

Epidemiological Highlights

Week 50 (13-19 Dec 2021)



As of week 50, (13-19 Dec 2021) there were 3,304 confirmed cases of COVID-19 (SARS-CoV-2), out of 78,953 samples that had been tested. The total positivity rate now stands at 4.2%.

In the reporting week, two (2) new confirmed cases were detected, 761 total samples were tested which is a drop from 14 cases reported the previous week. This translated to a 0.3% weekly test positivity rate.

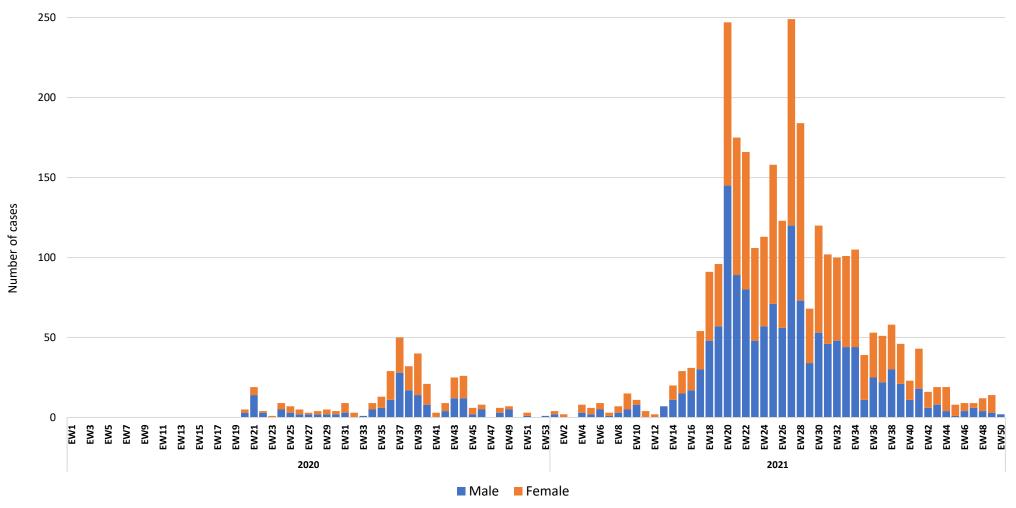
During the reporting week

- Median age for tested and confirmed cases were 11 (0-120) and 21 (0-100) years respectively
- Proportions of females among tested and confirmed cases were 54% and 53% respectively
- All the 34 camps, have so far reported confirmed cases since the outbreak began, while the five camps with the highest number of reported cases were; C24-205, C3-203, C17-186, C2W-181, and C21-179.
- Total confirmed COVID-19 deaths so far reported to date stood at 34 with the average case fatality ratio of 1.0% so far.
- The weekly incidence drastically and significantly declined to 2.3 cases/1 million population in this Epi week as compared to 16.3 cases/1miiion population/week in the previous week.
- The Weekly Test Positivity rate also declined from 1.6% in Epi Week 49 to 0.3% in Epi week 50





