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**Infectious Disease Control Unit – Monthly Report – December 2024 – Sporadic Cases**

Notifiable Disease	Male	Female	Unknown	Maltese	Non-Maltese	Unknown	Total
<b>Foodborne diseases</b>							
Campylobacter	24	13	-	26	11	-	<b>37</b>
Cryptosporidiosis	4	2	-	6	-	-	<b>6</b>
Giardia	3	-	-	2	1	-	<b>3</b>
Hepatitis A	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Listeria	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Salmonella	3	3	-	5	1	-	<b>6</b>
Scombrotoxin	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Shiga toxin/ VTEC	3	3	-	6	-	-	<b>6</b>
Shigella	1	-	-	1	-	-	<b>1</b>
Typhoid	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Foodborne, Unspecified	2	1	-	1	2	-	<b>3</b>
Echinococcosis	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Botulism	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Cholera FoodBorne	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Norovirus	11	12	-	21	2	-	<b>23</b>
Rotavirus	5	2	-	5	2	-	<b>7</b>
Trichinella	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Amoebiasis	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Bloodborne diseases</b>							
AIDS	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Hepatitis B	7	3	-	3	7	-	<b>10</b>
Hepatitis C	5	5	-	6	3	1	<b>10</b>
HIV	8	-	-	-	8	-	<b>8</b>
Hepatitis Unspecified	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Invasive diseases</b>							
Invasive Group A Streptococcus (Streptococcus Pyogenes)	-	1	-	-	1	-	<b>1</b>
Invasive Group B Streptococcus (Streptococcus Agalactiae)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Invasive Haemophilus Influenzae	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Invasive Meningococcal Septicaemia	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

Invasive Neisseria Gonorrhoea	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Invasive Streptococcus Pneumoniae	1	2	-	3	-	-	<b>3</b>
Puerperal fever	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Meningitis</b>							
Meningitis Viral	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Meningitis, bacterial other than Neisseria Meningitidis cultured	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Meningitis, Haemophilus Influenza	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Meningitis, Neisseria Meningitidis	1	-	-	1	-	-	<b>1</b>
Meningitis, Non-Invasive Meningococcal disease (Neisseria meningitidis cultured from non-sterile site)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Meningitis, Streptococcus Pneumoniae	2	-	-	1	1	-	<b>2</b>
Meningitis – suspected bacterial (no organism isolated from sterile site)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Acute Viral Encephalitis (Meningitis)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Aseptic / Viral Meningitis	1	-	-	1	-	-	<b>1</b>
<b>Sexually transmitted diseases</b>							
Granular conjunctivitis	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Gonorrhoea- Gonococcal infection	31	5	-	14	20	2	<b>36</b>
Syphilis	12	3	1	5	10	1	<b>16</b>
Syphilis Latent	7	-	-	1	6	-	<b>7</b>
Syphilis Primary	5	-	-	3	2	-	<b>5</b>
Syphilis Secondary	3	4	-	6	1	-	<b>7</b>
Lymphogranuloma venereum (LGV)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Mycoplasma Genitalium	3	1	-	4	-	-	<b>4</b>
Trichomonas vaginalis (TV)	-	3	-	2	1	-	<b>3</b>
Chlamydia	32	17	1	21	26	3	<b>50</b>
Hepatitis B (STI)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Hepatitis C (STI)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Respiratory diseases</b>							
Legionnaire's Disease	4	2	-	4	2	-	<b>6</b>
Tuberculosis, Non-Pulmonary	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Tuberculosis, Pulmonary	2	-	-	1	1	-	<b>2</b>
Influenza	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Smallpox	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

