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Infectious Disease Control Unit – Yearly Report – 2023 – Sporadic Cases

Notifiable Disease	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Male	Female	Unknown	Maltese	Non-Maltese	Unknown	Total
Foodborne diseases											
Campylobacter	107	141	102	116	280	183	3	353	96	17	466
Cryptosporidiosis	9	5	15	14	20	22	1	30	11	2	43
Giardia	8	12	4	5	22	7	-	19	10	-	29
Hepatitis A	-	2	3	2	5	2	-	5	2	-	7
Listeria	-	1	1	-	1	1	-	2	-	-	2
Salmonella	23	32	58	40	87	66	-	127	19	7	153
Scombrototoxin	1	1	8	-	3	7	-	5	4	1	10
Shiga toxin/ VTEC	15	17	25	13	36	34	-	60	7	3	70
Shigella	3	1	12	14	28	1	1	14	15	1	30
Typhoid	1	3	1	1	5	1	-	-	6	-	6
Foodborne, Unspecified	8	5	10	11	18	16	-	18	13	3	34
Echinococcosis	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Botulism	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Cholera FoodBorne	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Norovirus	25	15	12	11	23	28	12	42	5	16	63
Rotavirus	47	10	6	17	49	29	2	53	14	13	80
Trichinella	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Amoebiasis	1	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	1	-	1
Bloodborne diseases											
AIDS	1	1	-	-	2	-	-	1	1	-	2
Hepatitis B	17	15	25	25	48	29	5	28	35	19	82
Hepatitis C	39	33	32	31	93	34	8	90	27	18	135
HIV	19	37	35	20	101	10	-	22	89	-	111

Hepatitis Unspecified	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Invasive diseases											
A Streptococcus (Streptococ	3	10	5	5	15	8	-	15	8	-	23
B Streptococcus (Streptococ	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
vasive Haemophilus Influenz	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
sive Meningococcal Septicae	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
nvasive Neisseria Gonorrhoe	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
sive Streptococcus Pneumo	11	3	1	3	10	8	-	16	2	-	18
Meningitis											
Meningitis Viral	1	1	1	-	1	2	-	1	2	-	3
rial other than Neisseria Men	-	-	-	1	1	-	-	1	-	-	1
ningitis, Haemophilus Influe	2	-	-	-	1	1	-	2	-	-	2
ningitis, Neisseria Meningiti	-	-	-	1	1	-	-	-	1	-	1
cal disease (Neisseria meni	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
ngitis, Streptococcus Pneum	3	2	3	-	2	6	-	7	1	-	8
ed bacterial (no organism iso	1	1	2	-	2	2	-	1	3	-	4
te Viral Encephalitis (Mening	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Aseptic / Viral Meningitis	-	-	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	1	1
Sexually transmitted diseases											
Granular conjunctivitis	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
gonorrhoea- Gonococcal infect	63	91	94	103	296	55	-	166	185	-	351
Syphilis	-	-	5	2	7	-	-	3	4	-	7
Syphilis Latent	14	18	19	16	58	9	-	33	34	-	67
Syphilis Primary	5	4	5	5	18	1	-	10	9	-	19
Syphilis Secondary	5	8	2	6	20	1	-	8	13	-	21
Chancroid (Haemophilus ducrey	1	2	1	3	7	-	-	4	3	-	7
lymphogranuloma venerum (LC	1	2	1	3	7	-	-	4	3	-	7
Mycoplasma Genitalium	21	24	16	26	12	30	45	29	12	46	87
Trichomonas vaginalis (TV)	1	2	1	3	2	5	-	4	3	-	7
Chlamydia	95	100	88	91	268	106	-	163	211	-	374
Hepatitis B (STI)	1	2	-	1	1	-	3	-	-	4	4
Hepatitis C (STI)	2	1	1	1	1	-	4	-	-	5	5
Respiratory diseases											
Legionnaire's Disease	1	3	5	4	8	5	-	9	4	-	13

