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Surveillance System in Tokyo, Japan

The infectious diseases which all physicians must report

All physicians must report to health centers the incidence of the diseases which are shown at page one. Health centers electronically report the individual cases to Tokyo Metropolitan Infectious Disease Surveillance Center.

The infectious diseases required to be reported by the sentinels

The numbers of patients who visit the sentinel clinics or hospitals during a week are reported to health centers in Tokyo. And they electronically report the numbers to Tokyo Metropolitan Infectious Disease Surveillance Center. We have about 400 sentinel clinics and hospitals in Tokyo.

1st Week is early January and 52nd Week is end of December.

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Number of patients with the diseases which all physicians must report

Category	Diseases	Tokyo					Japan	
		38th	39th	40th	41st	Cum 2009	41st	Cum 2009
I	Ebola hemorrhagic fever							
	Crimean-Congo hemorrhagic fever							
	Smallpox							
	South American hemorrhagic fever							
	Plague							
	Marburg disease							
	Lassa fever							
II	Acute poliomyelitis							
	Tuberculosis	79	30	51	47	3146	217	20375
	Diphtheria							
	Severe Acute Respiratory Syndrome(SARS)							
	Avian influenza H5N1							
III	Cholera					2	1	9
	Shigellosis	3	1	1	1	36	5	137
	Enterohemorrhagic Escherichia coli infection	18	7	5	5	266	65	3,093
	Typhoid fever					10		22
	Paratyphoid fever		1	1	1	10	1	18
IV	Hepatitis E					6		38
	West Nile fever							
	Hepatitis A	1		1		17		98
	Echinococcosis					1		17
	Yellow fever							
	Psittacosis					1		17
	Omsk hemorrhagic fever							
	Relapsing fever							
	Kyasanur forest disease							
	Q fever					1		2
	Rabies							
	Coccidioidomycosis					1		2
	Monkeypox							
	Hemorrhagic fever with renal syndrome							
	Western equine encephalitis							
	Tick-borne encephalitis							
	Anthrax							
	Scrub typhus(Tsutsugamushi disease)					2		111
	Dengue fever	3		1	2	25	5	64
	Eastern equine encephalitis							
	Avian influenza (excluding H5N1)							
	Nipah virus infection							
	Japanese spotted fever						5	76
	Japanese encephalitis						1	1
	Epidemic typhus							
	Hantavirus pulmonary syndrome							
	Herpes B virus infection							
	Glanders							
	Brucellosis				1	1	1	2
	Venezuelan equine encephalitis							
	Hendra virus infection							
	Botulism							
	Malaria		1	1	2	23	2	51
	Tularemia							
	Lyme disease					1		5
	Lyssavirus infection(excluding rabies)							
	Rift valley fever							
	Melioidosis							
	Legionellosis	2	1			43	2	518
	Leptospirosis							12
	Rocky mountain spotted fever							

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		38th	39th	40th	41st	Cum 2009	41st	Cum 2009
V	Amebiasis	2	1	5	3	112	9	618
	Viral hepatitis(excluding hepatitis A and E)	1			1	29	1	172
	Acute encephalitis(excluding JE and WNE)			2	4	25	7	215
	Cryptosporidiosis					1	1	13
	Creutzfeldt-Jakob disease					12	1	102
	Severe invasive streptococcal infections(TSLS)					9		87
	Acquired immunodeficiency syndrome (AIDS)	8	5	5	7	378	10	1,119
	Giardiasis		1			19	1	60
	Meningococcal meningitis					1		9
	Congenital rubella syndrome							1
	Syphilis	5	2	3	1	156	4	544
	Tetanus			1		6		93
	Vancomycin-resistant S. aureus infection							
	Vancomycin-resistant Enterococcus infection				1		11	76
	Rubella		1	1	1	16	2	135
	Measles	6		4	2	100	7	668
Novel Flu	Novel influenza (swine-origin influenza A/H1N1) *	—	—	—	—	1187	—	**5038

