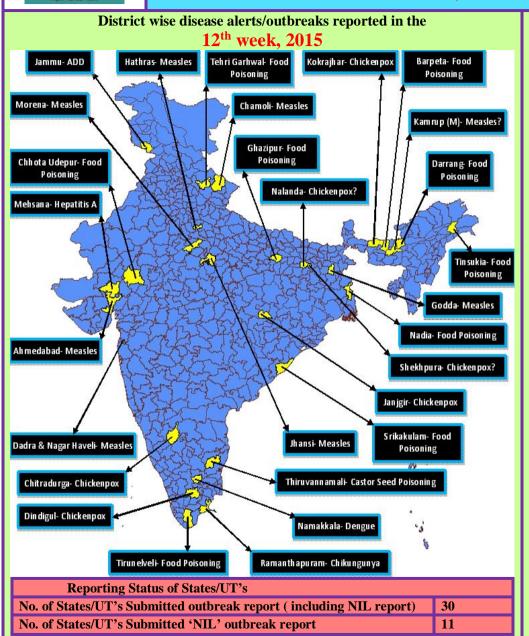
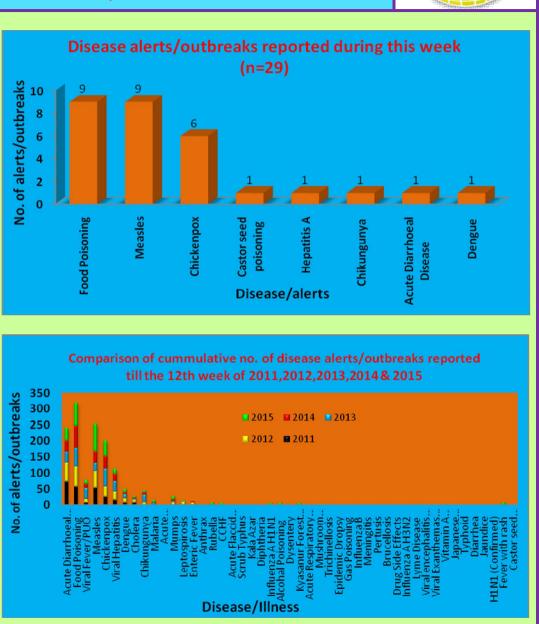


## DISEASE ALERTS/OUTBREAKS REPORTED AND RESPONDED TO BY STATES/UTs THROUGH INTEGRATED DISEASE SURVEILLANCE PROGRAMME (IDSP)



12th week (16th March to 22nd March) 2015





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1.	Andhra Pradesh	Srikakulam	i. Food Poisoning	27	0	17/03/15	18/03/15	Under Control	Cases reported from Kasturibha Gandhi Balikala Vidalayam, Mandal Seethampeta, District Srikakulam. District RRT investigated the outbreak. All cases had consumed dinner consisting of rice, mixed vegetable, curry and peanuts. 01 food sample and 01 water sample collected and sent to regional lab Visakhapatnam and RWS Srikakulam respectively; result awaited. All cases treated symptomatically. Hostel mess cleaned and all water sources chlorinated. Health education given.
		Darrang	ii. Food Poisoning	61	0	11/03/15	17/03/15	Under Surveillance	Cases reported from Village Pachim Borpathar, SC Gavara, PHC Patharighat, District Darrang. District RRT investigated the outbreak. All the cases consumed food in a function .01 stool sample collected and sent to GMCH Guwahati was found to be negative for V. Cholera and 02 water samples were also tested by H2S strip and found to be potable. Medical camp organized in the area and all cases were treated symptomatically. Health education given.
2.	Assam	Barpeta	iii. Food Poisoning	779	3	17/03/15	19/03/15	Under Surveillance	Cases of pain abdomen, vomiting and loose motion reported from Village Dongergaon, Joypur, Orangajuli, PHC Nagaon, SC Khatorbari, District Barpeta. District RRT investigated the outbreak Active case search done. All cases consumed Maha Prasad. All age groups were affected. 03 females aged 12, 18 and 55 years died due to the condition. A total of 03 water samples collected and tested by H2S method; all 03 samples were found to be potable. Food samples collected and sent to District Public health lab; result awaited. All cases treated symptomatically. Health education given.
		Kokrajhar	iv. Chickenpox	12	0	20/03/15	21/03/15	Under Control	Cases of fever, body ache, conjunctivitis and maculopapular rash reported from Village Brojokhal and Tekarkhata, SC Mainagpuri, PHC Shaktiashram, District Kokrajhar. District RRT investigated the outbreak Active case search done. Majority of cases were in 5-15 year age group. All the cases were treated symptomatically. Health education given.

