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MONTHLY CONFIRMED NOTIFIABLE INFECTIOUS DISEASES – February 2018

SECTION A1: Number of individual cases of confirmed notifiable infectious disease by gender during the month of February 2018.

Notifiable Disease	Feb 2018			Maltese	Non-Maltese	Feb 2017	Feb 2016
	Males	Females	Total	Total	Total	Total	Total
Chickenpox	8	3	11	11	-	3	4
Chlamydia	24	18	42	20	22	30	22
Food borne illness, <i>Campylobacter</i>	5	3	8	5	3	19	15
Food borne illness, <i>E.Coli</i>	-	2	2	2	-	-	-
Food borne illness, <i>Salmonella</i>	2	1	3	1	2	6	16
Food borne illness, <i>Unspecified</i>	1	2	3	3	-	2	-
Gonorrhoea	4	1	5	3	2	6	11
Hepatitis B	2	-	2	-	2	1	3
Hepatitis C	1	-	1	1	-	4	1
HIV	4	1	5	3	2	9	11
Invasive Group A	1	1	2	2	-	-	-
Meningitis, <i>bacterial other than Neisseria meningitis cultured</i>	1	-	1	-	1	1	-
Non-invasive Meningococcal disease	1	-	1	1	-	-	-
Scarlet Fever	3	2	5	4	1	2	1
Shingles, <i>Herpes Zoster</i>	-	1	1	1	-	5	3
Strep. Pneumoniae	1	-	1	1	-	3	1
Syphilis	1	-	1	-	1	-	3
Syphilis, <i>Latent</i>	4	2	6	4	2	4	2
Tuberculosis, <i>Non-Pulmonary</i>	2	1	3	1	2	-	1
Tuberculosis, <i>Pulmonary</i>	1	2	3	-	3	2	2

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SECTION A2: *Number of persons involved in reported outbreaks and clusters of infectious diseases during February 2018.
 Numbers in brackets indicated the number of outbreaks.*

Notifiable Disease	Feb 2018				Maltese	Non-Maltese	Feb 2017	Feb 2016
	Males	Females	Unk	Total	Total	Total	Total	Total
Chickenpox (1)	2	2	-	4	4	-	-	-
Food borne illness, <i>Unspecified</i> (8)	25	67	-	92	92	-	23 (2)	-
Scarlet Fever (1)	1	1	-	2	2	-	-	3 (1)

These figures have been compiled by the staff at the Infectious Disease Prevention and Control Unit on the basis of notifications and reports by medical practitioners, private laboratories and laboratory reports from the Pathology Department, Mater Dei Hospital, together with reports made by Medical Officers of Health responsible for communicable disease surveillance. The figures in February are subject to revision in the light of confirmatory laboratory investigations. A copy of this document is available on the IDCU website: <http://deputyprimeminister.gov.mt/en/health-promotion/idpcu/Pages/introduction.aspx>

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