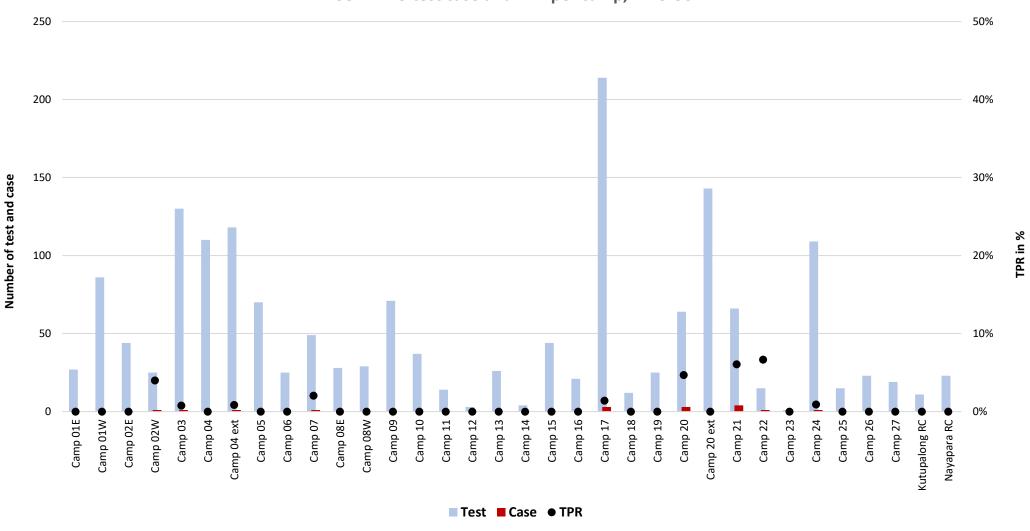








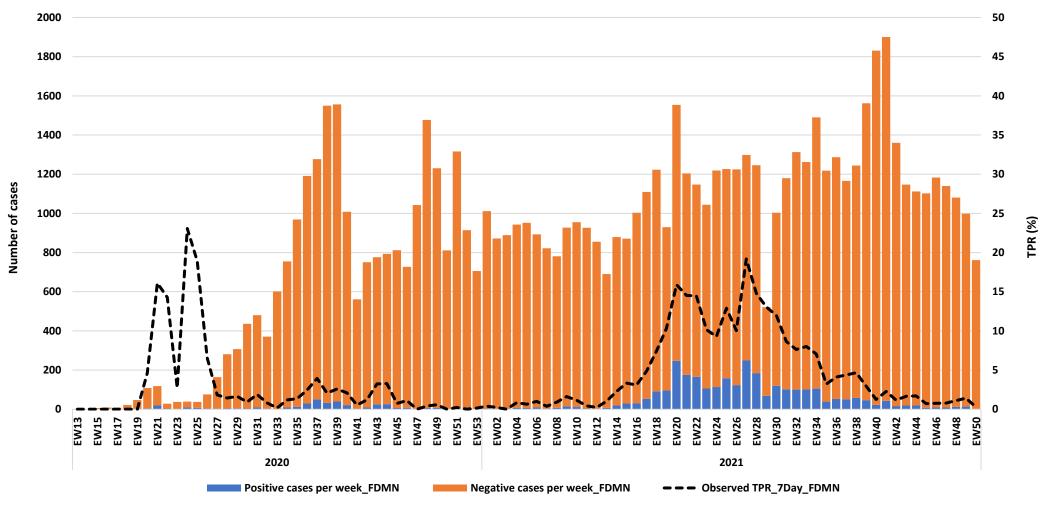






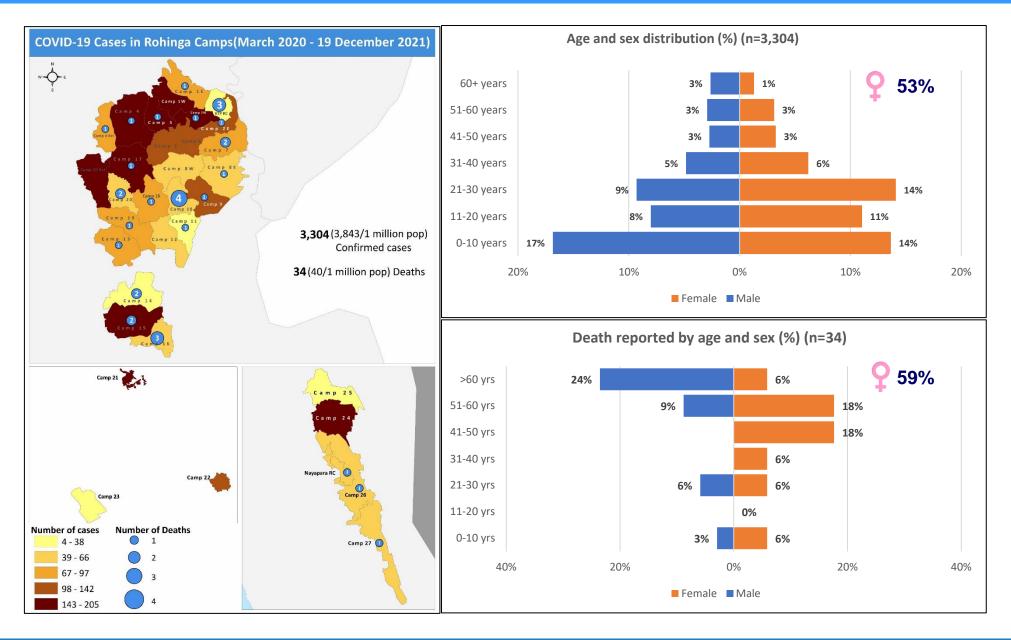








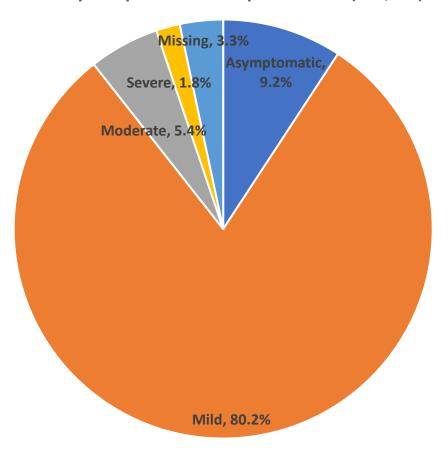




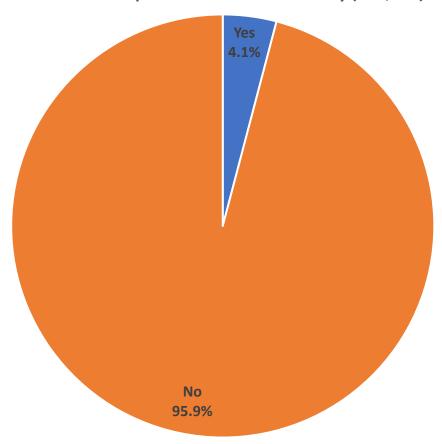




Severity of reported cases at presentation (n=3,151)



Did the case report at least 1 co-morbidity (n=3,151)



Source: Go.Data





- Total 3,151 (out of 3,304) of the confirmed cases have been investigated by the Rapid Investigation and Response Team (RIRT, a camp wise Contact Tracing(CT) network, composed of RIRT coordinator, Site Mx representation, CT supervisor, currently camp 34 teams are working with 34 supervisors and over 300 volunteers i.e. contact tracer).
- Contact tracing has been done by Contact Tracing (CT) supervisors with 8,970 (80%) contacts registered for follow-up in the Go.Data out of 11,202 contacts in total were identified during the field investigation.
- 6,595 (74%) contacts successfully accomplished the follow-up.
- 321 household contacts tested positive within the incubation period.

Source: Go.Data





EWARS Reporting Updates

- Currently, a total of 170 health facilities registered in EWARS
 - During the week, 141/170 weekly reports were received on time in week 50
 - Timeliness of reporting for this week was 83%
 - Eighty-eight (88) alerts were triggered
 - All alerts were reviewed and verified by the WHO EWARS team;
 - The number of alerts triggered this reporting week were less than that of the previous week (89 in week 49).





Highlights:

- Acute Respiratory Infection (18.1%), Diarrheal Diseases (4.2%) & Injury and wounds (2.2%) were the diseases and health conditions with the highest proportional morbidity in week 50.
- Monitoring of suspected SARI death under enhanced Community-based mortality surveillance has been continued since week 28, 2020.
 - During the Epi week, one (1) SARI deaths was reported
 - One hundred forty-one (141) suspected SARI deaths have been reported so far and reviewed subsequently by Rapid Investigation and Response Team (RIRT) for COIVD-19.
 - Out of the 141 SARI suspected deaths so far reported, a total of fifteen (15) SARI deaths were verified through Verbal Autopsy and Health Facility Death Review and considered as death due to probable COVID-19 till date.





Diphtheria updates

Three (3) suspected diphtheria case was reported in go.data in week 50

The last confirmed case was reported on 10 December 2021

In total 52 deaths were reported to have so far been reported since 2017, the last death was reported on 5 November 2021

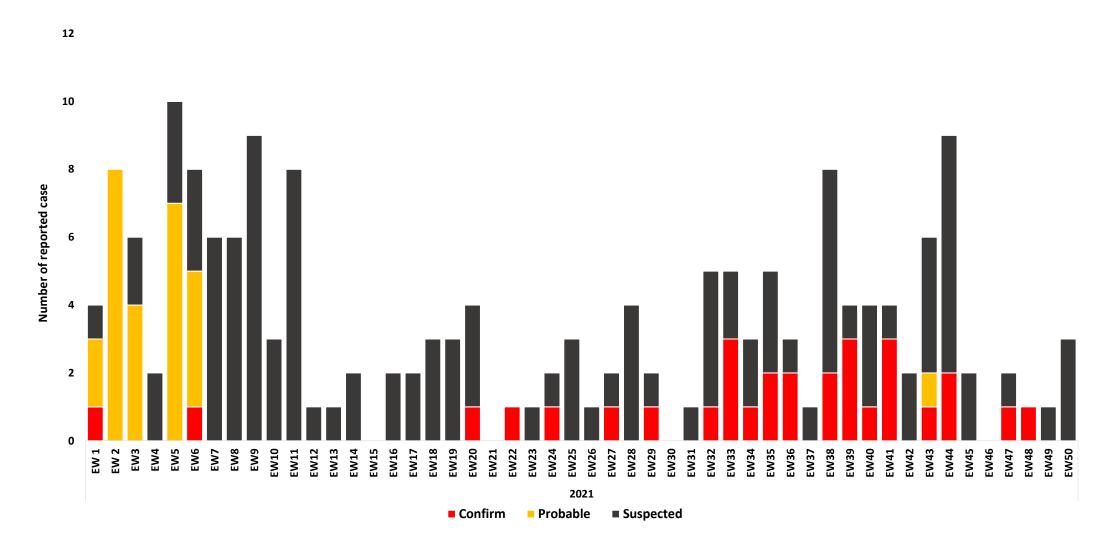
Classification	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021
Confirmed	66	226	31	19	30
Probable	1154	1555	60	9	26
Suspected	1796	3549	523	198	117
Death	30	14	3	0	5