Tuberculosis, Non-Pulmonary	6	6	-	8	12	8	-	1	19	-	20
Tuberculosis, Pulmonary	13	11	13	11	39	9	-	3	45	-	48
Influenza	-	-	2	-	1	1	-	1	-	1	2
Smallpox	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
SARS	-	-	-	1	1	-	-	-	1	-	1
COVID-19	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Pneumonia	-	-	-	1	-	1	-	-	1	-	1
Scarlet Fever	25	36	3	24	46	37	5	68	7	13	88
Vaccine preventable diseases											
Chickenpox	49	46	16	21	78	52	2	82	35	15	132
Measles	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Mumps	-	1	-	-	-	1	-	-	1	-	1
Pertussis	-	1	1	1	2	1	-	3	-	-	3
Rubella	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Shingles, Herpes Zoster	8	13	4	7	14	17	1	30	1	1	32
Tetanus	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Diphtheria	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Polio	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Vector-borne diseases											
Chikungunya	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Dengue	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Leishmaniasis (Cutaneous)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Leishmaniasis (Visceral)	-	-	-	1	1	-	-	1	-	-	1
Malaria	3	4	4	5	15	1	-	4	12	-	16
Sandfly Fever	-	-	1	-	1	-	-	1	-	-	1
Typhus, Tick-borne (Rickettsial)	-	2	5	2	5	4	-	7	2	-	9
Typhus, Scrub	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Typhus, Epidemic	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
West Nile Fever	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Yellow Fever	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Schistosomiasis	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Tularaemia	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Zoonotic diseases											

Brucellosis	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Cryptosporidiosis (Zoonotic)	-	-	1	-	1	-	-	1	-	-	-	1
Echinococcosis (Zoonotic)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Leptospirosis	1	5	3	-	6	3	-	8	1	-	-	9
Q-Fever	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Toxoplasmosis	2	2	2	2	3	5	-	7	1	-	-	8
Ebola	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Marburg	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Plague	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Rabies	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Tularaemia	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Lassa Fever	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Yersinia	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Erysipelas	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Monkeypox	1	-	-	1	1	1	-	-	2	-	-	2
Other diseases												
Acute Flaccid Paralysis	1	-	1	-	2	-	-	2	-	-	-	2
Atypical Creutzfeldt - Jakob Disease	-	-	-	2	-	-	2	2	-	-	-	2
Variant Creutzfeldt - Jakob Disease	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Scabies	20	63	25	34	88	54	-	66	69	7	-	142
Acute Viral Encephalitis	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Hand Foot and Mouth	30	7	2	1	26	12	2	39	-	1	-	40
Hepatitis Unspecified	-	-	-	1	-	1	-	-	-	1	-	1
Botulism	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Scarlet Fever	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

Infectious Disease Control Unit – Yearly Report – 2023 – Outbreaks												
The figures in brackets indicate the number of implicated outbreaks/clusters.												
Notifiable Disease	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Male	Female	Unknown	Maltese	Non-Maltese	Unknown	Total	
Foodborne diseases												
Campylobacter	12	9	10	4	18	11	6	18	10	7	35(15)	
Cryptosporidiosis	-	-	-	3	1	2	-	2	1	-	3(1)	
Giardia	-	-	-	2	1	1	-	-	2	-	2(1)	

Hepatitis A	-	3	-	-	2	1	-	3	-	-	3(1)
Salmonella	-	-	11	31	11	8	23	12	7	23	42(10)
Scombrototoxin	-	-	2	-	1	1	-	2	-	-	2(1)
Shiga toxin/ VTEC	-	-	3	3	2	2	2	2	2	2	6(2)
Foodborne, Unspecified	14	9	85	45	15	22	116	37	1	115	153(23)
Norovirus	13	3	4	7	5	6	16	11	-	16	27(7)
Rotavirus	10	-	-	3	2	6	5	9	-	4	13(5)
Amoebiasis	2	-	-	-	2	-	-	2	-	-	2(1)
Respiratory diseases											
Scarlet Fever	2	7	-	4	4	3	6	7	2	4	13(5)
Vector-borne diseases											
Malaria	-	2	-	-	2	-	-	1	1	-	2(1)
Other diseases											
Scabies	66	102	26	46	97	97	46	154	41	45	240(66)