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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	
		5th	6th	7th	8th	Cum 2010	8th	Cum 2010
I	Ebola hemorrhagic fever							
	Crimean-Congo hemorrhagic fever							
	Smallpox							
	South American hemorrhagic fever							
	Plague							
	Marburg disease							
	Lassa fever							
II	Acute poliomyelitis							
	Tuberculosis	77	74	64	58	581	285	3111
	Diphtheria							
	Severe Acute Respiratory Syndrome(SARS)							
	Avian influenza H5N1							
III	Cholera						1	1
	Shigellosis	2	3			13	1	27
	Enterohemorrhagic Escherichia coli infection	11	1	2	1	26	12	166
	Typhoid fever							2
	Paratyphoid fever				1	1	1	1
IV	Hepatitis E		1	1		2		9
	West Nile fever							
	Hepatitis A	2	1		1	6	1	29
	Echinococcosis							1
	Yellow fever							
	Psittacosis							
	Omsk hemorrhagic fever							
	Relapsing fever							
	Kyasanur forest disease							
	Q fever							
	Rabies							
	Coccidioidomycosis							
	Monkeypox							
	Hemorrhagic fever with renal syndrome							
	Western equine encephalitis							
	Tick-borne encephalitis							
	Anthrax							
	Scrub typhus(Tsutsugamushi disease)		2			3	2	28
	Dengue fever	3				3	3	11
	Eastern equine encephalitis							