Diphtheria

Total number of diphtheria cases reported in EWARS from W1-50, 2021

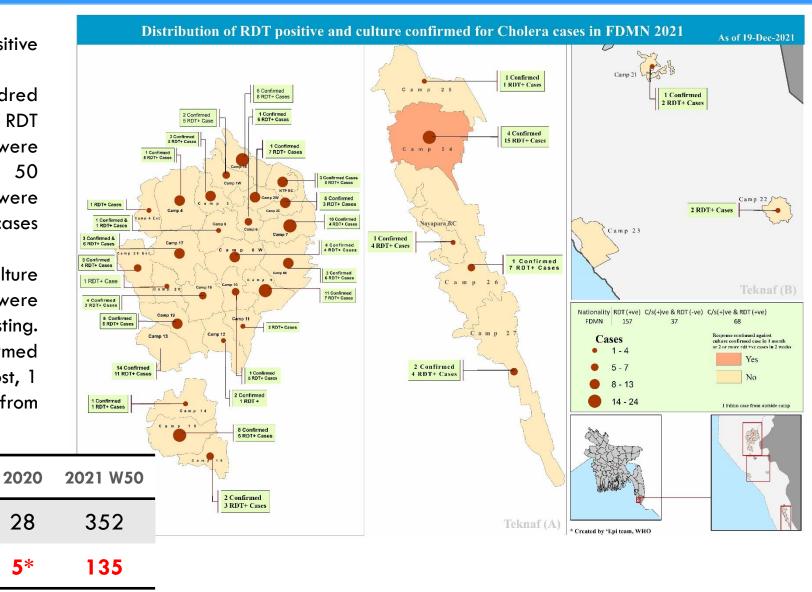






Cholera Surveillance

- In Epi week 50, no RDT positive case was reported.
- In 2021 total of three hundred and fifty-two (352) Cholera RDT positive/culture cases were reported as of Epi Week 50 2021. Out of these, there were 135 confirmed while 217 cases were RDT confirmed.
- In 2020, a total of 28 RDT/Culture positive cases for Cholera were detected through sentinel testing. Specifically, 5 became confirmed by culture - 2 from Ukhiya Host, 1 from Teknaf host, and 2 from Refugees.



^{*3} culture confirmed cases were RDT negative in 2020

2018

49





2019

258

184

28

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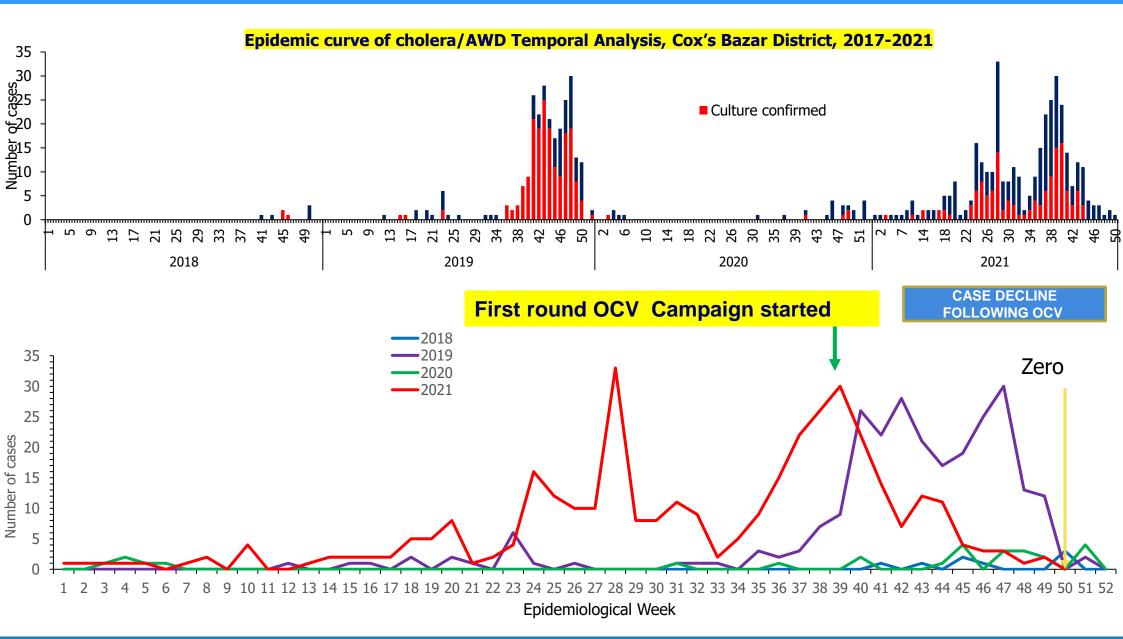
RDT positive/culture

Culture confirmed

for Cholera

confirmed for Cholera

Cholera Surveillance







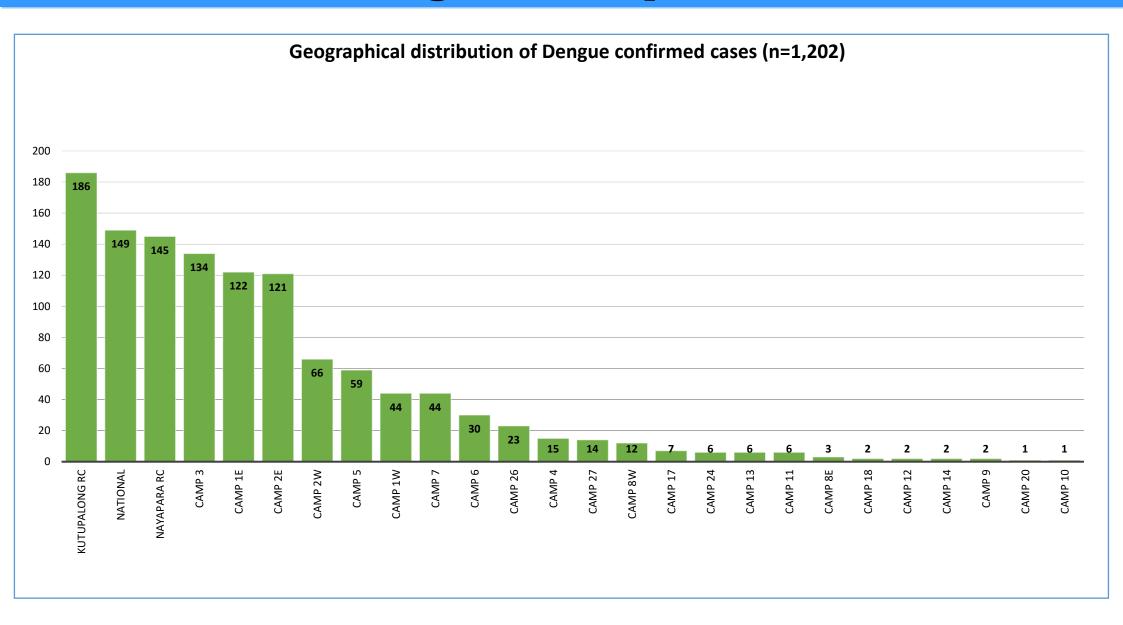
Dengue fever updates

	Week/month		Cumulative	
Month/Epi Week	Confirmed case	Death	Confirmed case	Death
March	1	0	1	0
May	2	0	3	0
June	1	0	4	0
August	1	0	5	0
September	4	0	9	0
Week 40 (4-10 Oct)	3	0	12	0
Week 41 (11-17 Oct)	10	0	22	0
Week 42 (18-24 Oct)	106	0	128	0
Week 43 (25-31 Oct)	98	1	226	1
Week 44 (1-7 Nov)	40	1	266	2
Week 45 (8-14 Nov)	35	0	301	2
Week 46 (15-21 Nov)	120	1	421	3
Week 47 (22-28 Nov)	225	0	646	3
Week 48 (29 Nov- 5 Dec)	224	0	870	3
Week 49 (6-12 Dec)	201	0	1,071	3
Week 50 (13-19 Dec)	138	0	1,209	3





