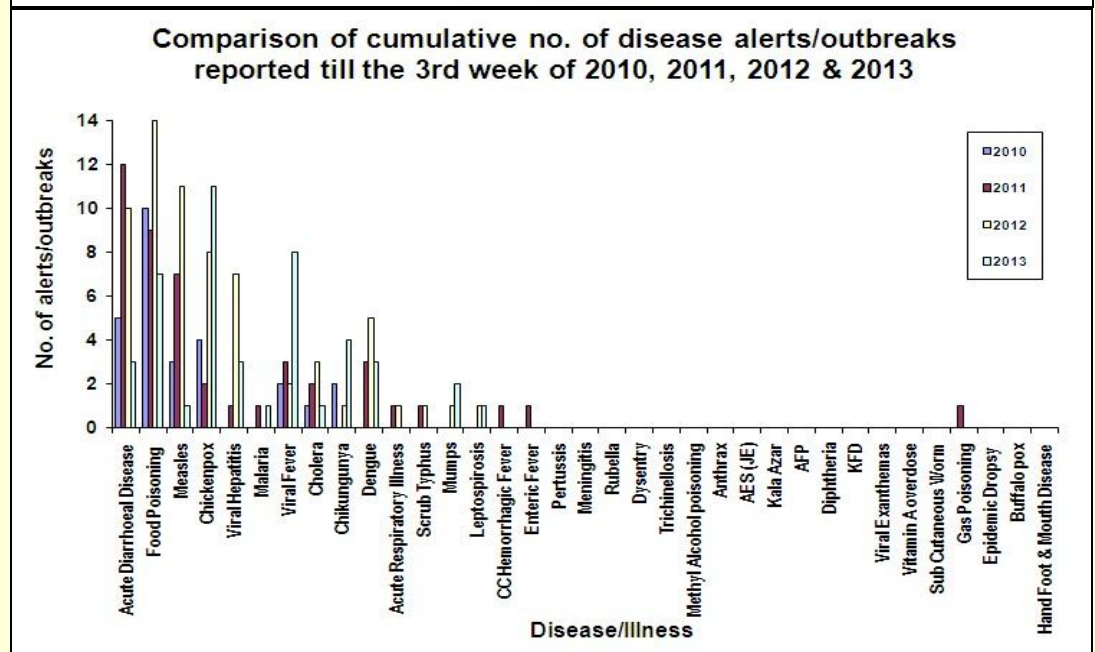
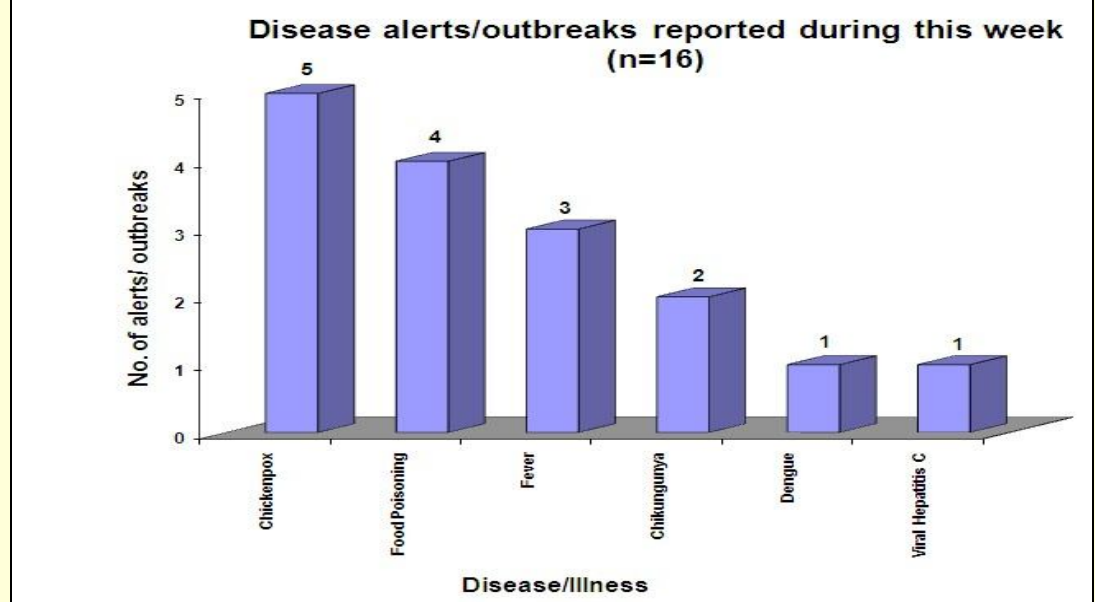