* laboratory confirmed cases and suspected cases

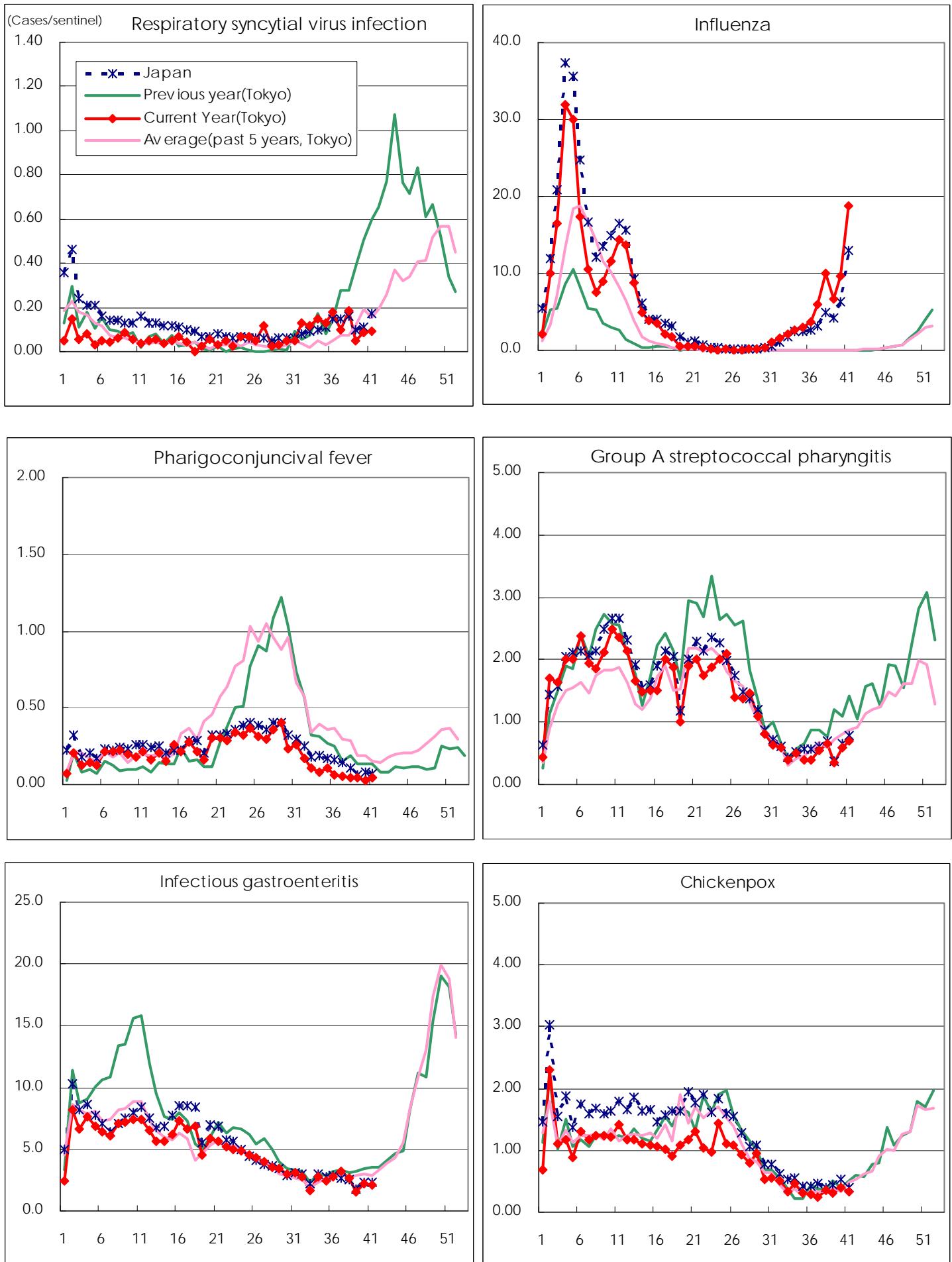
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