Dengue fever updates

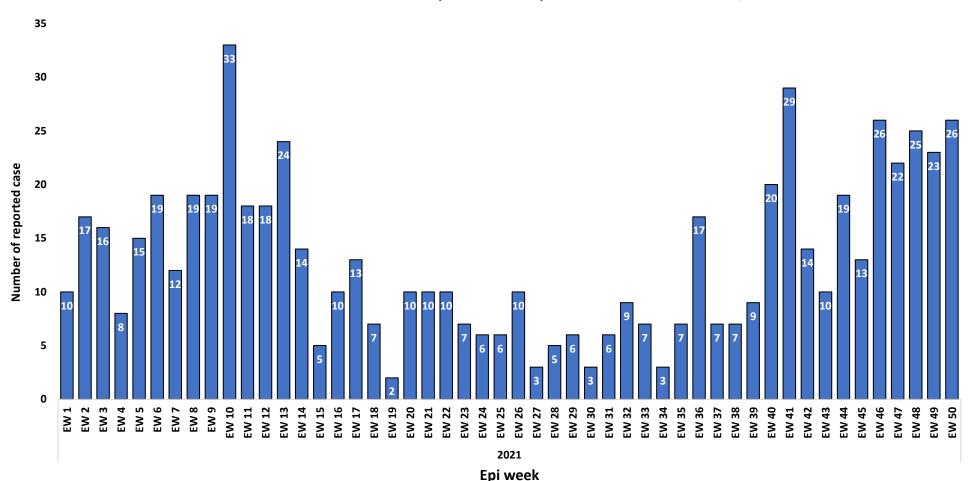






Measles Updates

Total number of Measles suspected cases reported in EWARS from W1-47, 2021



In week 50, 26 suspected measles cases were reported through weekly reporting. This brings the total number of suspected measles cases to 662 reported in 2021.

About 66% (435/662) of the total reported suspected measles cases were reported through case-based reporting and samples collected for laboratory confirmation





Community-based Mortality surveillance

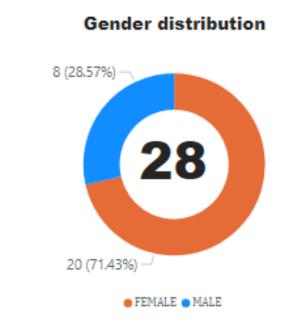
Probable Cause of Death	Week 50	In 2021
Still Birth	5 (17%)	230 (12%)
Neonatal Death (<28 days old)	1 (4%)	194 (11%)
Infectious Disease	1 (4%)	42 (2%)
Severe Acute Respiratory Infection (SARI)		44 (2%)
Injury	1 (4%)	37 (2%)
Maternal Death		54 (3%)
Acute Malnutrition		1(.05%)
Other	20 (71%)	1 262(68%)
Total	28 (100%)	1864 (100%)

 Partners to report all mortalities into EWARS platform using both case and event-based reporting as applicable.

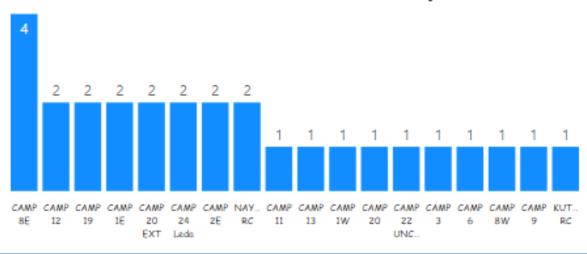




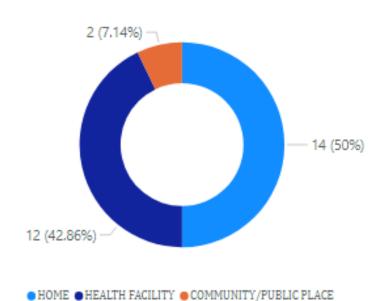
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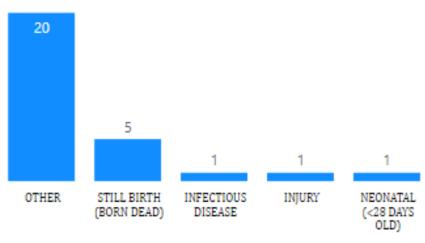
Distribution of deceased Camp



Place of death



Distribution of Probable cause of death







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Sources of data

- 1. Weekly EWARS Reporting Form
- 2. Mortality Case Report Form
- 3. Event-based Surveillance Form





Highlights W50 2021

Table 1 | Coverage

#	%	
866,457	-	Estimated total Rohingya population ¹
866,457	100%	Total population under surveillance
175	-	Total number of health facilities
170	97%	Number of EWARS reporting sites

Table 2 | Early warning performance indicators

W50	Cumulative (2021)		
141	8243	Number of weekly reports received	
83%	93%	Completeness	
83%	87%	Timeliness	

Table 3 Alert performance indicators

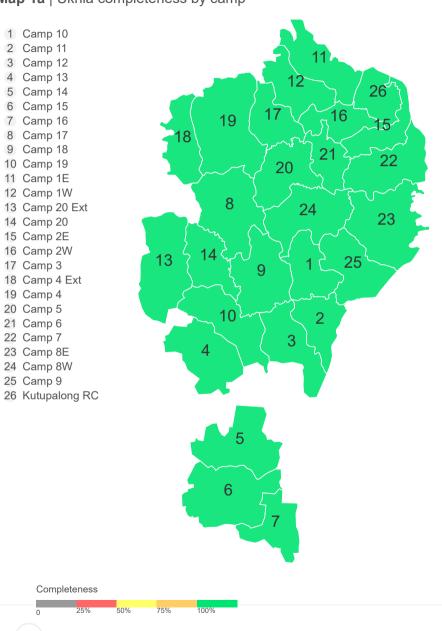
W50	Cumulative (2021)		
88	3,512	Total alerts raised	
100%	100%	% verified	
0%	0%	% auto-discarded	
0%	1%	% undergoing risk assessment	
0%	1%	% completed risk assessment	



¹ Source: UNHCR. Bangladesh: Joint Government of Bangladesh- UNHCR Population Factsheet. 31 December 2020.