	Avian influenza (excluding H5N1)							
	Nipah virus infection							
	Japanese spotted fever					1		1
	Japanese encephalitis							
	Epidemic typhus							
	Hantavirus pulmonary syndrome							
	Herpes B virus infection							
	Glanders							
	Brucellosis							
	Venezuelan equine encephalitis							
	Hendra virus infection							
	Botulism							
	Malaria			1		4		9
	Tularemia							
	Lyme disease				1	1		3
	Lyssavirus infection(excluding rabies)							
	Rift valley fever							
	Melioidosis			1		1		2
	Legionellosis	2			1	6	9	83
	Leptospirosis							
	Rocky mountain spotted fever							

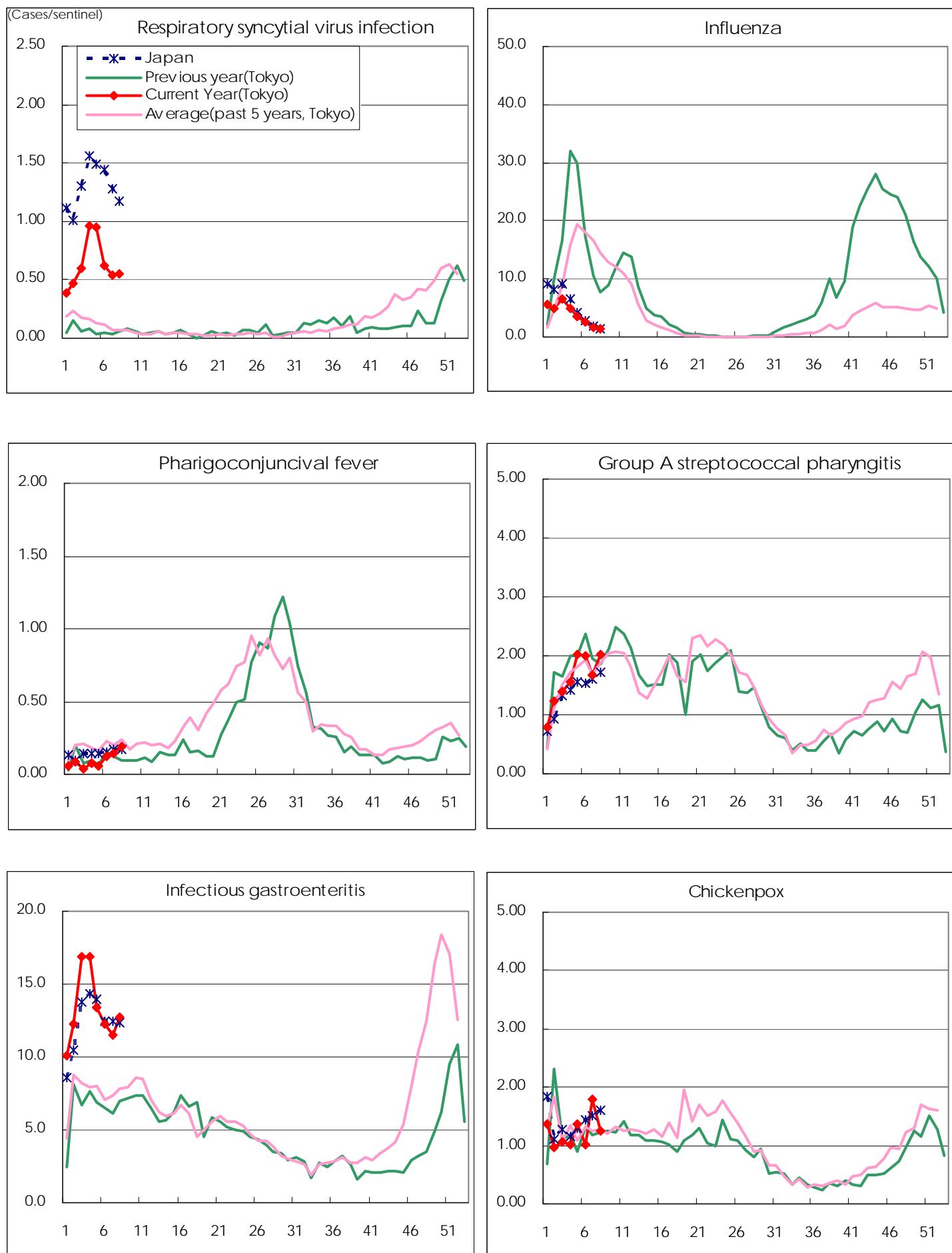