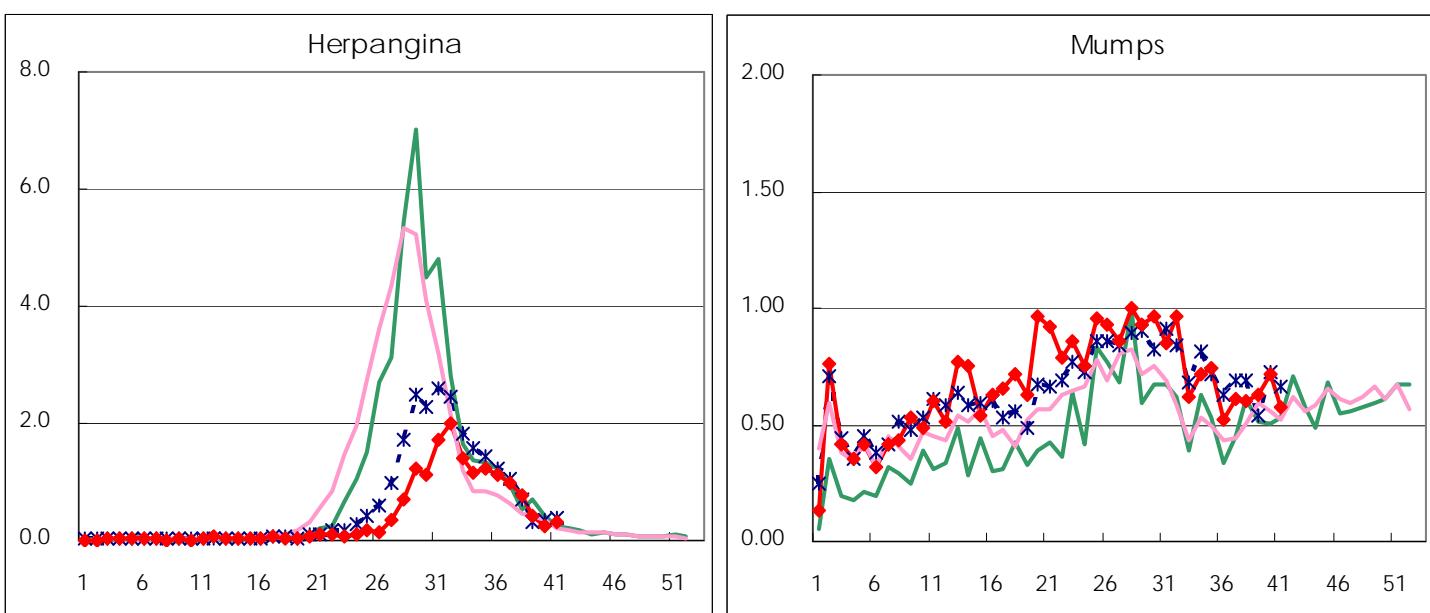
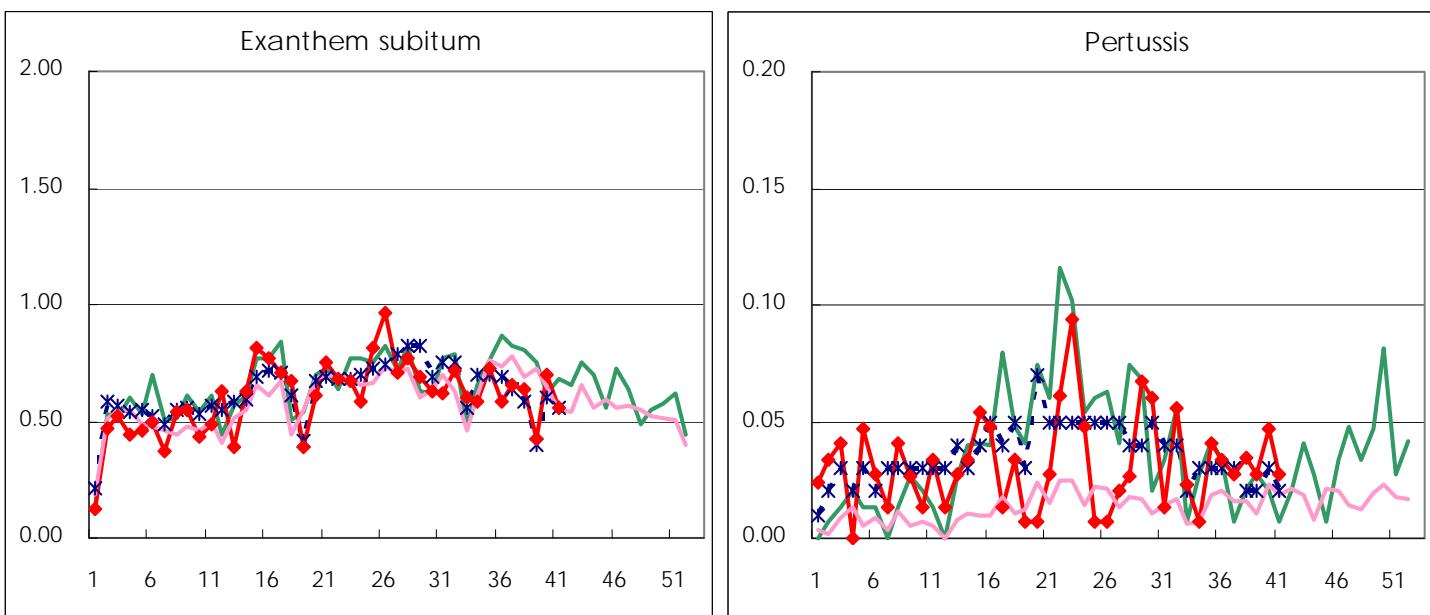
