

Individually notifiable diseases

Number of notifications received in the Department of Epidemiology, SSI (2010 figures are preliminary)

Table 1	Week 42 2010	Cum. 2010 ¹⁾	Cum. 2009 ¹⁾
AIDS	5	47	32
Botulism	0	1	0
Cholera	0	0	0
Creutzfeldt-Jakob	0	14	7
Food-borne diseases of these, infected abroad	6 1	336 74	453 82
Gonorrhoea	11	403	464
Hepatitis A of these, infected abroad	1 1	47 26	30 23
Hepatitis B (acute)	0	23	22
Hepatitis B (chronic)	0	160	146
Hepatitis C (acute)	0	2	4
Hepatitis C (chronic)	8	330	260
HIV	7	224	216
Legionella pneumonia of these, infected abroad	5 1	99 24	104 22
Leptospirosis	1	6	0
Measles	0	4	9
Meningococcal disease of these, group B of these, group C of these, unspec. + other	0 0 0 0	56 26 18 12	67 40 21 6
Mumps	1	30	13
Neuroborreliosis	1	40	42
Ornithosis	0	12	11
Pertussis (children < 2 years)	2	74	96
Purulent meningitis Haemophilus influenzae Listeria monocytogenes Streptococcus pneumoniae Other aethiology Unknown aethiology Under registration	0 0 0 0 0 0	2 5 60 15 18 5	5 5 68 11 21 0
Rubella (congenital)	0	0	0
Rubella (during pregnancy)	0	0	0
Shigellosis of these, infected abroad	1 1	72 55	91 73
Syphilis	4	323	209
Tetanus	0	0	0
Tuberculosis	12	320	288
Typhoid/paratyphoid fever of these, infected abroad	0 0	30 28	22 19
VTEC/HUS of these, infected abroad	2 2	124 32	128 23

Selected laboratory diagnosed infections

Number of specimens, isolates, and/or notifications received at Statens Serum Institut

Table 2	Week 40 2010	Cum. 2010 ²⁾	Cum. 2009 ²⁾
Bordetella pertussis (all ages)	2	172	176
Gonococci of these, females of these, males	5 2 3	345 93 252	351 94 257
Listeria monocytogenes	3	46	68
Mycoplasma pneumoniae Resp. specimens ³⁾ Serum specimens ⁴⁾	46 15	329 225	60 92
Streptococci ⁵⁾ Group A streptococci Group B streptococci Group C streptococci Group G streptococci S. pneumoniae	0 1 0 0 20	134 92 50 134 816	124 103 30 140 830

Table 1, notes

In 2010, none of the following cases have been reported:
Anthrax, diphtheria, haemorrhagic fever, leprosy
plague, polio, rabies, typhus exanthematicus

¹⁾ Cumulative no. 2010 and corresponding period 2009

Tabel 3	Week 40 2010	Cum. 2010 ²⁾	Cum. 2009 ²⁾
MRSA	24	799	599
Pathogenic int. bacteria ³⁾ Campylobacter S. Enteritidis S. Typhimurium Other zoon. salmonella Yersinia enterocolitica Verocytotoxin- producing E. coli Enteropathogenic E. coli Enterotoxigenic E. coli	64 17 6 11 2 3 5 1	3042 307 464 525 155 151 158 337	2673 500 683 592 190 129 167 259

Tables 2 & 3, notes

²⁾ Cumulative no. 2010 and corresponding period 2009

³⁾ Respiratory specimens with positive PCR

⁴⁾ Serum specimens with pos. complement fixation test

⁵⁾ Isolated in blood or spinal fluid

⁶⁾ See also www.germ.dk

VACCINATION OF PILGRIMS TRAVELLING TO SAUDI ARABIA

To obtain a visa for Saudi Arabia, anyone above the age of two years shall have received the tetra-valent vaccine against meningococcal disease covering serogroups A+C+W135+Y, EPI-NEWS 37/10.

All travellers over 2 years of age, including those who have been vaccinated against group A+C within the past three years, should be vaccinated once, no later than 10 days before entry.

Influenza vaccination is not a requirement but is, however, recommended by the Saudi Arabian authorities, particularly in persons with chronic conditions, EPI-NEWS 39/10.

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