Early Warning | Ukhia and Teknaf

Map 1a | Ukhia completeness by camp



Map 1b | Teknaf completeness by camp

- 1 Camp 21 Chakmarkul
- 2 Camp 22 Unchiprang
- 3 Camp 23 Shamlapur
- 4 Camp 24 Leda
- 5 Camp 25 Ali Khali
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Completeness
0 25% 50% 75%

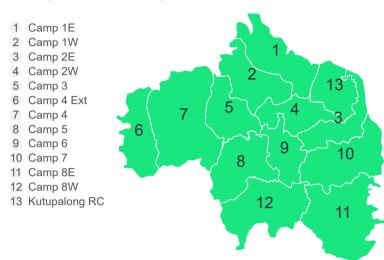




Table 4 | Performance by camp (W50 2021)

Northern group	Reporting		Performance	
	# health facilities	# reports received	Completeness	Timeliness
	Uk	hia Northern Gro	oup	
Camp 1E	4	3	75%	75%
Camp 1W	5	4	80%	80%
Camp 2E	3	2	67%	67%
Camp 2W	3	3	100%	100%
Camp 3	6	5	83%	83%
Camp 4	6	5	83%	83%
Camp 4 Ext	1	1	100%	100%
Camp 5	5	3	60%	60%
Camp 6	2	2	100%	100%
Camp 7	5	3	60%	60%
Camp 8E	7	6	86%	86%
Camp 8W	4	4	100%	100%
Kutupalong RC	2	2	100%	100%

Map 2 | Completeness by camp



Completeness





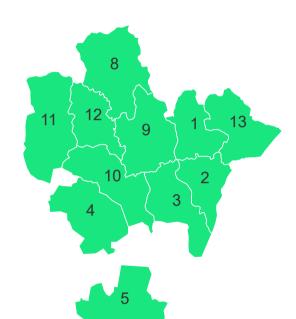


Table 5 | Performance by camp (W50 2021)

Southern group	Reporting		Performance	
	# health facilities	# reports received	Completeness	Timeliness
	Uk	hia Southern Gro	oup	
Camp 10	4	3	75%	75%
Camp 11	8	7	88%	88%
Camp 12	6	6	100%	100%
Camp 13	10	9	90%	90%
Camp 14	7	7	100%	100%
Camp 15	9	8	89%	89%
Camp 16	7	7	100%	100%
Camp 17	5	2	40%	40%
Camp 18	5	3	60%	60%
Camp 19	5	5	100%	100%
Camp 20	3	3	100%	100%
Camp 20 Ext	3	2	67%	67%
Camp 9	6	5	83%	83%

Map 3 | Completeness by camp

- 1 Camp 10
- 2 Camp 11
- 3 Camp 12
- 4 Camp 13
- 5 Camp 14
- 6 Camp 15
- 7 Camp 16
- 8 Camp 17
- 9 Camp 18
- 10 Camp 19
- 11 Camp 20 Ext
- 12 Camp 20
- 13 Camp 9













Early Warning | Teknaf

Table 6 | Performance by camp (W50 2021)

Teknaf	Reporting		Performance	
	# health facilities	# reports received	Completeness	Timeliness
		Ukhia Teknaf		
Camp 21 Chakmarkul	4	3	75%	75%
Camp 22 Unchiprang	5	4	80%	80%
Camp 23 Shamlapur	3	2	67%	67%
Camp 24 Leda	1	1	100%	100%
Camp 25 Ali Khali	3	3	100%	100%
Camp 26 Nayapara	4	4	100%	100%
Camp 27 Jadimura	2	2	100%	100%
Nayapara RC	2	2	100%	100%

Map 4 | Completeness by camp

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Completeness





Table 7 | Performance by partner (W50 2021)

Partner	Performance		Reporting	Reporting		Performance		Reporting	
	# sites	# reports received	Completeness	Timeliness		# sites	# reports received	Completeness	Timeliness
AKF	1	0	0%	0%	IRC	2	2	100%	100%
AWARD	7	7	100%	100%	MSF	9	8	89%	89%
BASHMAH	1	1	100%	100%	МоН	19	14	74%	74%
BDRCS	11	10	91%	91%	MHI	0	0		
BRAC	11	11	100%	100%	Medair	2	2	100%	100%
CARE	4	4	100%	100%	FH/MTI	3	3	100%	100%
DAM	1	1	100%	100%	PRANTIC	1	1	100%	100%
DBC	1	1	100%	100%	PULSE	1	1	100%	100%
DSK	1	0	0%	0%	QC	1	0	0%	0%
DCHT-PWJ	0	0			PHD	10	8	80%	80%
FRNDS	7	0	0%	0%	RPN	2	2	100%	100%
GK	10	10	100%	100%	RHU	3	3	100%	100%
Global One	1	1	100%	100%	RI	3	3	100%	100%
GUSS	1	1	100%	100%	RTMI	10	4	40%	40%
HAEFA	2	2	100%	100%	SALT	1	1	100%	100%
HAIB	8	8	100%	100%	SCI	7	7	100%	100%
HMBDF	2	2	100%	100%	SHED	0	0		
HOPE	1	0	0%	0%	Turkish	1	1	100%	100%
ICRC	1	1	100%	100%	Government	2	2	1000/	1000/
IOM	16	15	94%	94%	TdH	2	2	100%	100%





Table 8 | Performance by camp

Northern group	W50		Cumulative (2021)		
	# alerts	% verif.	# alerts	% verif.	
	Ale	erts Northern gro	oup		
Camp 1E	2	100%	93	100%	
Camp 1W	4	100%	104	100%	
Camp 2E	8	88%	362	99%	
Camp 2W	2	100%	98	100%	
Camp 3	4	100%	176	100%	
Camp 4	3	100%	179	100%	
Camp 4 Ext	0	0%	38	100%	
Camp 5	3	100%	131	100%	
Camp 6	2	100%	80	100%	
Camp 7	1	100%	35	100%	
Camp 8E	3	100%	62	100%	
Camp 8W	6	100%	172	100%	
Kutupalong RC	7	100%	52	100%	

Map 5 | Number of alerts by camp

- 1 Camp 1E
- 2 Camp 1W
- 3 Camp 2E
- 4 Camp 2W
- 5 Camp 3
- 6 Camp 4 Ext
- 7 Camp 4
- 8 Camp 5
- 9 Camp 6
- 10 Camp 7
- 11 Camp 8E
- 12 Camp 8W
- 13 Kutupalong RC

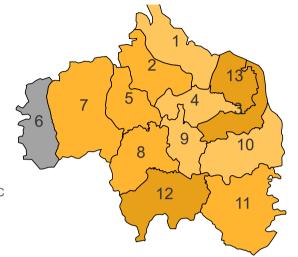








Table 9 | Performance by camp

Southern group	W50		Cumulati	Cumulative (2021)		
	# alerts	% verif.	# alerts	% verif.		
		Alerts Northern	group			
Camp 10	0	0%	88	100%		

Camp 10	0	0%	88	100%
Camp 11	4	100%	131	100%
Camp 12	1	100%	125	100%
Camp 13	2	100%	133	100%
Camp 14	0	0%	97	100%
Camp 15	2	100%	121	100%
Camp 16	1	100%	131	100%
Camp 17	0	0%	75	100%
Camp 18	0	0%	146	100%
Camp 19	1	100%	91	100%
Camp 20	2	100%	64	100%
Camp 20 Ext	3	100%	61	100%
Camp 9	4	100%	128	100%

Map 6 | Number of alerts by camp

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- 8 Camp 17
- 9 Camp 18
- 10 Camp 19
- 11 Camp 20 Ext
- 12 Camp 20
- 13 Camp 9











Table 10 | Performance by camp

Teknaf	W50		Cumulative (2021)	
	# alerts	% verif.	# alerts	% verif.
	Ale	erts Northern gro	oup	
Camp 21 Chakmarkul	1	100%	33	100%
Camp 22 Unchiprang	2	100%	91	100%
Camp 23 Shamlapur	2	100%	30	100%
Camp 24 Leda	3	100%	74	100%
Camp 25 Ali Khali	4	100%	31	100%
Camp 26 Nayapara	3	100%	139	100%
Camp 27 Jadimura	3	100%	31	100%
Nayapara RC	3	100%	48	100%