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		5th	6th	7th	8th	Cum 2010	8th	Cum 2010
V	Amebiasis	2	1	2	5	23	7	120
	Viral hepatitis(excluding hepatitis A and E)		4	1		5	3	23
	Acute encephalitis(excluding JE and WNE)			2	1	4	4	52
	Cryptosporidiosis					1		1
	Creutzfeldt-Jakob disease					1	3	18
	Severe invasive streptococcal infections(TSLS)			2	1	3	1	25
	Acquired immunodeficiency syndrome (AIDS)	14	9	12	13	71	12	185
	Giardiasis		1			2	1	9
	Meningococcal meningitis							
	Congenital rubella syndrome							
	Syphilis	1	2	5	2	21	5	74
	Tetanus							6
	Vancomycin-resistant S. aureus infection							
	Vancomycin-resistant Enterococcus infection		1	1		3	1	11
	Rubella					1		11
	Measles	2	1	2		7	3	68
	Novel Flu	Novel influenza (swine-origin influenza A/H1N1)	—	—	—	—	—	—

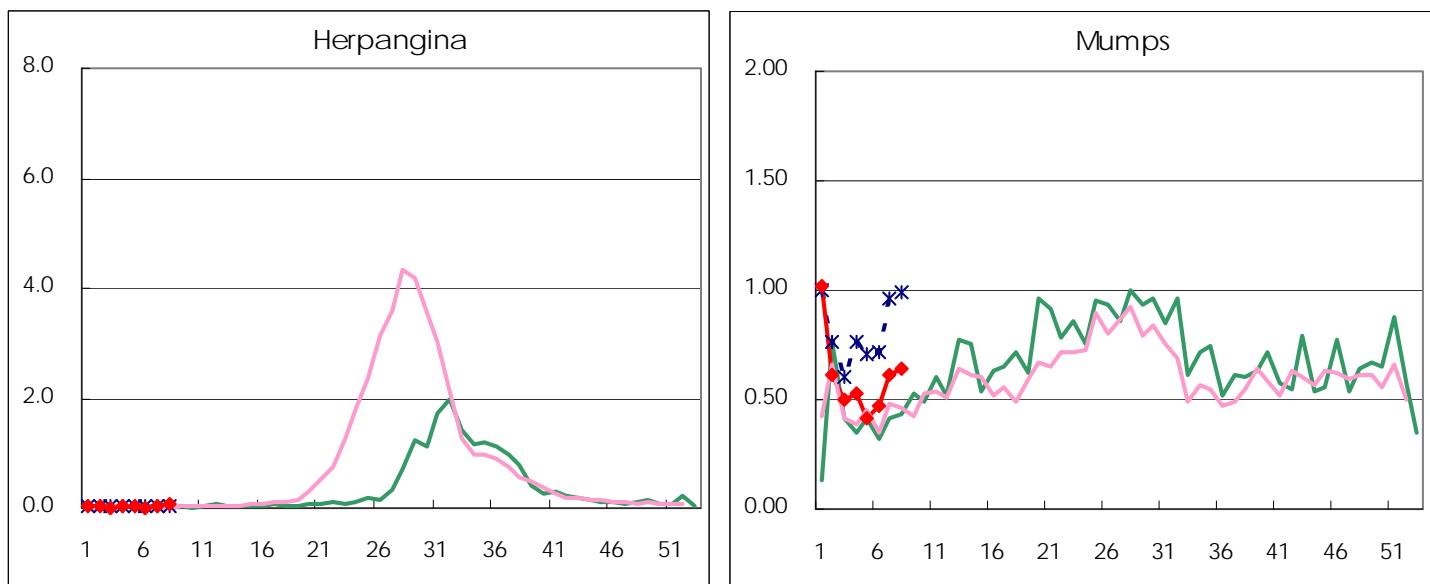
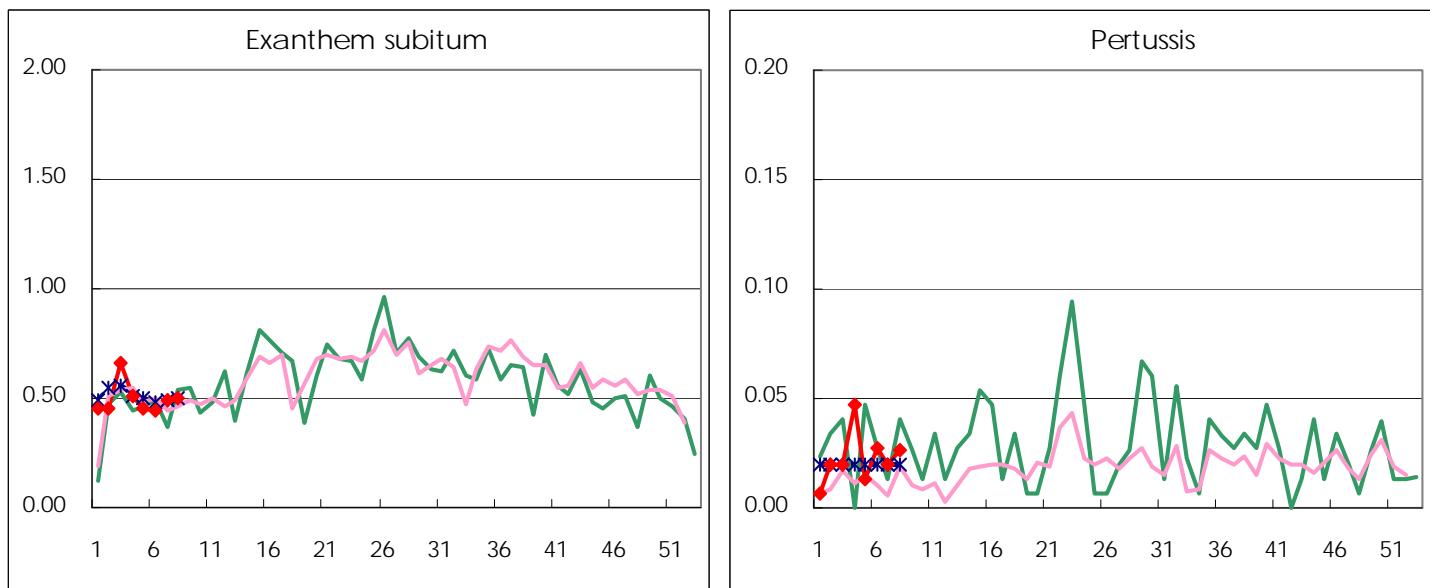
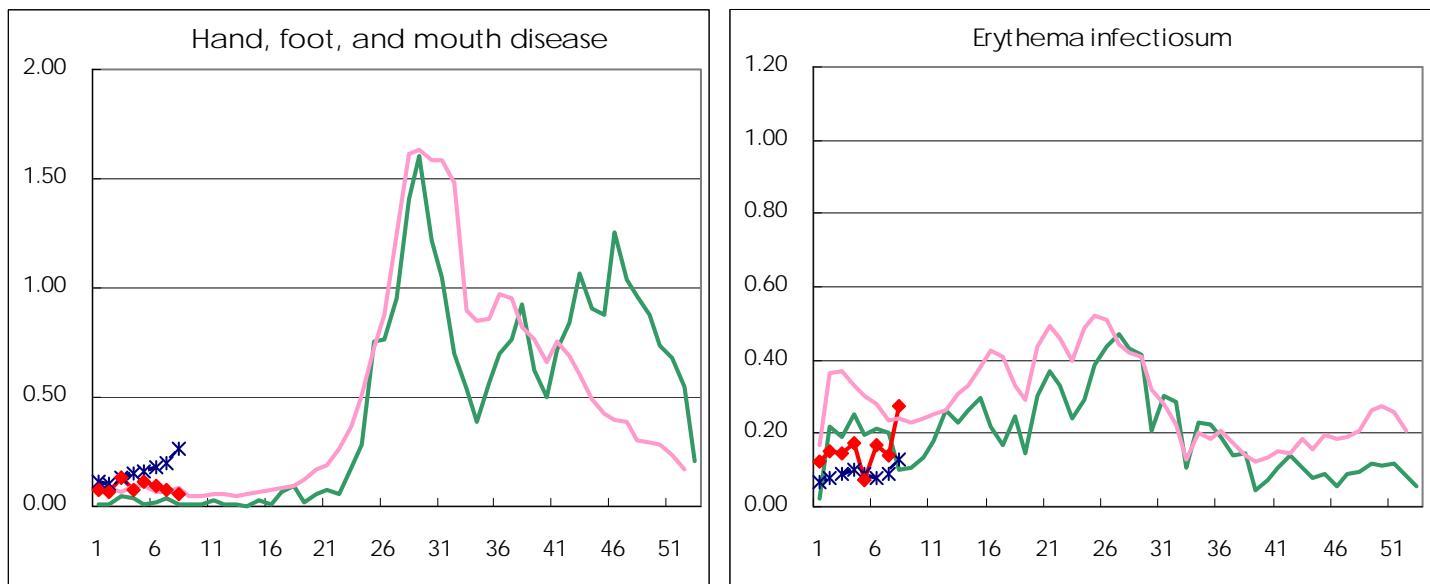
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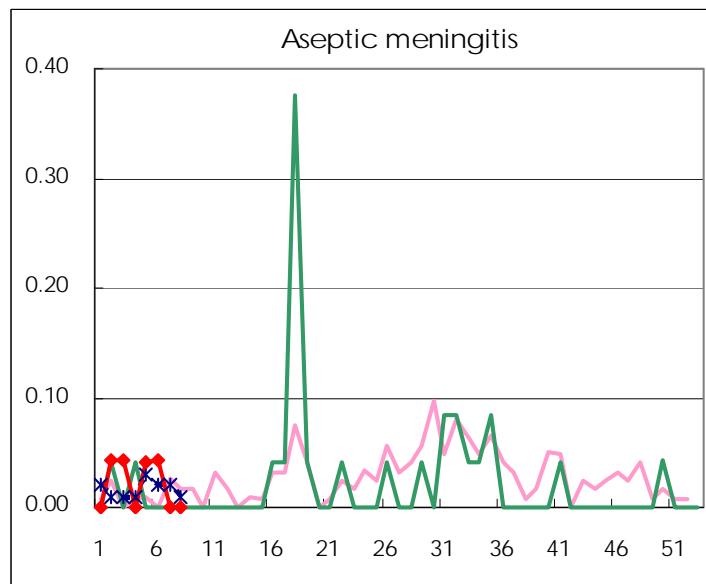
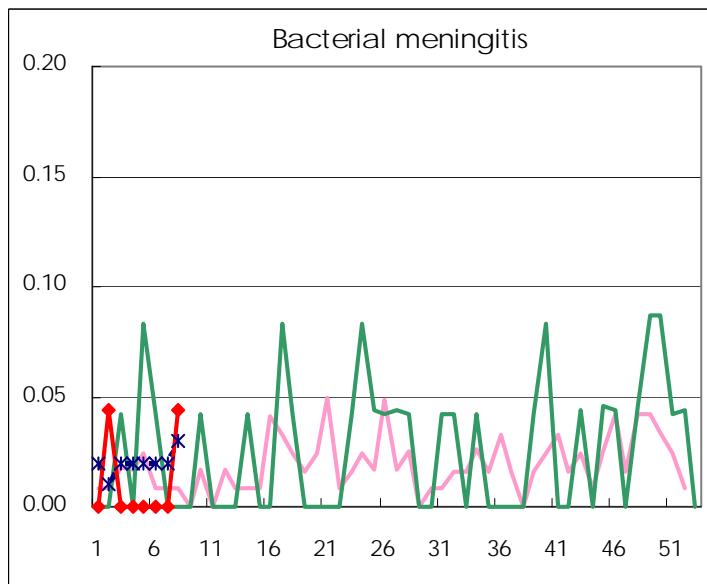
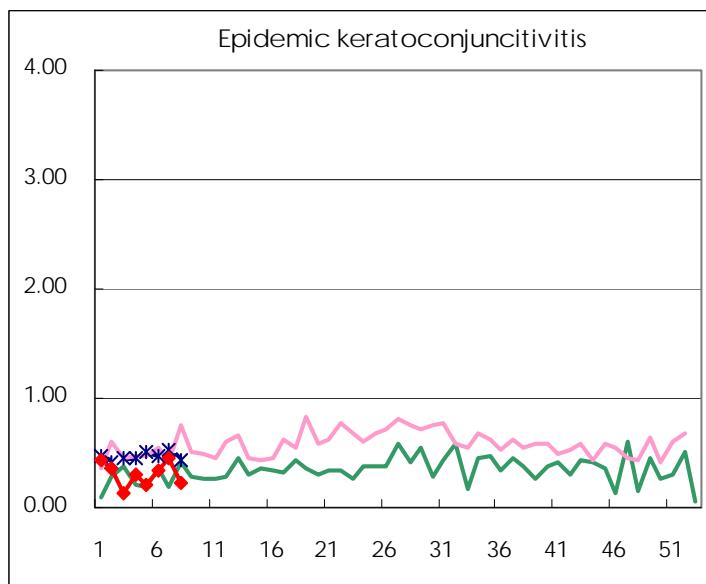
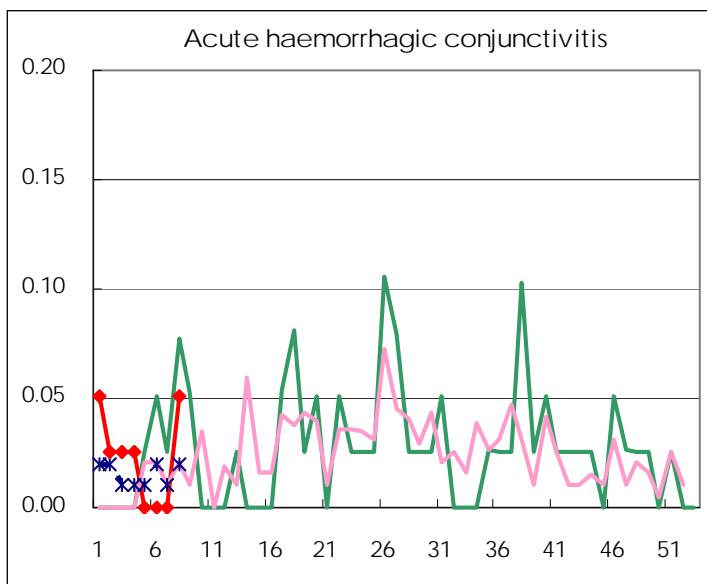
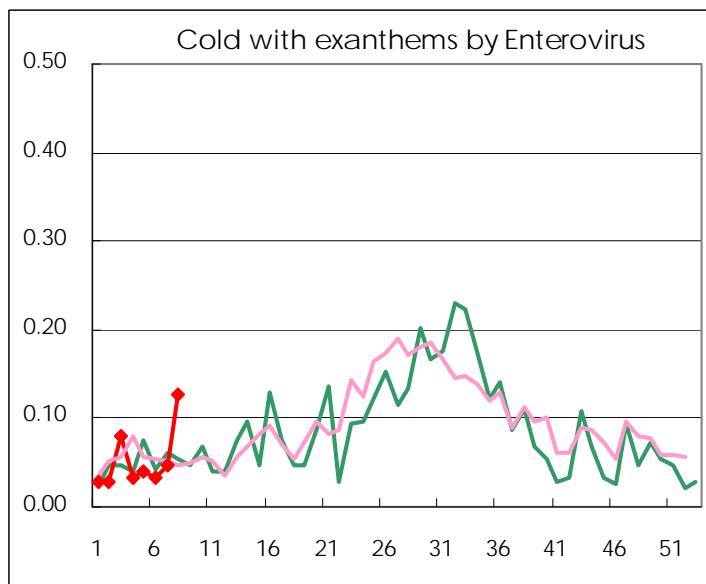
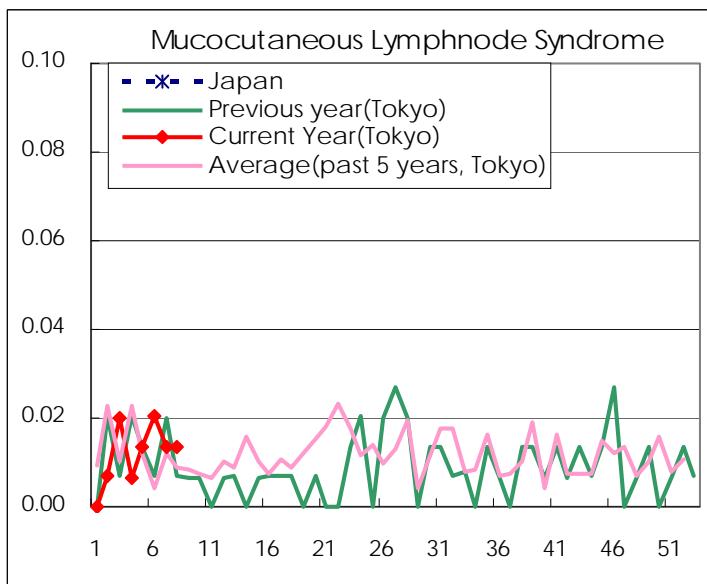
Diseases	2010				
