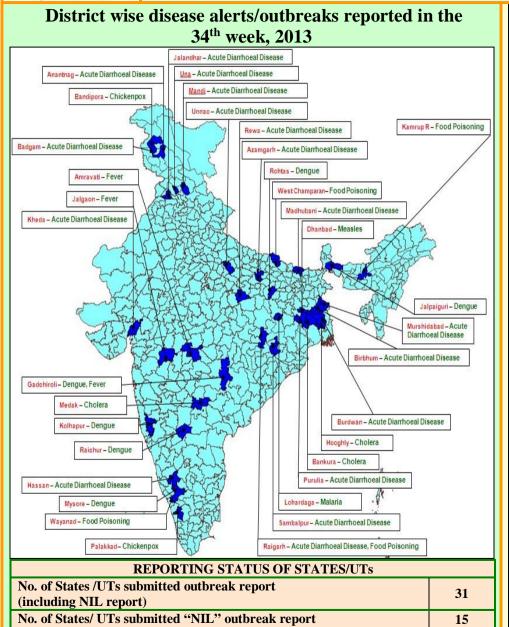
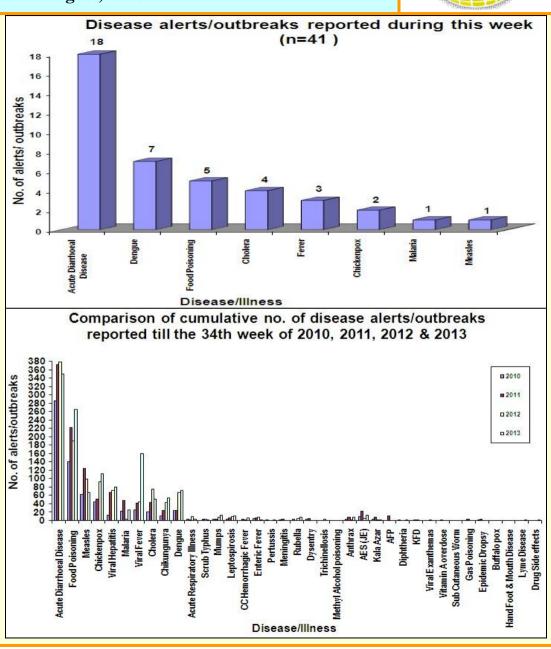


DISEASE ALERTS/OUTBREAKS REPORTED AND RESPONDED TO BY STATES/UTS THROUGH INTEGRATED DISEASE SURVEILLANCE PROGRAMME (IDSP)



34th week (19 to 25 August) 2013





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1.	Andhra Pradesh	Medak	i Cholera?	93	3	16/08/13	25/08/13	Under surveilla nce	Cases of loose motion and vomiting reported from Village Ranzole, PHC Malchelma, Block Zaheerabad, District Medak. District RRT investigated the outbreak. People consumed bore well water for household activities. Open defecation observed in the community. House to house survey done. Medical camps organized in the affected area. 3 deaths occurred in patients age 7, 60 and 75 years. Out of 5 rectal swabs collected, 1 sample was positive for cholera by culture. 6 water samples collected were non potable. Chlorine tablets distributed. Disinfection of surroundings done. Health education given.
2.	Assam	Kamrup R	ii Food Poisoning	33	0	24/08/13	24/08/13	Under control	Cases of loose motion, nausea, vomiting, pain abdomen reported from Village Bongaltola, SC Mazarkuri, PHC/Block Hajo, District Kamrup R. District RRT investigated the outbreak. Cases consumed Prasad (Bhog) in local ritual ceremony. Cases treated at PHC Hajo. 2 cases treated at Sualkuchi FRU. All cases recovered. 1 stool sample collected was negative for cholera. 1 food sample collected; result awaited.
3.	Bihar	West Champaran	iii Food Poisoning	30	0	17/08/13	21/08/13	Under control	Cases of loose watery stool reported from Village/PHC Nautan, Block Jamuniya, District West Champaran. People consumed food in religious function. District RRT investigated the outbreak. Temporary medical camp organized. Cases treated. All cases recovered.
		Raigarh	iv Food Poisoning	15	0	22/08/13	24/08/13	Under control	Cases of diarrhoea reported from Village/SC Bar, Block Barakela, District Raigarh. Block health team investigated the outbreak. No samples were collected. Health camp organized. Treatment given to cases. Health education given.
4.	Chhattisgarh	Raigarh	v Food Poisoning	11	0	22/08/13	24/08/13	Under control	Cases of diarrhoea reported from Village Sanda, SC Lodhiya, Block Barakela, District Raigarh. Block health team investigated the outbreak. Cases treated locally. Health education given regarding safe food habits.
		Raigarh	vi Acute Diarrhoeal Disease	15	0	15/08/13	24/08/13	Under control	Cases of diarrhoea reported from Village Karpipali, SC Basnajhar, PHC Sondka, Block Kharsia, District Raigarh. Medical team investigated the outbreak. Medicine and ORS packets given to cases. Chlorine tablets distributed in the community. Health education given regarding safe drinking water.