Map 7 | Number of alerts by camp

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of alerts







Table 11 | Performance by type of alert

Event	W50		Cumulative (2021)				
	# alerts	% verif.	# alerts	% verif.			
Indicator-based su	Indicator-based surveillance						
Malaria	0	0%	5	100%			
Measles	16	100%	410	100%			
Bloody Diarr.	0	0%	0	0%			
AFP	1	100%	22	100%			
Meningitis	1	100%	36	100%			
Haem. fever (susp.)	1	100%	15	100%			
NNT	0	0%	4	100%			
Unexp. fever	1	100%	177	100%			
AWD	3	100%	293	100%			
ARI	5	100%	333	100%			
AJS	1	100%	53	100%			
Varicella (Susp.)	0	0%	34	100%			
Suspected COVID-19	0	0%	0	0%			
Event-based surve	Event-based surveillance						
EBS total	7	100%	253	100%			

Table 12 | Risk assessment

V	V50	Cumul	ative (2021)
	0	20	Low risk
	0	2	Moderate risk
	0	1	High risk
	0	0	Very high risk





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Notes

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The data been collected with support from the EWARS project. This is an initiative to strengthen early warning, alert and response in emergencies. It includes an online, desktop and mobile application that can be rapidly configured and deployed in the field. It is designed with frontline users in mind, and built to work in difficult and remote operating environments. This bulletin has been automatically published from the EWARS application.

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Proportional morbidity

Figure 1 | Proportional morbidity (W50 2021)

0.0%

- Acute Respiratory Infection (ARI)
- Acute Watery Diarrhoea
- Bloody diarrhoea
- Other diarrhoea
- Varicella (susp.)

- Unexplained fever
- Acute Jaundice Syndrome (AJS)
- Measles/Rubella
- Other
- Vector-borne disease*

 $^{^{\}ast}$ Combines malaria and dengue cases (suspected and confirmed)

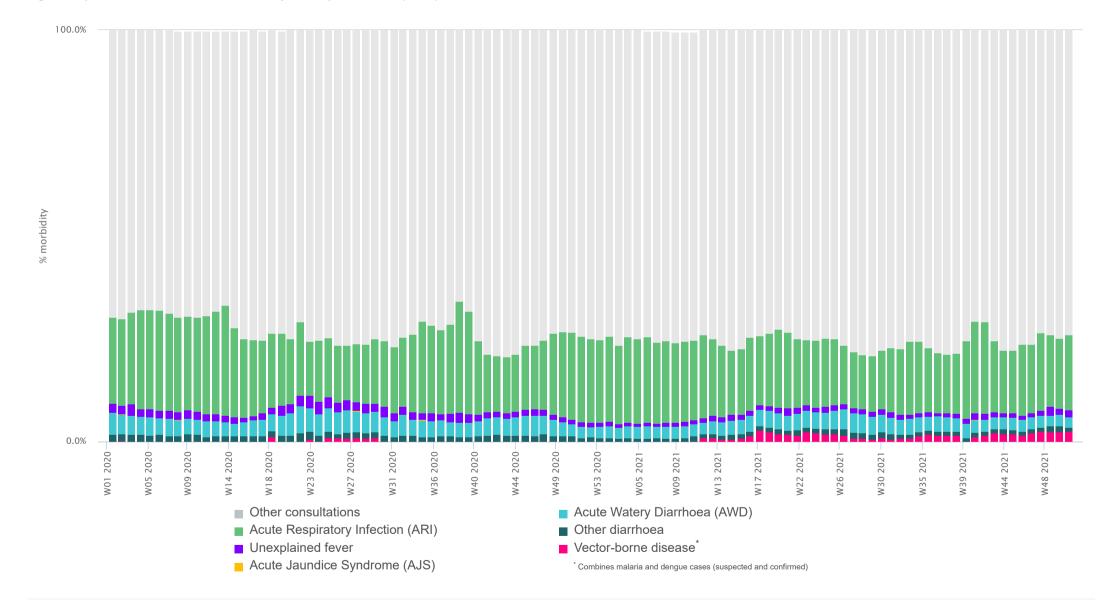
Disease	W50		2021	
	# cases	% morbidity	# cases	% morbidity
AWD	2,130	2.6%	146,279	3.4%
Bloody diarr.	394	0.5%	17,590	0.4%
Other diarr.	870	1.1%	47,781	1.1%
Susp. Varicella	22	0.0%	4,165	0.1%
ARI	14,993	18.1%	759,262	17.5%
Measles/Rub.	26	0.0%	662	0.0%
AFP	1	0.0%	22	0.0%
Susp. menin.	2	0.0%	133	0.0%
AJS	10	0.0%	572	0.0%
Susp. HF	5	0.0%	25	0.0%
Neo. tetanus	0	0.0%	2	0.0%
Adult tetanus	0	0.0%	4	0.0%
Malaria (conf.)	0	0.0%	27	0.0%
Malaria (susp.)	1,750	2.1%	48,143	1.1%
Dengue (conf.)	228	0.3%	1,638	0.0%
Dengue (susp.)	89	0.1%	1,501	0.0%
Unexpl. fever	1,459	1.8%	50,724	1.2%
Sev. Malnut.	28	0.0%	1,956	0.0%
Inj./Wounds	1,841	2.2%	112,031	2.6%
Other	58,578	70.9%	3,138,474	72.4%
Total	81,200	100%	4,334,252	100%





Trend in consultations and key diseases

Figure 2 | Trend in proportional morbidity for key diseases (W50)

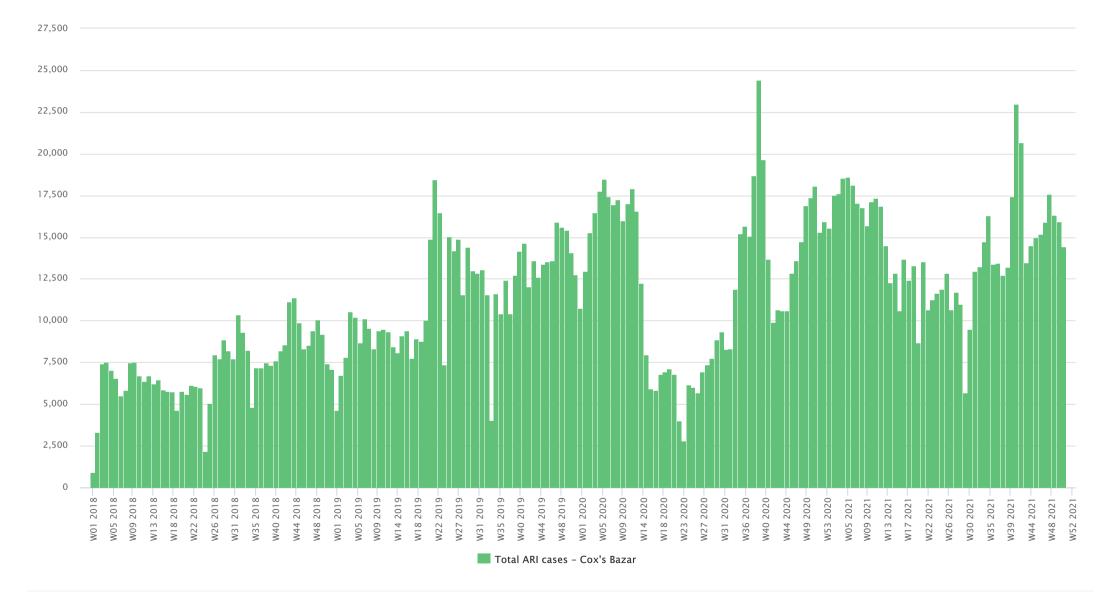






Acute Respiratory Infection | Trend

Figure 3 | Trend in number of cases over time (W38 2017 - W50 2021)







