum. 2021: 2 cases)
- Variation (%p): increase from 0.0% in 35th week of 2020
- Sentinel reporting sites: 17 city/provincial health and environmental institutes and 60 hospitals/clinics

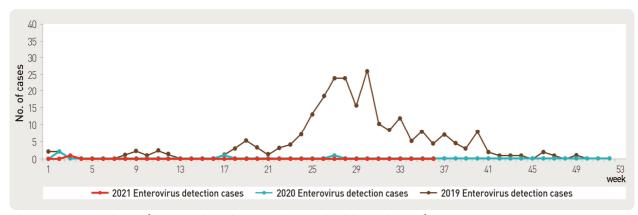


Figure 7. Detection of enterovirus in aseptic meningitis patients from 2019 to 2020

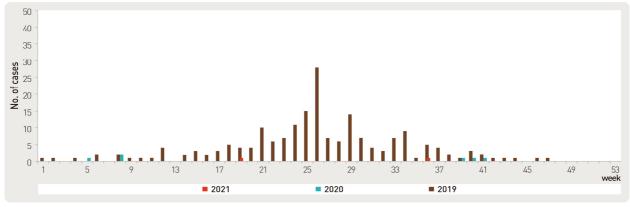


Figure 8. Detection of enterovirus in HFMD and herpangina patients from 2019 to 2020

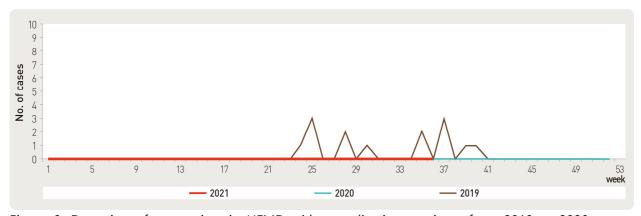


Figure 9. Detection of enterovirus in HFMD with complications patients from 2019 to 2020

VII. Vector Surveillance: Malaria Vector Mosquitoes

1. Malaria vector mosquitoes, weeks ending September 4, 2021 (36th Week)

- No. of malaria vector mosquitoes: 6
- Variation: increase from 5 in 35th week of 2021
- Sentinel reporting sites: 3 city/province (50 sites)
 - X No. of mosquitoes: average number of mosquitoes/trap/day

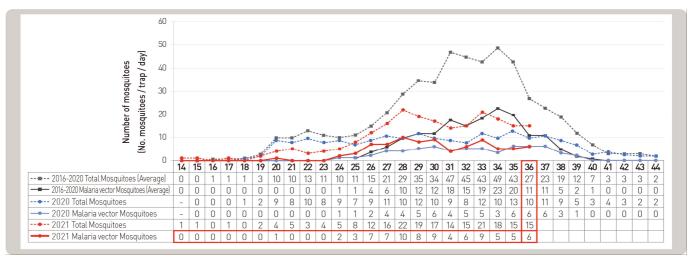


Figure 10. Weekly incidences of malaria vector mosquitoes in 2021

VIII. Vector Surveillance: Japanese encephalitis vector Mosquitoes

1. Japanese encephalitis vector mosquitoes, weeks ending September 11, 2021 (37th Week)

- No. of Japanese encephalitis vector mosquitoes: 106
 - **X JEV: Japanese encephalitis vector**
- Variation: decrease from 116 in 36th week of 2021
- Sentinel reporting sites: 9 city/provincial health and environmental institutes (9 sites)
 - X No. of mosquitoes: average number of mosquitoes/trap/day

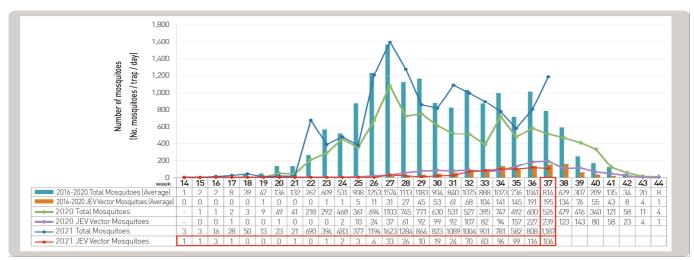


Figure 11. Weekly incidences of Japanese encephalitis vector mosquitoes in 2021

IX. Vector Surveillance: Scrub typhus vector chigger mites

1. Scrub typhus vector chigger mites, weeks ending September 11, 2021 (37th Week)

- Trap index of chigger mites: 0.00
- Variation: no change from 0.00 in 36th week of 2021
- Sentinel reporting sites: 9 city/province (16 sites)
 X Trap index of chigger mites: average number of chigger in 16 sites (320 traps) per week

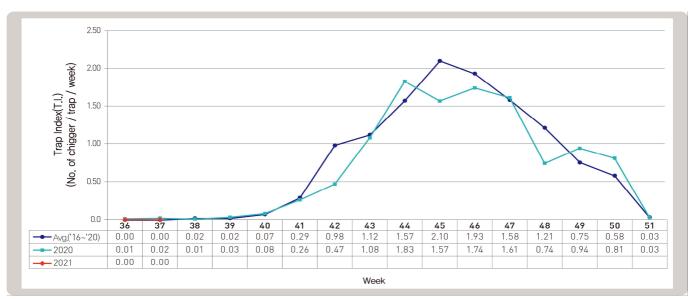


Figure 12. Weekly incidences of scrub typhus vector chiggers in 2021

About PHWR Disease Surveillance Statistics

The Public Health Weekly Report (PHWR) Disease Surveillance Statistics is prepared by the Korea Disease Control and Prevention Agency (KCDA). These provisional surveillance data on the reported occurrence of national notifiable diseases and conditions are compiled through population-based or sentinel-based surveillance systems and published weekly, except for data on infrequent or recently-designated diseases. These surveillance statistics are informative for analyzing infectious disease or condition numbers and trends. However, the completeness of data might be influenced by some factors such as a date of symptom or disease onset, diagnosis, laboratory result, reporting of a case to a jurisdiction, or notification to Korea Disease Control and Prevention Agency. The official and final disease statistics are published in infectious disease surveillance yearbook annually.

Using and Interpreting These Data in Tables

- Current Week The number of cases under current week denotes cases who have been reported to Korea CDC at the central level via corresponding jurisdictions(health centers, and health departments) during that week and accepted/approved by surveillance staff.
- Cum. 2021 For the current year, it denotes the cumulative(Cum) year-to-date provisional counts for the specified condition.
- 5-year weekly average The 5-year weekly average is calculated by summing, for the 5 proceeding years, the provisional incidence counts for the current week, the two weeks preceding the current week, and the two weeks following the current week. The total sum of cases is then divided by 25 weeks. It gives help to discern the statistical aberration of the specified disease incidence by comparing difference between counts under current week and 5-year weekly average.

For example,

		Week Number									
		10 11 12 13									
Voor	2021			Current							
Year	2021			week							
	2020	X1	X2	Х3	X4	X5					
	2019	X6	X7	X8	X9	X10					
	2018	X11	X12	X13	X14	X15					
	2017	X16	X17	X18	X19	X20					
	2016	X21	X22	X23	X24	X25					

5-year weekly average for current week

$$= (X1 + X2 + ... + X25) / 25$$

• Cum. 5-year average – Mean value calculated by cumulative counts from 1st week to current week for 5 preceding years. It gives help to understand the increasing or decreasing pattern of the specific disease incidence by comparing difference between cum. 2021 and cum. 5-year average.

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