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5.	Gujarat	Kheda	vii Acute Diarrhoeal Disease	13	0	23/08/13	23/08/13	Under control	Cases of loose motion and vomiting reported from Village Bhalada, SC Jargal, PHC Vanghroli, Block Thasra, District Kheda. Medical team investigated the outbreak. Pipeline leakages were observed in the community. Cases treated locally. 2 water samples collected; result awaited. Alternate supply of drinking water provided. Chlorine tablets distributed. IEC done.
6.	Himachal Pradesh	Una	viii Acute Diarrhoeal Disease	196	0	20/08/13	20/08/13	Under control	Cases of acute gastroenteritis reported from Village/PHC Dehlan, Block Haroli, District Una. District RRT investigated the outbreak. House to house survey done. Probable cause of outbreak was contaminated water. Temporary medical camp organized. Cases treated. Chlorination of water sources done. Chlorine tablets distributed. Health education given regarding safe drinking water.
	Jharkhand	Dhanbad	ix Measles	15	0	14/08/13	19/08/13	Under control	Cases of fever with rash reported from Village/SC Kanchandih, CHC/Block Nirsa, District Dhanbad. District RRT investigated the outbreak. Active search for fever cases done. Symptomatic treatment given to cases. 5 serum samples collected and sent to NICED Kolkata; result awaited. Health education given regarding isolation of cases.
7.		Lohardaga	x Malaria?	66	0	19/08/13	22/08/13	Under control	Cases of fever with chills reported from Villages Jogiyara, Jamro & Agaradih, SC Merale, PHC/Block Kisko, District Lohardaga. District RRT and Block health team investigated the outbreak. House to house fever survey done. Cases treated locally. 35 blood slides collected; result awaited. Out of 20 blood samples tested with RDK, 3 samples were positive for malaria (Pf). IEC activities undertaken regarding personal protection.
8.	Jammu and Kashmir	Bandipora	xi Chickenpox	17	0	19/08/13	24/08/13	Under control	Cases of fever with rash reported from Village Seer, Block Quilmuqam, District Bandipora. Medical team investigated the outbreak. Active search for fever cases done. Cases treated symptomatically. Health education given regarding isolation of cases.
9.	Karnataka	Mysore	xii Dengue	14	0	19/08/13	25/08/13	Under control	Cases of fever with body ache reported from Village/PHC/CHC N.R. Mohalla, District Mysore. District RRT investigated the outbreak. Cases treated at local health centre. 5 serum samples collected tested positive for Dengue (IgM ELISA). Control measures undertaken. IEC done.