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		Tinsukia	v. Food Poisoning	13	5	10/03/15	17/03/15	Under Surveillance	Cases reported from Dom line, Nokhroy, TE Hapjan PHC, District Tinsukia. District RRT investigated the outbreak. House to house survey done. All the cases consumed wild mushrooms after which they developed stomach pain, diarrhea and vomiting. All the cases treated symptomatically. Five males aged 16, 28, 45, 30 & 30 years died due to the condition. Health education given.
3.	Chhattisgarh	Janjgir	vi. Chickenpox	8	0	14/03/15	19/03/15	Under Surveillance	Cases reported from Village Bhilai, Section Dongari, CHC Baloda, District Janjgir. District RRT investigated the outbreak. Active case search done. Medical camp organized in the area and all the cases were treated symptomatically. Health education given.
4.	Dadra & Nagar Haveli	Dadra & Nagar Haveli	vii. Measles	7	0	18/03/15	18/03/15	Under Surveillance	Cases reported from Village Amli, SC Gandhigram, PHC Kilvani, Block Silvassa, District Dadra & Nagar Haveli. District RRT investigated the outbreak. House to house survey done. Majority of cases were between 1-4 years of age. All 05 blood samples tested at DPHL Silvassa were found to be positive for IgM ELISA Measles. All cases treated symptomatically. Health education given.
5.	Gujarat	Chhota Udepur	viii. Food Poisoning	51	0	15/03/15	18/03/15	Under Surveillance	Cases of vomiting and fever reported from Village, SC Zab Vasahat Fata, PHC Suryaghoda, Taluka Sankheda, District Chhota Udepur. District RRT investigated the outbreak. Active case search done. All cases had history of consumption of ice candy. Out of 3 water samples tested 01 sample was found to be non-potable. 07 Stool and blood culture were tested but found negative for cholera. House to house case search done.
6	6. Jharkhand	Godda	ix. Measles	9	0	19/03/15	22/03/15	Under Surveillance	Cases of fever and rash reported from Village Bansipur, SC Mahesh Litti, Block Pathargama District Godda. District RRT investigated the outbreak. Active case search done. All 05 blood samples tested at Institute of Serology, Kolkata were found to be positive for measles IgM ELISA. All cases treated symptomatically. Health education given.
<b>0.</b>		Godda	x. ?Measles	28	0	21/03/15	23/03/15	Under Surveillance	Cases reported from Village /SC Ghorshanda PHC/ Block Sadar Prakhand, District Godda. District RRT investigated the outbreak. Active case search done. 05 blood samples collected and sent to Institute of Serology, Kolkata for IgM ELISA; result awaited. All cases treated symptomatically. Health education given.