Acute Respiratory Infection | Maps and Alert Management

Map 1 | Map of cases by camp (W50 2021)

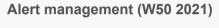
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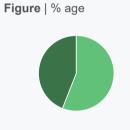
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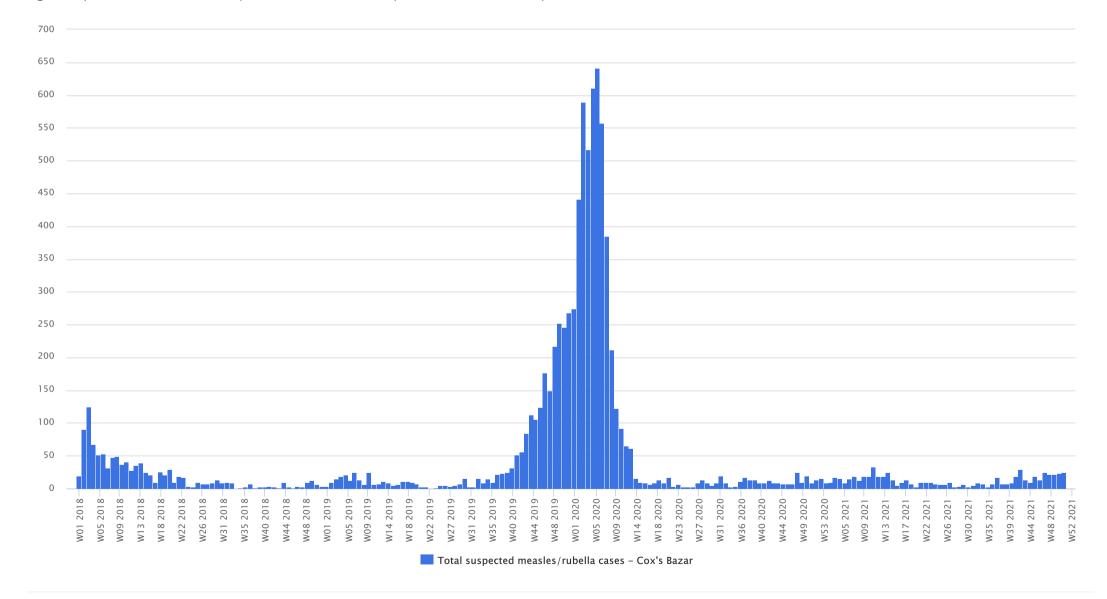




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Figure 4 | Trend in number of suspected cases over time (W38 2017 - W50 2021)







Map 2 | Map of cases by camp (W50 2021)

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b. Ukhia | Number of alerts Loading...

c. Teknaf | Number of cases Loading...

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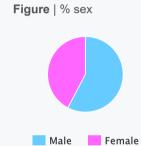


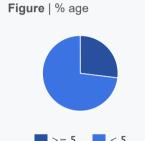
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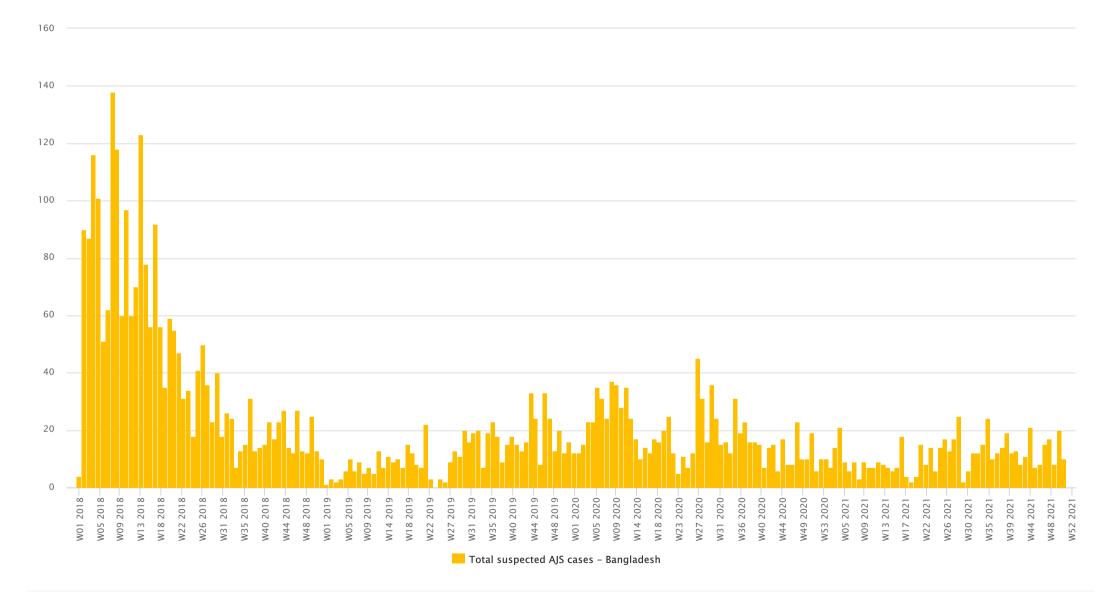






Acute Jaundice Syndrome | Trend

Figure 5 | Trend in number of cases over time (W38 2017 - W50 2021)







Acute Jaundice Syndrome | Maps and Alert Management

Map 3 | Map of cases by camp (W37 2017 - W50 2021)

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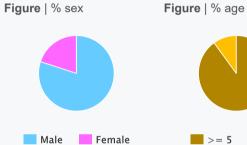
b. Ukhia | Number of alerts Loading...

c. Teknaf | Number of cases Loading...

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d. Teknaf | Number of alerts Loading...