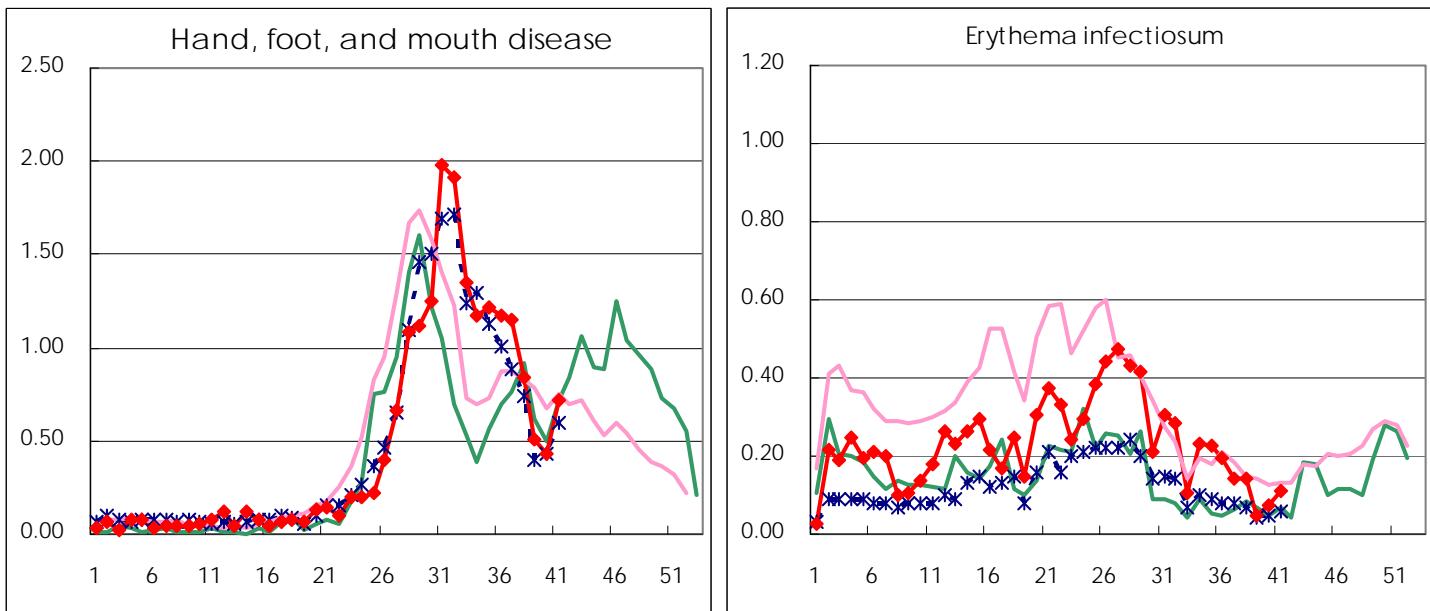
Number of patients with the diseases to be reported by the designated clinics and hospitals

