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- A(H5N1) Avian influenza None
- A(H5N1) Human influenza Egypt
- "INSIDE" events: none
- "OUTSIDE" events: none

Location: World	Event: A(H5N1) – Epizootic	<u>Comments</u>
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No new affected area reported this week.

Event: A(H5N1) - Human Location: Egypt Comments

EGYPT

- On 16th June 2011, Egyptian health authorities reported to WHO 2 new A(H5N1) human cases in Menufia governorate (cf. map 1).
 - The 1st case is:
 - A 21 year old pregnant woman;
 - Onset of symptoms on 21st May 2011;
 - o She died on 29th May 2011.
 - The 2nd case is:
 - A 16 year old male;
 - Onset of symptoms on 21st May 2011;
 - He has recovered.
- On 22nd June 2011, Egyptian health authorities reported to WHO a new case of A(H5N1) human case in Qena governorate (cf. map 1).
 - The case is:
 - A 27 year old male;
 - Onset of symptoms on 5th June 2011;
 - He died on 14th June 2011.
- Contacts with contaminated poultry have been documented for all 3 cases.
- In Egypt, the last A(H5N1) human cases were reported on 8th June 2011 in Cairo and Qalyubiyah governorates (cf. eWEB n°169).
- Since the 1st case of bird flu in Egypt, the case count is 150 cases including 52 deaths.

Map 1. Menufia and Qena governorates, Egypt.