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		Raichur	xiii Dengue?	20	0	20/08/13	25/08/13	Under control	Cases of fever reported from Village Malladevargudda, PHC Arekera, Block Devadurga, District Raichur. District RRT investigated the outbreak. House to house fever survey done. Cases treated. Out of 14 serum samples collected, 1 sample was positive for Dengue (IgM ELISA). Anti-larval activities and fogging done.
		Raichur	xiv Dengue	21	0	21/08/13	25/08/13	Under control	Cases of fever reported from Village Mullur, PHC Harapura, Block Sindhanur, District Raichur. District RRT investigated the outbreak. Cases treated symptomatically. Out of 13 serum samples collected, 2 samples were positive for Dengue (IgM ELISA). Control measures undertaken.
	Karnataka	Hassan	xv Acute Diarrhoeal Disease	20	0	20/08/13	21/08/13	Under control	Cases of gastroenteritis reported from Village Ajjur, PHC Belavadi, Block Arkalgud, District Hassan. District RRT investigated the outbreak. House to house survey done. Cases treated locally. 1 stool sample collected and sent to HIMS, Hassan; result awaited. Chlorination of water sources done. IEC activities undertaken.
10.	Kerala	Wayanad	xvi Food Poisoning	16	0	19/08/13	20/08/13	Under control	Cases of loose motion, abdominal pain reported from Village Kartikulam (Asisi Bhavan), SC Chekkoth colony, PHC Appapara, Block Mananthavady, District Wayanad. District RRT investigated the outbreak. Cases consumed boiled crabs in hostel mess. Inspection of hostel kitchen done. Cases treated locally. Health education given regarding safe food habits.
11.	Madhya Pradesh	Rewa	xvii Acute Diarrhoeal Disease	24	1	15/08/13	21/08/13	Under control	Cases of loose motion and vomiting reported from Village Mishran, Block Hanumana, District Rewa. District RRT investigated the outbreak. Cases treated locally. 11 cases treated at CHC Hanumana. Chlorination of water sources done. Chlorine tablets and ORS packets distributed. Health education given.
12.	Maharashtra	Ghadchiroli	xviii Dengue	13	1	16/08/13	22/08/13	Under control	Cases of fever reported from Village Bhandara, SC/PHC Betala, Block Mohadi, District Gadhchiroli. District RRT investigated the outbreak. House to house fever survey done. Cases treated locally. All 13 blood smears examined, tested negative for malaria. Out of 2 serum samples collected, 1 sample was positive for Dengue. Anti-larval activities and fogging done. IEC done.
120		Gadchiroli	xix Fever	35	0	18/08/13	22/08/13	Under control	Cases of fever reported from Village/SC/PHC Vairagad, Block Armori, District Gadchiroli. District RRT investigated the outbreak. House to house fever survey done. Cases treated at local health centre. All 35 blood smears examined tested negative for malaria. 2 serum samples collected; result awaited. Antilarval activities done.

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13	Odisha	Sambalpur	xx Acute Diarrhoeal Disease	12	0	18/08/13	24/08/13	Under control	Cases of diarrhoea reported from Village Pandari, SC Lipina, Block Jujumura, District Sambalpur. District RRT investigated the outbreak. All cases treated locally. Chlorination of water sources done. ORS packets and halogen tablets were distributed in the community. IEC done regarding safe drinking water and sanitation.
14	Punjab	Jalandhar	xxi Acute Diarrhoeal Disease	99	0	24/08/13	24/08/13	Under control	Cases of diarrhoea reported from Village Pouadra, PHC Bilga, Block Bilga, District Jalandhar, due to consumption of contaminated water (pipeline leakage). Medical team investigated the outbreak. House to house survey done. All 12 stool samples collected were negative for cholera. Out of 8 water samples collected, 5 were non potable. Cases treated symptomatically. Pipeline leakages repaired. Chlorine tablets distributed in the community. IEC done regarding safe drinking water, personal hygiene and sanitation.
15	Uttar Pradesh	Azamgarh	xxii Acute Diarrhoeal Disease	369	2	17/08/13	25/08/13	Under surveilla nce	Cases of loose motion reported from Pura Rani, Haidrabad, Islampur, Sekethi, Samudhi, Pura Sofi, Pyarepur, Nayapur, Town area Mubarakpur, District Azamgarh due to consumption of contaminated water (pipeline leakage). District/State RRT investigated the outbreak. Population of the affected area was 15000. House to house survey done by paramedical team. Temporary medical camps organized. Cases treated symptomatically. Patients treated at CHC Mubarakpur and District Hospital. Water samples collected; result awaited. Alternate supply of drinking water provided in the community. Chlorine tablets distributed. Pipeline leakages repaired by Nagar Palika. Health education given regarding safe drinking water, hygiene and sanitation.
	West Bengal	Hooghly	xxiii Cholera	12	1	21/08/13	22/08/13	Under control	Cases of vomiting reported from Village Rajghat, Block Polba, District Hooghly. District RRT investigated the outbreak. Cases consumed contaminated food. All cases were workers in bakery. All 3 rectal swabs tested positive for cholera culture (Ogawa). One death occurred in 15 year old male. Health education given.
16	A coo Bengui	Burdwan	xxivAcute Diarrhoeal Disease	17	0	19/08/13	20/08/13	Under control	Cases of loose motion reported from Village Belna, Block Burdwan–II, District Burdwan. Block health team investigated the outbreak. House to house survey done. 1 rectal swab tested negative for pathogens. 2 water samples collected; result awaited. Chlorination of water sources done. Halogen tablets and ORS packets distributed. Health education given regarding hygiene and sanitation.