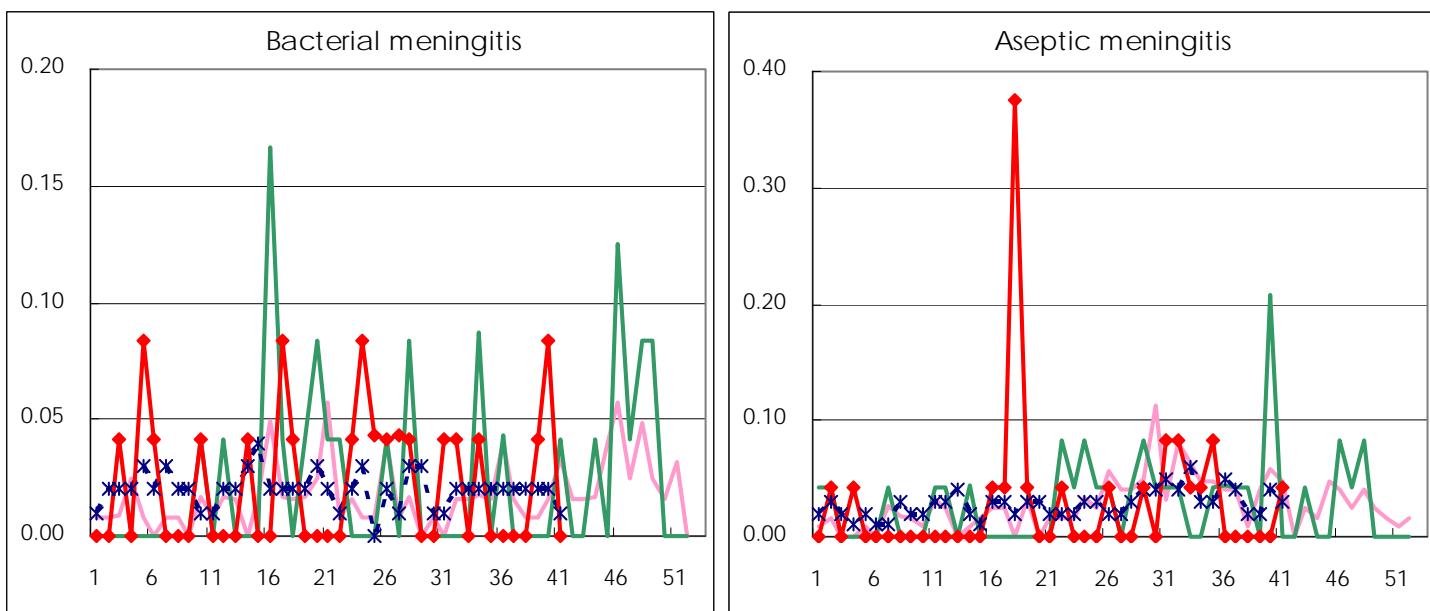
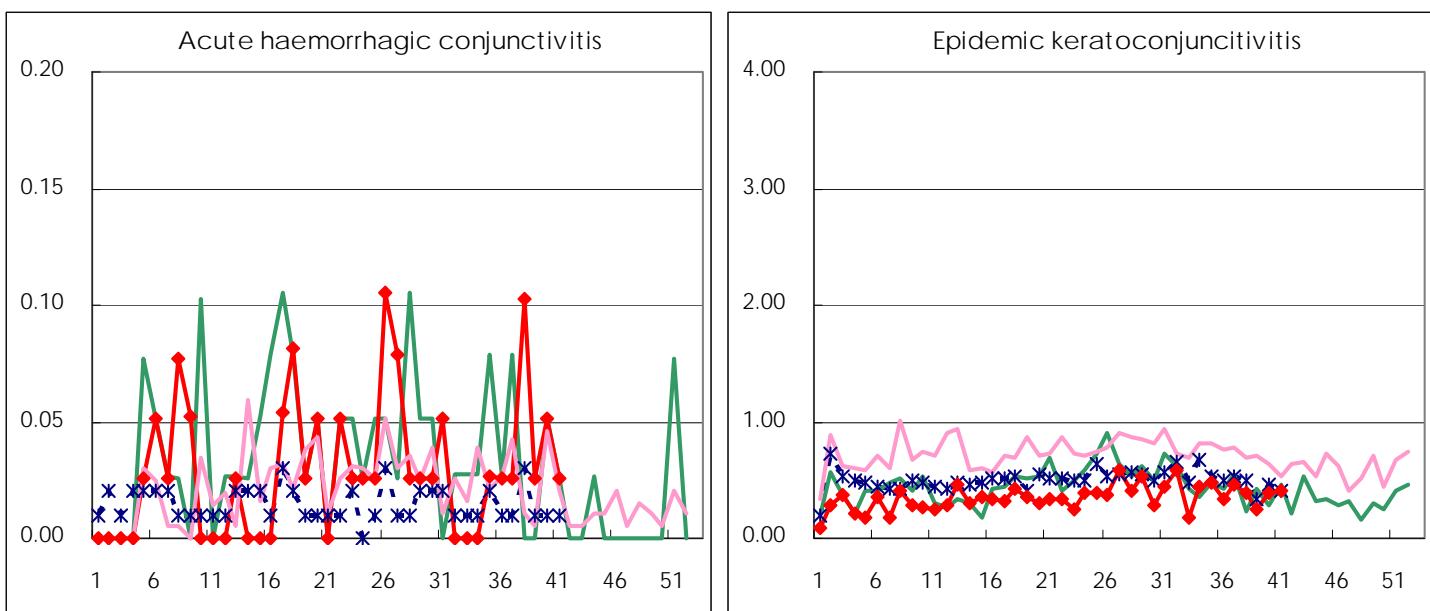
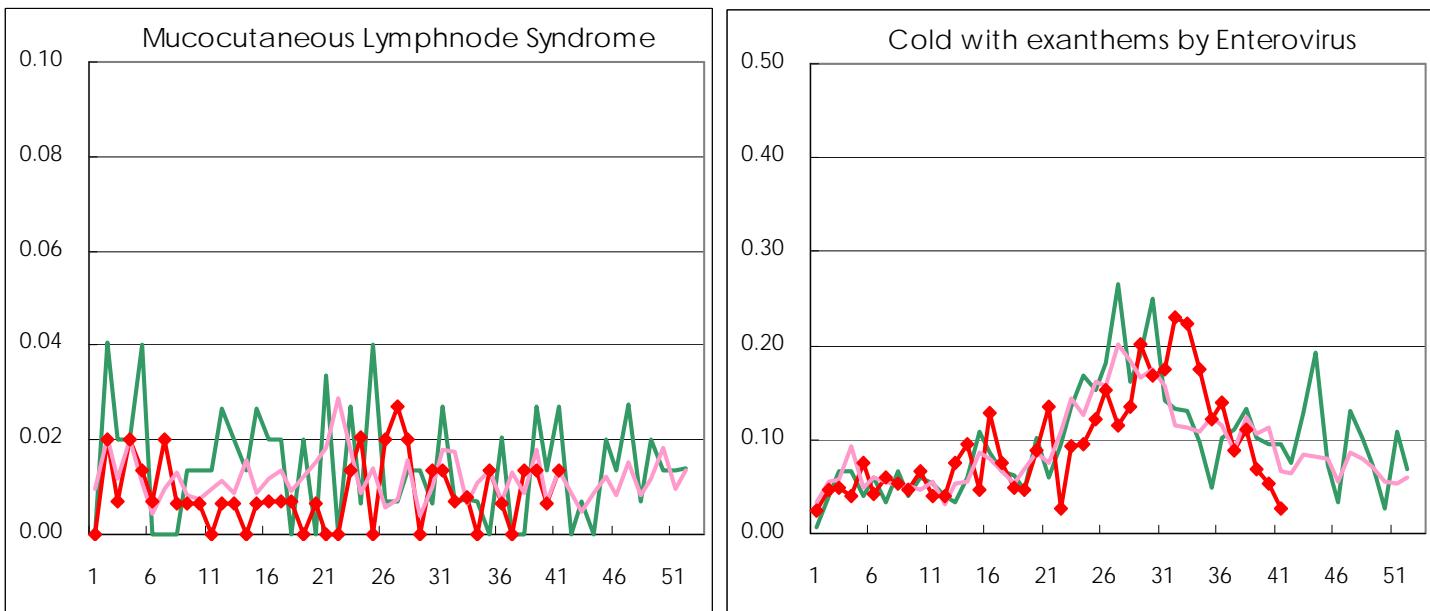
Diseases	2009				
	38th	39th	40th	41st	/sentinel
Respiratory syncytial virus infection	27	7	13	14	0.09
Pharygoconjunctival fever	6	6	4	6	0.04
Group A streptococcal pharyngitis	97	51	87	105	0.71
Infectious gastroenteritis	385	232	327	312	2.11
Chickenpox	53	45	60	50	0.34
Hand, foot, and mouth disease	123	75	65	106	0.72
Erythema infectiosum	21	7	11	16	0.11
Exanthem subitum	93	62	104	83	0.56
Pertussis	5	4	7	4	0.03
Herpangina	115	61	39	46	0.31
Mumps	88	93	107	85	0.57
Cold with exanthems by Enterovirus	16	10	8	4	0.03
Mucocutaneous Lymphnode Syndrome	2	2	1	2	0.01
Influenza	2,837	1,896	2,794	5,391	18.85
Acute hemorrhagic conjunctivitis	4	1	2	1	0.03
Epidemic keratoconjunctivitis	15	10	15	16	0.41
Bacterial meningitis			1	2	
Aseptic meningitis				1	0.04
Mycoplasma pneumonia	7	3	7	2	0.08
Chlamydial pneumonia (excluding psittacosis)	2	1			