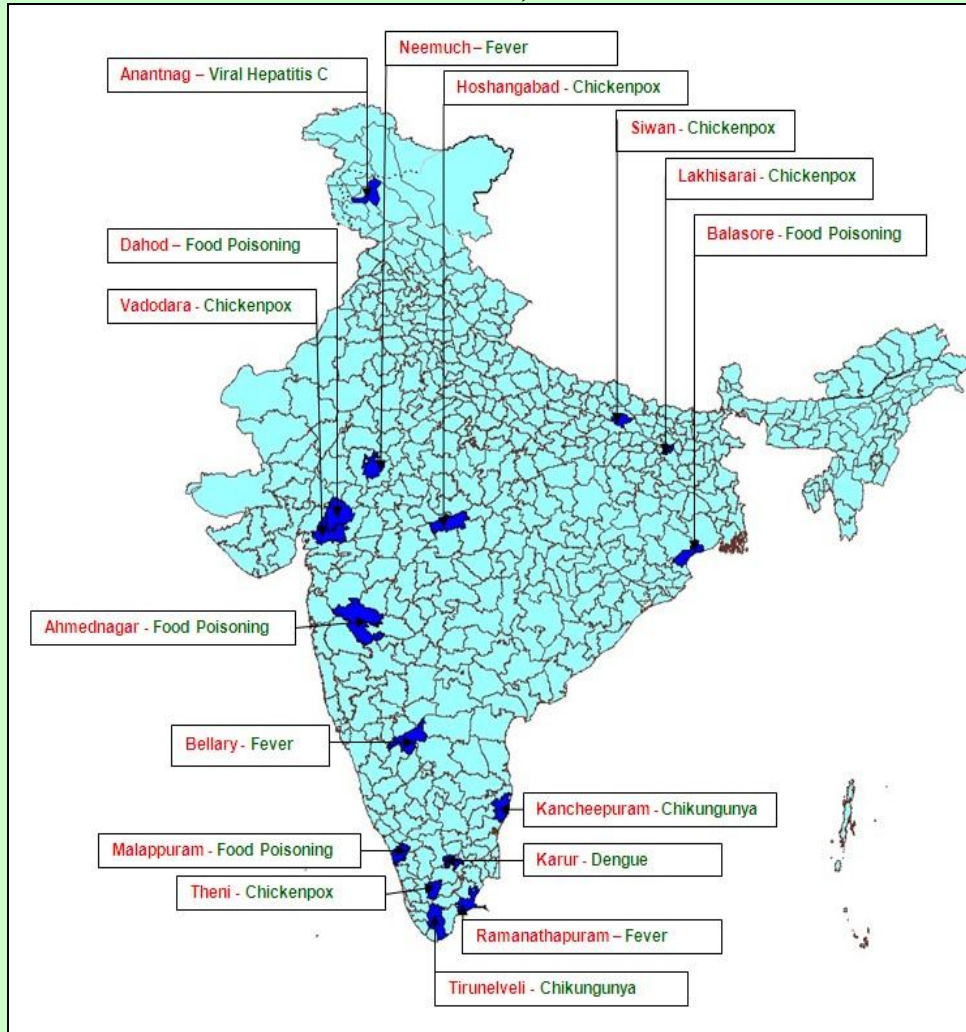