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7.	Karnataka	Chitradurga	xi. Chickenpox	9	0	12/03/15	24/03/15	Under Control	Cases reported from Village Hulugalkunte, PHC Yalladakere, Taluk Hiriyur, District Chitradurga. District RRT investigated the outbreak. House to house case search done. A total of 09 blood samples were tested and 08 were found to be positive for Chickenpox by IgM ELISA. All cases treated symptomatically. Health education given.
8.	Jammu and Kashmir	Jammu	xii. Acute Diarrheal Disease	410	0	15/03/15	25/03/15	Under Surveillance	Cases of vomiting, pain in abdomen and diarrhea reported from Village Rabta, Bhagani, Ghanai, PHC Keri, Block Kot Bhalwal, District Jammu. District RRT investigated the outbreak. All 03 water samples were found to be non-potable. All the cases were treated symptomatically. Chlorination done. Health education including awareness about disease and its prevention was given to the patients and general public.
9.	Madhya Pradesh	Morena	xiii. ? Measles	11	1	13/03/15	17/03/15	Under Surveillance	Cases reported from Village Kaluapura, SHC Kolhudanda, Block Pahadgarh, District Morena. District RRT investigated the outbreak. House to house survey done. One 05 year old male child died due to the condition. All the cases were isolated and treated symptomatically. Health education given.
		Tirunelveli	xiv. Food Poisoning	18	0	16/03/15	17/03/15	Under Surveillance	Cases reported from Village Alaganeri, SC Adangarkulam, PHC Vadakkankulam, Block Vallioor, District Tirunelveli. District RRT investigated the outbreak. All the cases were residing in hostel and had consumed breakfast after which they complained of giddiness, vomiting and pain abdomen. All the cases were treated symptomatically. Overhead tanks cleaned and chlorinated. Health education given.
10.	Tamil Nadu	Ramanthapuram	xv. Chikungunya	12	0	13/03/15	23/03/15	Under Surveillance	Cases reported from Village SP Kottai, HSC Kidathirukkai, PHC Melasirupothu, Block Kadaladi, District Ramanthapuram. District RRT investigated the outbreak. House to house survey done. A total of 03 serum samples sent to DPHL Ramanad; 02 found positive for Chikungunya IgM ELISA. All cases treated symptomatically. Health education given .
		Thiruvannamali	xvi. Castor Seed Poisoning	09	0	18/03/15	23/03/15	Under Surveillance	Cases reported from Village Appupattu, PHC Pavithram, Block Kattampoondi, District Thiruvannamalai. District RRT investigated the outbreak. All the cases were school children who consumed castor seeds from a plant near school. All the cases were treated symptomatically. Vegetation around school cleaned. Health education given.

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	Uttar Pradesh Uttar Pradesh	Ghazipur	xvii. Food Poisoning	12	0	18/03/15	19/03/15	Under Surveillance	Cases reported from Nawapura, Yusufpur, Muhmmadabad, District Ghazipur. District RRT investigated the outbreak. House to house survey done. All affected were children and had history of consumption of wild fruits. All the cases were treated symptomatically. Health education given to the villagers.
11.		Hathras	xviii. Measles	55	1	16/03/15	17/03/15	Under Control	Cases reported from Mohalla Tandula, Hathras City, District Hathras. District RRT investigated the outbreak. House to house survey done. A total of 05 blood samples taken and sent to SGPGI Lucknow; result awaited. One 05 year old male child died due to the conditions. All the cases treated symptomatically. Health education given.
		Jhansi	xix. Measles	7	0	18/03/15	18/03/15	Under Surveillance	Cases reported from Village Kanaura, Block Bangra, District Jhansi. District RRT investigated the outbreak. House to house survey done. 05 out of 07 children were not previously vaccinated for Measles. A total of 05 serum samples collected and sent to SGPGI Lucknow; result awaited. All the cases were treated symptomatically vitamin A given. Health education provided.
12.	Uttarakhand	Tehri Garhwal	xx. Food Poisoning	16	1	16/03/15	23/03/15	Under Surveillance	Cases of loose stools and vomiting reported from Village Majaf, PHC / Block Pratap Nagar, District Tehri Garhwal. District RRT investigated the outbreak. Active case search done. All 03 stool samples tested at HIHT Jollygrant were found to be negative for V. cholerae culture. 01 water sample sent to Jal Sansthan Tehri was found to be potable. One 75 year old female died due to condition. All cases were treated symptomatically. Health education given.
12.		Chamoli	xxi. Measles	16	0	15/03/15	23/03/15	Under Surveillance	Cases reported from Village Banjh Bagar, Block Ghat, District Chamoli. RRT visited the area. Majority of cases were above 10 years of age. All 05 blood samples collected and sent to VCSG medical college Srinagar; tested positive for Measles by IgM ELISA. All cases treated symptomatically and vitamin A administered to all the cases. Health education given.

