

Table A21 Deaths due to Notifiable Infectious Diseases 1996 to 2000

Disease	Number of Deaths					Death Rate * (Number of Deaths per 100 000 Population)				
	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000
Amoebic dysentery	0	1	0	0	0	0.00	0.02	0.00	0.00	0.00
Chickenpox †	-	-	-	0	1	-	-	-	0.00	0.02
Enteric fever: Typhoid	1	1	0	1	1	0.02	0.02	0.00	0.02	0.02
Malaria	2	0	0	0	1	0.03	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.02
Meningococcal infections	1	0	0	0	1	0.02	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.02
Rabies (Human)	0	0	0	0	1	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.02
Rubella	0	1	0	0	0	0.00	0.02	0.00	0.00	0.00
Tetanus	3	1	3	1	2	0.05	0.02	0.05	0.02	0.03
Tuberculosis	292	252	270	312	299	4.54	3.88	4.13	4.72	4.49
Typhus fever	0	0	0	1	0	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.02	0.00
Viral hepatitis	5	4	7	2	4	0.08	0.06	0.11	0.03	0.06
Whooping cough	0	1	0	0	0	0.00	0.02	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>Total</b>	<b>304</b>	<b>261</b>	<b>280</b>	<b>317</b>	<b>310</b>	<b>4.72</b>	<b>4.02</b>	<b>4.28</b>	<b>4.80</b>	<b>4.65</b>

Notes No death case of acute poliomyelitis, bacillary dysentery, cholera, dengue fever, diphtheria, food poisoning, legionnaires' disease, leprosy, measles, mumps, paratyphoid, plague, relapsing fever, scarlet fever or yellow fever was reported during the specified years.

\* Since August 2000, the "resident population" approach has been adopted in place of the "extended de facto" approach for compiling population estimates.  
Also, the Population Census which was conducted in March 2001 provides a benchmark for revising the population estimates compiled since the 1996 Population By-census.  
In this table, the population-related figures from 1996 onwards have been revised accordingly.

† Chickenpox has been made notifiable since February 1999.

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