**District wise disease alerts/outbreaks reported in the 3<sup>rd</sup> Week, 2013**



REPORTING STATUS OF STATES/UTs	
No. of States/UTs submitted outbreak report (including NIL report)	32
No. of States/UTs submitted "NIL" outbreak report	23

Sl. No.	Name of State/UT	Name of District	Disease/ Illness	No. of Cases	No. of Deaths	Date of start of outbreak	Date of reporting	Current Status	Comments/ Action taken
1.	Bihar	Lakhisarai	i Chickenpox	11	0	14/01/13	20/01/13	Under control	Cases of fever with vesicular rash reported from Village Badtara Mushari (chaudhari tola), SC Badtara, PHC/Block Ramgarh, District Lakhisarai. Medical team investigated the outbreak. Cases were children below 10 years of age. Symptomatic treatment given to all cases. Health education given regarding isolation of cases.
2.	Gujarat	Dahod	ii Food Poisoning	12	0	18/01/13	19/01/13	Under control	Cases of loose motion and vomiting reported from Village Rebari (Patel Faliya), PHC Bhathwada, Block Devgadhi Baria, District Dahod due to consumption of contaminated food. District RRT investigated the outbreak. Cases treated at local health centre. IEC done regarding safe food habit.
		Vadodara	iii Chickenpox	21	0	12/01/13	16/01/13	Under control	Outbreak of fever with vesicular rash reported from Village Kasarvav, SC Samalvant, PHC Navalja, Block Kawant, District Vadodara. District RRT investigated the outbreak. House to house survey done. Cases treated locally. Affected cases were children below 15 years of age. IEC done regarding isolation and early treatment of cases.
3.	Jammu and Kashmir	Anantnag	iv Viral Hepatitis C	304 (lab confirmed cases)	0	09/01/13	15/01/13	Under surveillance	Outbreak reported from Village Taklya Magam, SC Magam, PHC Wandevlgam, Block Larnoo, District Anantnag. District and State RRT investigated the outbreak. House to house search for cases done. Cases treated at Shere-I-Kashmir Institute of Medical Sciences, Srinagar. 920 serum samples collected, 304 were positive for Hepatitis C. None of the patients who tested positive for Hepatitis C had history of blood transfusion. Health education campaign undertaken by the District Health Authority for safe injection practices, prevention and transmission of blood borne diseases.
4.	Kerala	Malappuram	v Food Poisoning	30	0	15/01/13	17/01/13	Under control	Outbreak reported from Village Edayoor, SC Athipatta, PHC Edayoor, Block Kuttipuram, District Malappuram due to consumption of contaminated food (chicken curry). Medical team investigated the outbreak. Cases treated at local health centre. Health education given regarding food hygiene.
5.	Madhya Pradesh	Hoshangabad	vi Chickenpox	8	0	17/01/13	17/01/13	Under control	Cases of fever with rash reported from Centre proof Establishment (CPE), Army campus Itarsi, Block Kesla, District Hoshangabad. Medical team visited the affected area. Cases treated symptomatically on house to house visit. First case occurred on 12/1/13 in a girl aged 12 years. Affected cases were children in age group 4-14 years. IEC done regarding isolation of cases.
		Neemuch	vii Fever	78	0	11/01/13	14/01/13	Under control	Outbreak of fever with cough and sore throat for 7 days reported from Central Reserve Police Force Training School, Neemuch city, District Neemuch. District RRT investigated the outbreak. Active search for fever cases done. Cases treated symptomatically. IEC done.

