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- A(H5N1) Avian influenza – China, Israel
- A(H5N1) Human influenza – Egypt, Cambodia
- “INSIDE” events: none
- “OUTSIDE” events: none

Location: China, Israel

Event: A(H5N1) – Epizootic

Comments

CHINA

- On 31st March 2012, the Chinese Ministry of Agriculture reported to [OIE](#) one A(H5N1) influenza epizootic in a farm in Yunnan province (cf. map 1).
- The last A(H5N1) influenza outbreak was reported in birds in December 2011 in Tibet (cf. [OIE](#)).
- In China, the last A(H5N1) human infection was reported in January 2012 in Guizhou province. (cf. [eWEB n°201](#)).
- To date, 42 A(H5N1) human cases (including 28 deaths) have been reported in China.

Map 1. Yunnan province, China.



ISRAEL

- On 1st April 2012, the Israelian Ministry of Agriculture reported 1 new outbreak of A(H5N1) influenza in a coop in Moshav Zavdiel (cf. map 1), 10 Km in the North of Moshav Shalva (place of the 2nd recent A(H5N1) outbreak)
- The last A(H5N1) influenza outbreak in Israel was reported in domestic poultry and cats in March 2012 in Ashkelon (cf. [eWEB n°209](#) & [eWEB n°208](#)).
- To date, no human case has been reported in Israel.

Map 2. Moshad Zavdiel, Israel.



CAMBODIA

- On April 2nd 2012, the Cambodian health authorities reported a new human case of A(H5N1) infection in central Kampong Chhnang province (cf. map 3).
- The case was:
 - a 6 years old girl;
 - Onset of symptoms on March 22nd 2012;
 - She died on March 30th 2012;
 - Exposure to sick poultry was documented.
- So far, a total of 20 cases has been confirmed in Cambodia, including 18 deaths.
- The last reported case in Cambodia dated January 2012 in Banteay Meanchey province (cf. [eWEB n°200](#)).

EGYPT

- On April 2nd 2012, the Egyptian Ministry of health reported to [WHO](#) two new human cases of A(H5N1) infection.
- The 1st case (notified last week in [eWEB n°210](#)) is:
 - a 2 year old girl from Damietta governorate;
 - Onset of symptoms on 19th March 2012;
 - Hospitalised on 20th March. She is in good condition;
 - Exposure to dead poultry was documented.
- The 2nd case is:
 - a 15 years old woman from Giza governorate (cf. map 4);
 - Onset of symptoms on 25th March 2012;
 - She was hospitalised on 29th March and died on 31st March 2012;
 - Investigations on the source of infection are ongoing.
- To date, 166 A(H5N1) human cases have been reported in Egypt, including 59 deaths.
- The last A(H5N1) human reported case in Egypt dated March 2012 in Dakahlia governorate (cf. [eWEB n°209](#)).

Map 3. Kampong Chhnang province, Cambodia.



Map 4. Giza governorate, Egypt.

