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MONTHLY CONFIRMED NOTIFIABLE INFECTIOUS DISEASES – May 2016

SECTION A1: Number of individual cases of confirmed notifiable infectious disease by gender in Malta and Gozo during the month of May 2016.

Notifiable Disease	Malta		Gozo		Total	Notes
	Males	Females	Males	Females		
Chickenpox	4	4	-	-	8	
Chlamydia	19	10	-	-	29	Fourteen cases occurred in non-residents. One of which was imported. Another two cases were imported.
Food borne illness, <i>Campylobacter</i>	21	15	-	1	37	Three cases occurred in non-residents.
Food borne illness, <i>E.Coli</i>	-	1	-	-	1	This case occurred in a non-resident.
Food borne illness, <i>Salmonella</i>	9	8	-	-	17	
Food borne illness, <i>Toxic</i>	-	1	-	-	1	
Food borne illness, <i>Unspecified</i>	1	-	-	-	1	
Giardiasis	-	-	-	1	1	
Gonorrhoea	5	-	-	-	5	Three cases occurred in a non-resident. Another case was imported.
Hepatitis C	2	-	-	-	2	One case was imported and occurred in a non-resident.
HIV	1	-	-	-	1	
Leptospirosis	1	-	-	-	1	
Scarlet Fever	-	-	-	1	1	
Septicaemia, <i>Meningococcal</i>	-	1	-	-	1	
Syphilis	1	-	-	-	1	
Syphilis, <i>Primary</i>	2	1	-	-	3	One case occurred in a non-resident.
Tuberculosis, <i>Pulmonary</i>	2	-	-	-	2	One case was imported and occurred in a non-resident.
Typhus	1	-	-	-	1	

SECTION A2: Number of persons involved in reported outbreaks and clusters of infectious diseases during May 2016.

Notifiable Disease	Malta		Gozo		Total	Remarks
	Males	Females	Males	Females		
Chickenpox	1	1	-	-	2	Two cases in one outbreak.
Food borne illness, <i>Campylobacter</i>	1	1	2	3	7	Seven cases in two outbreaks.
Food borne illness, <i>Salmonella</i>	2	2	-	-	4	Four cases in two outbreaks.
Food borne illness, <i>Unspecified</i>	-	2	-	-	2	Two cases in one outbreak.

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 Microbiology Unit, Mater Dei Hospital, together with reports made by Medical Officers of Health responsible for communicable disease surveillance. The figures in May are subject to revision in the light of confirmatory laboratory investigations. A copy of this document is available on the IDCU website <http://www.ehealth.gov.mt>

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