SARS	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
COVID-19	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Pneumonia	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Scarlet Fever	3	-	-	3	-	-	<b>3</b>
<b>Vaccine preventable diseases</b>							
Chickenpox	3	2	-	5	-	-	<b>5</b>
Measles	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Mumps	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Pertussis	-	1	-	1	-	-	<b>1</b>
Rubella	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Shingles, Herpes Zoster	3	1	-	2	2	-	<b>4</b>
Tetanus	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Diphtheria	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Polio	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Congenital rubella syndrome	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Vector-borne diseases</b>							
Chikungunya	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Dengue	1	-	-	-	1	-	<b>1</b>
Leishmaniasis (Cutaneous)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Leishmaniasis (Visceral)	1	-	-	1	-	-	<b>1</b>
Malaria	1	-	-	1	-	-	<b>1</b>
Sandfly Fever	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Typhus, Tick-borne (Rickettsia)	1	-	-	1	-	-	<b>1</b>
Typhus, Scrub	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Typhus, Epidemic	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
West Nile Fever	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Yellow Fever	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Schistosomiasis	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Tularaemia	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Louse borne relapsing fever	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Filovirus	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Hantavirus	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Lyme Disease	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Rift Valley Fever	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Zoonotic diseases</b>							
Brucellosis	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Cryptosporidiosis (Zoonotic)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Echinococcosis (Zoonotic)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Leptospirosis	2	-	-	2	-	-	<b>2</b>
Q-Fever	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Toxoplasmosis	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Ebola	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Marburg	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Plague	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Rabies	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Tularaemia	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Lassa Fever	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Yersinia	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Erysipelas	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Monkeypox	3	-	-	1	2	-	<b>3</b>
Anthrax	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Viral haemorrhagic fever	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Other diseases</b>							
Acute Flaccid Paralysis	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Classical Creutzfeldt - Jakob Disease	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Variant Creutzfeldt - Jakob Disease	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Scabies	4	5	-	7	2	-	<b>9</b>
Acute Viral Encephalitis	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Hand Foot and Mouth	2	1	-	3	-	-	<b>3</b>
Hepatitis Unspecified	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Botulism	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Scarlet Fever	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Leprosy	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Antimicrobial Resistance	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Nosocomial Infection (Hospital acquired)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Transmissible spongiform encephalopathies ( prion disease)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Epstein-Barr Virus	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Cytomegalovirus	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Herpes Simplex	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Pin worms	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Head lice	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Enterobius Vermicularis	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

#### Infectious Disease Control Unit – Monthly Report – December 2024 – Outbreaks

The figures in brackets indicate the number of implicated outbreaks/clusters.

Notifiable Disease	Male	Female	Unknown	Maltese	Non-Maltese	Unknown	Total
<b>Foodborne diseases</b>							
Campylobacter	-	2	-	2	-	-	<b>2(1)</b>
Cryptosporidiosis	1	3	-	3	1	-	<b>4(2)</b>
Giardia	1	1	-	2	-	-	<b>2(1)</b>
Hepatitis A	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Listeria	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Salmonella	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Scombrotoxin	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Shiga toxin/ VTEC	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Shigella	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Typhoid	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Foodborne, Unspecified	-	-	3	-	-	3	<b>3(1)</b>
Echinococcosis	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Botulism	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

Cholera FoodBorne	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Norovirus	2	5	119	7	-	119	<b>126(4)</b>
Rotavirus	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Trichinella	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Amoebiasis	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Bloodborne diseases</b>							
AIDS	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Hepatitis B	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Hepatitis C	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
HIV	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Hepatitis Unspecified	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Invasive diseases</b>							
Invasive Group A Streptococcus (Streptococcus Pyogenes)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Invasive Group B Streptococcus (Streptococcus Agalactiae)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Invasive Haemophilus Influenzae	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Invasive Meningococcal Septicaemia	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Invasive Neisseria Gonorrhoea	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Invasive Streptococcus Pneumoniae	1	1	-	2	-	-	<b>2(1)</b>
Puerperal fever	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Meningitis</b>							
Meningitis Viral	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Meningitis, bacterial other than Neisseria Meningitidis cultured	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Meningitis, Haemophilus Influenza	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Meningitis, Neisseria Meningitidis	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Meningitis, Non-Invasive Meningococcal disease (Neisseria meningitidis cultured from non-sterile site)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
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Meningitis – suspected bacterial (no organism isolated from sterile site)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
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Syphilis	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Syphilis Latent	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Syphilis Primary	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Syphilis Secondary	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Lymphogranuloma venereum (LGV)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Mycoplasma Genitalium	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Trichomonas vaginalis (TV)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
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Yellow Fever	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Schistosomiasis	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Tularemia	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Louse borne relapsing fever	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Filovirus	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
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Leptospirosis	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Q-Fever	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Toxoplasmosis	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Ebola	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

Marburg	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
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Acute Viral Encephalitis	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Hand Foot and Mouth	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
HepatitisUnspecified	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Botulism	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Scarlet Fever	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Leprosy	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Antimicrobial Resistance	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Nosocomial Infection (Hospital acquired)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Transmissible spongiform encephalopathies ( prion disease)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Epstein-Barr Virus	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Cytomegalovirus	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Herpes Simplex	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Pin worms	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Head lice	-	-	-	-	-	-	-