	5th	6th	7th	8th	/sentinel
Respiratory syncytial virus infection	141	91	80	83	0.56
Pharygoconjunctival fever	9	18	21	29	0.19
Group A streptococcal pharyngitis	298	294	248	301	2.02
Infectious gastroenteritis	1,985	1,796	1,712	1,892	12.70
Chickenpox	202	149	267	187	1.26
Hand, foot, and mouth disease	17	14	11	8	0.05
Erythema infectiosum	11	25	21	41	0.28
Exanthem subitum	67	65	73	75	0.50
Pertussis	2	4	3	4	0.03
Herpangina	3		3	9	0.06
Mumps	61	69	92	96	0.64
Cold with exanthems by Enterovirus	6	5	7	19	0.13
Mucocutaneous Lymphnode Syndrome	2	3	2	2	0.01
Influenza	988	754	486	405	1.41
Acute hemorrhagic conjunctivitis				2	0.05
Epidemic keratoconjunctivitis	8	13	18	9	0.23
Bacterial meningitis				1	0.04
Aseptic meningitis	1	1			
Mycoplasma pneumonia	7	5	4	9	0.39
Chlamydial pneumonia (excluding psittacosis)			1	1	

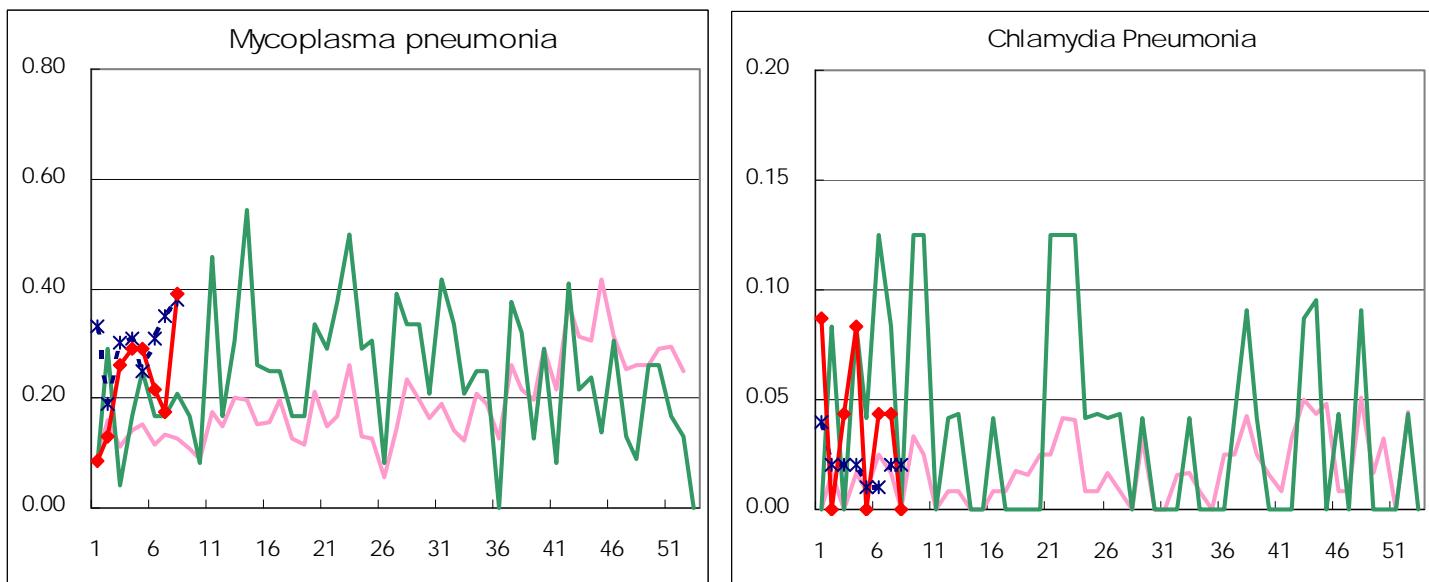
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Disease Trend Graph (weekly reported cases per sentinel in comparison)









Number of sentinel facilities for weekly reporting		
Types of sentinels	Number of sentinels	Sentinels having reported
Pediatric	150	149
Influenza	290	288
Ophthalmic	39	39
Specially- designated	24	23

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