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		Murshidabad	xxv Acute Diarrhoeal Disease	32	0	14/08/13	16/08/13	Under control	Cases of diarrhea reported from Village Senda, Block Jangipur, District Murshidabad. Block health team investigated the outbreak. Active search for cases done. All cases treated symptomatically. Chlorination of water sources done. Health education given regarding safe drinking water and sanitation.
		Bankura	xxvi Cholera?	82	0	20/08/13	21/08/13	Under control	Outbreak reported from Village Roypara, SC Jagadalla, Block Bankura-I, District Bankura. District RRT & Block health team investigated the outbreak. House to house survey done. Medicine and ORS packets given to cases. 45 cases treated at local health centre. Out of 2 stool samples collected, 1 sample was positive for cholera by culture. 7 water samples collected; result awaited. Chlorine tablets distributed. Chlorination of water sources done. Disinfection of surrounding done. IEC done regarding safe drinking water, hygiene and sanitation.
	West Bengal	Purulia	xxvii Acute Diarrhoeal Disease	19	0	23/08/13	24/08/13	Under control	Cases of loose motion reported from Village/SC Pichasi, Block Purulia-I, District Purulia. Block health team investigated the outbreak. People consumed water from well and tube well. Open defecation was rampant. Cases treated at local health centre. 2 stool samples collected and sent to BMCH, Bankura; result awaited. Chlorination of water sources done. IEC done through distribution of leaflets and health talks.
		Hooghly	xxviii Choler a	27	2	22/08/13	25/08/13	Under surveilla nce	Cases of diarrhea reported from Village/SC Gakulda, Block Pandua, District Hooghly. District RRT investigated the outbreak. Temporary medical camp organized. Cases treated symptomatically. 11 patients treated at local health centre. All 2 rectal swabs collected tested positive for Cholera culture (ogawa). 4 water samples collected; result awaited. 2 deaths occurred in patients aged 2.5 years & 12 years. Chlorine tablets and ORS packets distributed in the community. IEC done regarding safe food and drinking water, hygiene and sanitation.

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1.		Madhubani	xxixAcute Diarrhoeal Disease	27	0	10/08/13	Under control	Cases reported from Village Ramnagar, Mahindwar, PHC Phulparas, District Madhubani. Cases presented with loose motion and vomiting. District RRT along with Block health team investigated the outbreak. House to house survey was done. Cases treated locally and two cases treated at Subdivisonal Hospital Jhanjharpur. Chlorination of water sources was done. Health education given regarding safe drinking water and personal hygiene.
	Bihar	Rohtas, Bhabhua	xxx Dengue	346 (lab confir med)	0	28/07/13	Under surveilla nce	From 7 th June to 25 th August 2013, a total of 346 lab confirmed cases of dengue reported from Bihar. Most of the cases were from Districts Rohtas and Bhabhua. In District Rohtas, majority of the cases were reported from Block Kochas. All 346 serum samples collected were positive for Dengue (IgM ELISA/NS1 Antigen). All age groups and both sexes affected. The first positive case in Rohtas was reported from Village Parsathia from Block Kochas in last week of July 2013. Cases still continue to be reported. State has issued necessary guidelines to all Districts and Hospitals. The situation is being closely monitored
2.	Chhattisgarh	Raigarh	xxxiAcute Diarrhoeal Disease	35	0	12/08/13	Under control	Cases of loose motion reported from Village Hasaud, SC Salar, PHC Kanakbira, Block Sarangarh, District Raigarh. Block health team investigated the outbreak. House to house survey done. Cases treated symptomatically. Chlorine tablets distributed. Health education given regarding safe drinking water.
3.	Himachal Pradesh	Mandi	xxxii Acute Diarrhoeal Disease	89	0	12/08/13	Under control	Cases of acute onset vomiting and loose motions reported from Villages Chalout 1&2, Nachan, Satan and Baneshi, SC Som Nachan, PHC Thachi, Block Balichowki, District Mandi. District RRT investigated the outbreak. Medicine and ORS packets given to cases. Water samples collected; result awaited. Chlorine tablets distributed in the community. Health education given regarding safe drinking water, hygiene and sanitation.
4.	Jammu and Kashmir	Anantnag	xxxiii Acute Diarrhoeal Disease	35	0	10/08/13	Under control	Cases of gastroenteritis reported from Village Bul Bul Nowgam, PHC Brakpura, District Anantnag due to consumption of contaminated water. District RRT investigated the outbreak. House to house survey done. Cases treated. 3 water samples collected; result awaited. Chlorination of water sources done. Health education given.