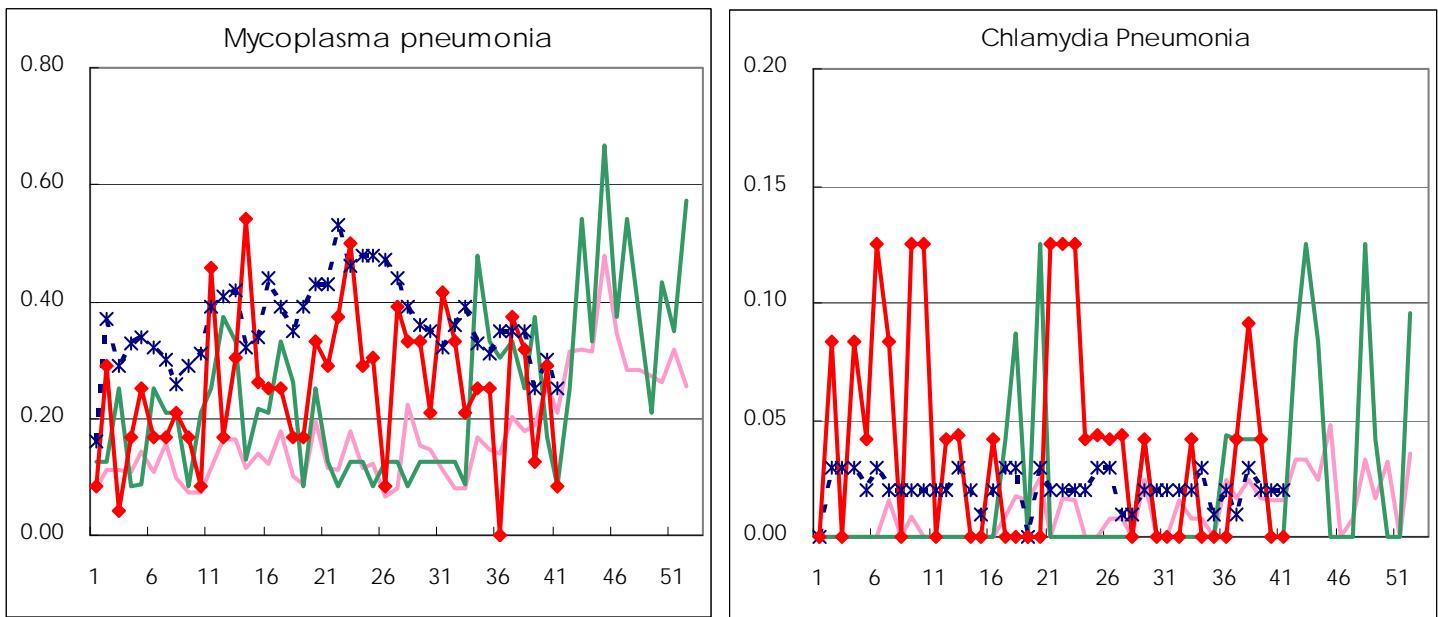
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Disease Trend Graph (weekly reported cases per sentinel in comparison)









Number of sentinel facilities for weekly reporting		
Types of sentinels	Number of sentinels	Sentinels having reported
Pediatric	150	148
Influenza	290	286
Ophthalmic	39	39
Specially- designated	24	24

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