Acute Watery Diarrhoea | Trends

Figure 6 | Trend in number of cases over time (W38 2017 - W50 2021)

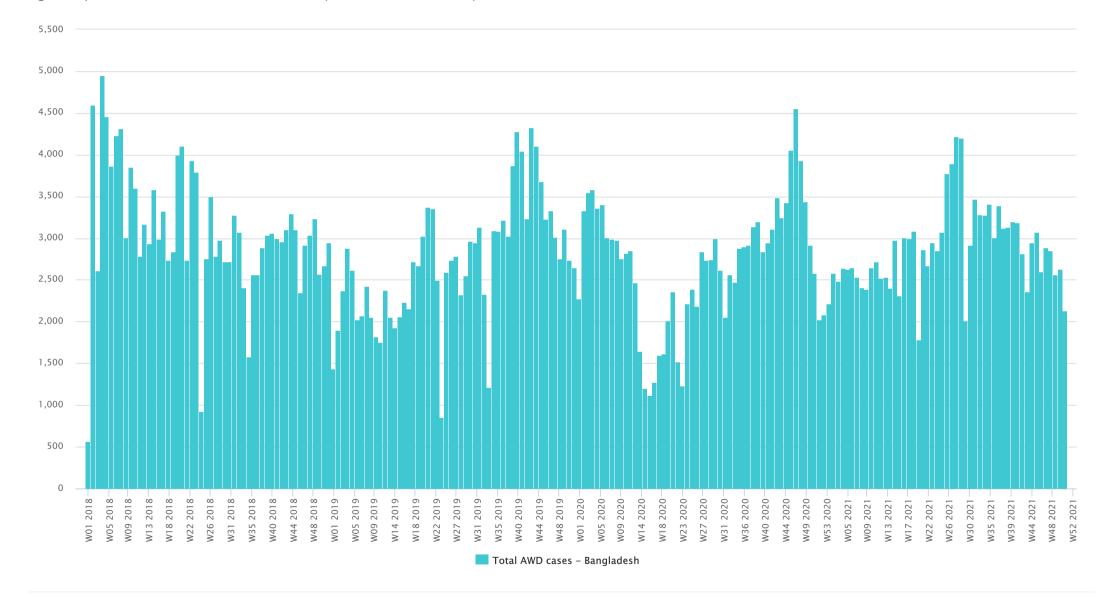
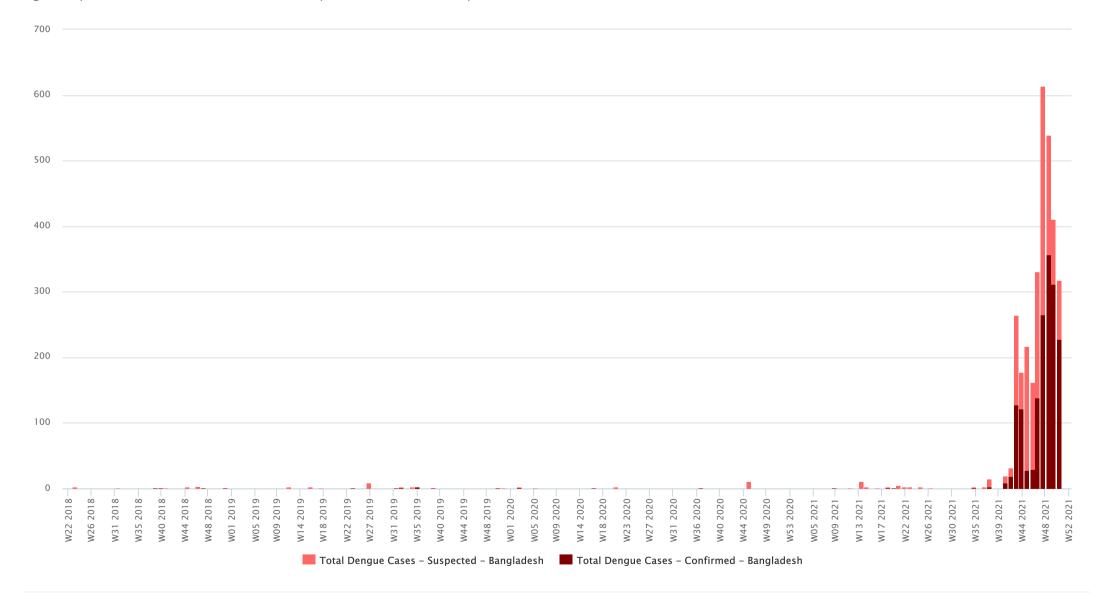






Figure 7 | Trend in number of cases over time (W38 2017 - W50 2021)







Dengue | Maps and Alert Management

Map 4 | Map of cases by camp (W37 2017 - W50 2021)

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c. Teknaf | Number of cases Loading...

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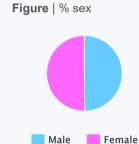


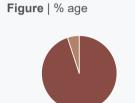


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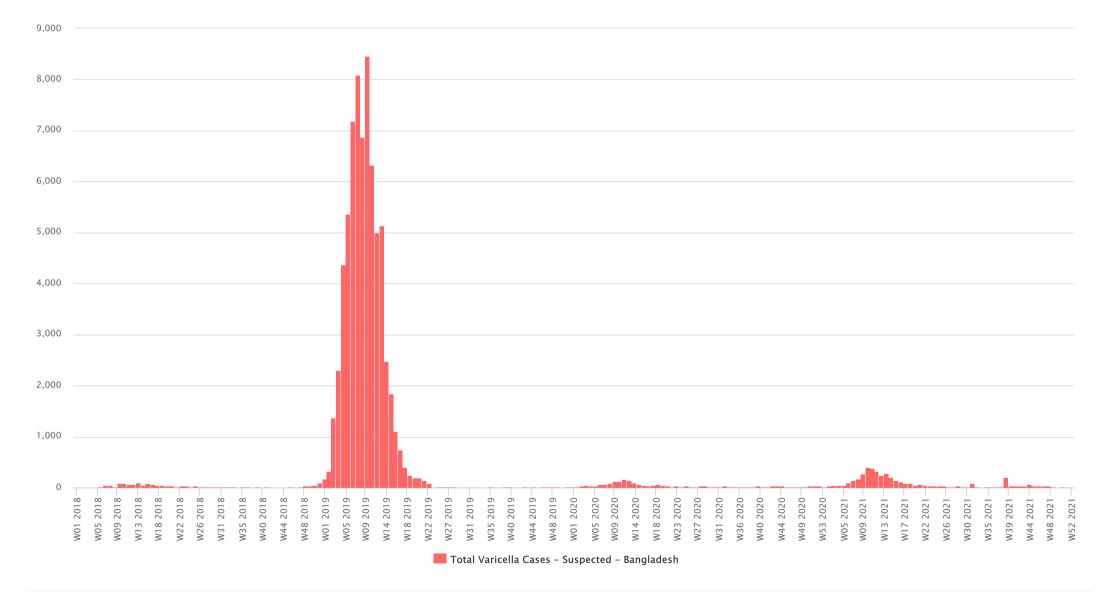






Varicella (Susp.) | Trends

Figure 7 | Trend in number of cases over time (W38 2017 - W50 2021)





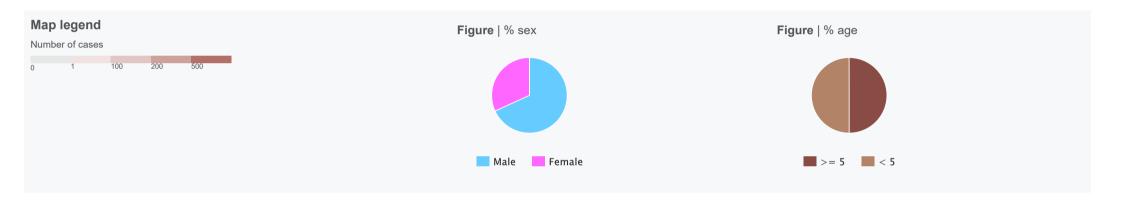


Varicella (Susp.) | Maps

Map 4 | Map of cases by camp (W37 2017 - W50 2021)

a. Ukhia | Number of cases Loading...

c. Teknaf | Number of cases Loading...







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