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MONTHLY CONFIRMED NOTIFIABLE INFECTIOUS DISEASES – May 2017

SECTION A1: Number of individual cases of confirmed notifiable infectious disease by gender in Malta and Gozo during the month of May 2017.

Notifiable Disease	Malta		Gozo		Total	Notes
	Males	Females	Males	Females		
Chickenpox	2	2	-	-	4	
Chlamydia	11	5	-	-	17	Six cases occurred in non-residents.
Food borne illness, <i>Campylobacter</i>	10	8	1	-	19	Two cases occurred in non-residents.
Food borne illness, <i>Salmonella</i>	1	2	-	1	4	One case occurred in a non-resident.
Gonorrhoea	5	-	-	-	5	Two cases occurred in non-residents. Another two cases were imported.
Hepatitis A	2	-	-	-	2	
Hepatitis B	1	2	-	-	3	Two cases occurred in non-residents.
HIV	5	-	-	-	5	Four cases occurred in non-residents.
Malaria	1	-	-	-	1	This case was imported.
Scarlet Fever	1	1	1	-	3	One case was imported.
Shingles, <i>Herpes Zoster</i>	-	-	2	-	2	
Strep. Pneumoniae	-	1	-	-	1	
Syphilis	1	-	-	-	1	
Syphilis <i>Latent</i>	2	-	-	-	2	One case was imported.
Syphilis <i>Primary</i>	1	-	-	-	1	
Syphilis <i>Secondary</i>	1	-	-	-	1	This case occurred in a non-resident.
Tuberculosis, <i>Non-Pulmonary</i>	1	-	-	-	1	This case was imported and occurred in a non-resident.
Tuberculosis, <i>Pulmonary</i>	5	-	-	-	5	Four cases were imported. One of which occurred in a non-resident.
Typhus	1	-	-	-	1	

SECTION A2: Number of persons involved in reported outbreaks and clusters of infectious diseases during May 2017.

Notifiable Disease	Malta		Gozo		Total	Remarks
	Males	Females	Males	Females		
Food borne illness, <i>Unspecified</i>	1	3	-	-	9	Nine cases in two outbreaks. The gender distribution of one outbreak could not be determined
Hepatitis A	1	1	-	-	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 ICDU website <http://www.ehealth.gov.mt>

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