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6.	Maharashtra	Ahmednagar	viii Food Poisoning	33	0	11/01/13	13/01/13	Under control	Outbreak of loose motion, nausea and vomiting reported from ZP Primary School Village Vadzari, SC/PHC Talegaon, Block Sangamner, District Ahmednagar due to consumption of contaminated food (fried rice) in mid day meal. Medical team investigated the outbreak. Cases treated symptomatically. Health education given regarding safe food habits.
7.	Odisha	Balasore	ix Food Poisoning	150	0	17/01/13	18/01/13	Under control	Outbreak of loose motion, vomiting and abdominal pain reported from Village Kusumuli Pahi, SC Bhimpur, CHC Rupsa, Block Sadar, District Balasore due to consumption of contaminated food (Prasad) in a religious function. District RRT investigated the outbreak. Cases treated at PHC Rasalpur. Health education given.
8.	Tamil Nadu	Kancheepuram	x Chikungunya ?	17	0	16/01/13	17/01/13	Under control	Cases of fever reported from Village/SC Pullalur, PHC Parandur, Block Walajabad, District Kancheepuram. District RRT investigated the outbreak. House to house survey done by para medical team. Cases treated locally. All 17 blood smears collected, tested negative for malaria. Out of 7 serum samples collected and sent to Chengalpattu Medical College, 1 sample was positive for Chikungunya. Anti-larval activities and fogging done in the affected area. IEC done.
		Karur	xi Dengue	56	0	13/01/13	16/01/13	Under control	Outbreak of fever with headache reported from Village Mettupatti, SC Jallipatti, PHC Velliyanai, Block Thanthoni, District Karur. District RRT investigated the outbreak. House to house fever survey done by para medical team. Temporary medical camp organized in the locality. Cases treated symptomatically. Blood smears collected tested negative for malaria. Out of 5 serum samples collected and sent to ZET Trichy, 4 samples were positive for Dengue. Control measures undertaken. IEC done.
		Ramanathapuram	xii Fever	15	0	17/01/13	20/01/13	Under control	Cases reported from Village Orivayal, SC Maranthai PHC Melasirupothu, Block Kadaladi, District Ramanathapuram. District RRT investigated the outbreak. House to house fever survey done. Cases treated at local health centre. 12 blood smears and 15 serum samples collected and sent to IVCZ Hosur and MMC Maduarai, result awaited. Anti-larval activities and fogging done in the affected area. IEC done.
		Theni	xiii Chickenpox	32	0	17/01/13	17/01/13	Under control	Outbreak of fever with vesicular rash reported from Village B.Dharmathupatti, SC B.Renganathapuram, PHC Sillamarathupatti, Block Bodi, District Theni. District RRT investigated the outbreak. House to house fever survey done. Cases treated symptomatically. Health education given regarding isolation and early treatment of cases.

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	Tamil Nadu	Tirunelveli	xiv Chikungunya	45	0	16/01/13	20/01/13	Under control	Outbreak of fever with arthralgia and myalgia reported from Village Unnankulam, SC Shenbagaramanallur, PHC Moolakarapatti, Block Nanuneri, District Tirunelveli. District RRT investigated the outbreak. Active search for fever cases done. Cases treated symptomatically. 12 blood smears collected, tested negative for malaria. Out of 18 serum samples collected and sent to ZET Thirunelveli, 3 samples were positive for Chikungunya. Anti-larval activities and fogging done in the affected area. IEC done.

**DISEASE OUTBREAKS OF PREVIOUS WEEKS REPORTED LATE**

Sl. No	Name of State/UT	Name of District	Disease/ Illness	Cases	Deaths	Date of start of outbreak	Current Status	Comments/ Action taken
1.	Bihar	Siwan	xv Chickenpox	15	0	08/01/13	Under control	Cases of fever with rash reported from Village Phalduhiya, PHC/Block Hasanpura, District Siwan. Medical team investigated the outbreak. House to house fever survey done. Cases treated symptomatically. Most of the cases were below 15 years of age. IEC done regarding isolation of cases.
2.	Karnataka	Bellary	xvi Fever	62	0	02/01/13	Under control	Outbreak of fever with joint pain reported from Village Obleshettyhalli, PHC/CHC Hudem, District Bellary. District RRT investigated the outbreak. Active search for fever cases done. Cases treated at local health centre. All 62 blood smears examined, tested negative for malaria. 10 serum samples collected; result awaited. Entomological survey revealed; HI 21.2%, CI 23.9%, BI 53.2%. Anti-larval activities and Pyrethrum spray done. IEC done.

**FOLLOW UP OF DISEASE OUTBREAKS OF PREVIOUS WEEKS**

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	Andhra Pradesh	Mahabubnagar	Chikungunya	31	0	09/01/13	Under surveillance	It was mentioned in the weekly IDSP outbreak report of 2 <sup>nd</sup> week (ending on 13 <sup>th</sup> January 2013), 20 cases of fever were reported from Village/SC Amarachinta, PHC Thippadampally, Block Athmakur, District Mahabubnagar. From 14 <sup>th</sup> to 20 <sup>th</sup> January 2013, further 11 cases occurred. Out of total 4 serum samples collected and sent to Veterinary Biological Research Institute Hyderabad, 1 sample was positive for Chikungunya. Control measures undertaken. IEC done.