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13.	West Bengal	Nadia	xxii. Food Poisoning	13	0	24/03/15	24/03/15	Under Control	Cases of vomiting, abdominal pain, loose motion and fever reported from Village Khapradanga, GP Pansila, Area Nabadwip, District Nadia. District RRT investigated the outbreak. All cases had consumed food in a family function consisting of rice, alu, vaja, vendi vaja, fish curry and mutton curry. 02 rectal swabs tested at NICED Beleghatta were found to be negative for vibrio cholera. All cases treated symptomatically. Health education given.

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1.	Assam	Kamrup (M)	xxiii. Measles?	9	0	09/03/15	Under Control	Cases of fever with rash reported from Village Kailash Nagar, PHC South Zone, Dakhin Path, Distt Kamrup (M). District RRT investigated the outbreak. Majority of cases were in 1-5 year age group. Out of all 9 cases 6 were not vaccinated and the vaccination status of 3 was not known. All cases were treated symptomatically and Vit A was administered to all the cases. Health education given.				
2	Bihar	Nalanda	xxiv. Chickenpox?	6	0	09/03/15	Under Surveillance	Cases reported from Village Kubra Bigha, HSC Mayar, Block Noorsarai, District Nalanda. District RRT investigated the outbreak. Majority of the cases were in 5-10 years of age group. House to house survey done. All the cases were treated symptomatically and isolation was done. Health education given.				
2.	Binar	Shekhpura	xxv. Chickenpox?	16	0	10/03/15	Under Surveillance	Cases reported from Village Afardih, HSC Baruna, PHC/ Block Ariyari, District Shekhpura. District RRT investigated the outbreak House to house case search done. Majority of the cases were in 0-5 years of age group. All the cases were treated symptomatically and isolation was done. Health education given.				

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	Gujarat	Ahmedabad	xxvi. Measles	10	0	26/02/15	Under Surveillance	Cases of fever with rash reported from Hathijan, Ramol Ward, District Ahmedabad. District RRT investigated the outbreak. House to house visit conducted to identify more cases. Majority of cases were in 0-5 year age group. A total of 05 serum samples collected and sent to BJ Medical College Lab and all were found positive for Measles by IgM ELISA. All the cases were treated symptomatically. Health education given.					
3.		Mehasana	xxvii. Hepatitis A	13	0	05/03/15	Under Surveillance	Cases of Jaundice reported from Village /SC Virata, PHC Chathiyarda, Block Mahesana, District Mahesana. District RRT investigated the outbreak. House to house case search done. Consumption of contaminated water could be the probable cause of the outbreak. 06 out of 08 blood samples tested positive for Hepatitis A IgM ELISA . 03 water samples collected and sent to Jal bhavan for testing; result awaited. Chlorination done. All cases are treated symptomatically at Mehasana district hospital. Health education regarding safe drinking water given.					
4.	Tamil Nadu	Namakkal	xxviii. Dengue	05	0	07/03/15	Under Surveillance	Cases reported from Village Murthypatty, HSC Villipalayam, PHC Koodacherry, Block Paramathi, District Namakkal. District RRT investigated the outbreak. Fever survey done. A total of 05 serum samples collected and sent to DPHL Namakkal and 02 samples found positive for Dengue by IgM ELISA. All cases treated symptomatically. Source reduction done. Anti-larval activities done. Fogging done in the area. Health education given.					
		Dindigul	xxix. Chickenpox?	6	0	10/03/15	Under Control	Cases reported from Village Rayarkottam, HSC Chellamanthadi, PHC Seelapadi, Block/District Dindigul. District RRT investigated the outbreak. House to house survey done. All the cases treated symptomatically.Health education given.					