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		Badgam	xxxiv Acute Diarrhoeal Disease	137	0	08/08/13	Under control	Cases of gastroenteritis reported from Village Watterhead, PHC Kachwari, Block Khansahib, District Badgam. District RRT investigated the outbreak. Temporary medical camp organized. Cases treated. Water samples collected were non potable. Chlorine tablets and ORS packets distributed in the community. IEC activities undertaken regarding safe drinking water, hygiene and sanitation.
5.	Kerala	Palakkad	xxxv Chickenpox	21	0	03/08/13	Under control	Cases reported from Village Odenthode, SC Parassery, PHC Kizhakkanchery, Block Vadakkanchery, District Palakkad. District RRT investigated the outbreak. Temporary medical camp organized. Cases treated symptomatically. Health education given regarding isolation of cases.
		Jalgaon	xxxvi Fever	22	1	13/08/13	Under control	Cases of fever reported from Village/SC Samrod, PHC Wakadi, Block Jamner, District Jalgaon. District RRT investigated the outbreak. Active search for fever cases done. Cases treated symptomatically. 22 blood smears collected tested negative for malaria. Health education given.
6.	Maharashtra	Amravati	xxxvii Fever	25	1	13/08/13	Under control	Cases of fever reported from Village/PHC Sheghat, Block Warud, District Amravati. District RRT investigated the outbreak. House to house fever survey done. Cases treated. All 25 blood smears collected tested negative for malaria. 6 serum samples collected; result awaited. Anti-larval activities done. IEC done.
		Kolhapur	xxxviii Dengu e	17	0	13/08/13	Under control	Cases of fever with arthralgia and myalgia reported from Village Dattawad, PHC Takali, Block Shirol, District Kolhapur. District RRT investigated the outbreak. Cases treated. Out of 17 serum samples collected, 14 samples were positive for Dengue. Fogging done in the affected area. IEC done.
7.	Uttar Pradesh	Unnao	xxxix Acute Diarrhoeal Disease	34	1	8/8/13	Under control	Cases of diarrhoea reported from Village Chhedakhera, SC Saraimanihar, PHC & Block Sumerpur, District Unnao. District RRT investigated the outbreak. Poor sanitary conditions were observed in the community. Cases treated locally. 2 stool samples and 1 water sample collected; result awaited. Chlorine tablets distributed in the community. Health education given.
8.	West Bengal	Jalpaiguri	xl Dengue	189	1	01/08/13	Under surveilla nce	Cases of fever, headache, joint pain and retroorbital pain reported from Village Demdema Basty, SC Betgara, Block Rajganj, District Jalpaiguri. District RRT and Block health team investigated the outbreak. Active search for cases done. Out of 43 serum samples collected, 23 serum samples were positive for Dengue (IgM ELISA). And further 16 more serum samples collected, of which 6 were positive for Dengue (NS1 antigen). Temporary health camps organized. Fogging done in the affected area. IEC done.

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		Birbhum	xli Acute Diarrheal Disease	104	0	08/08/13	Under control	Cases of loose motion and vomiting reported from Village Paharpur Malpara, Block Nalihati-I, District Birbhum. District RRT investigated the outbreak. People used pond water for household activities. House to house survey done. 29 cases were treated at RSD hospital. 4 rectal swabs collected tested negative for cholera culture. Medicine and ORS packets distributed. Disinfection of surroundings done. IEC done.		