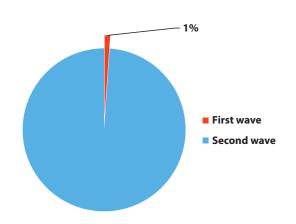
CHOLERA SITUATION IN YEMEN

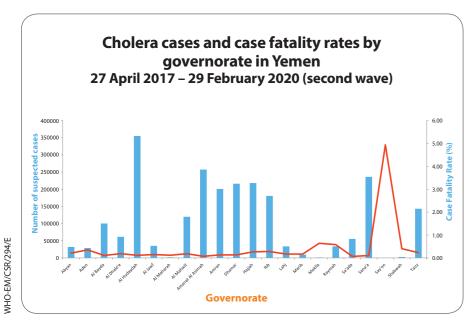
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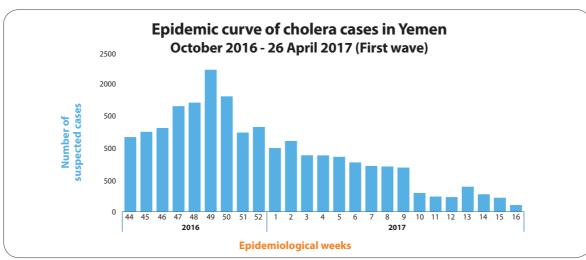
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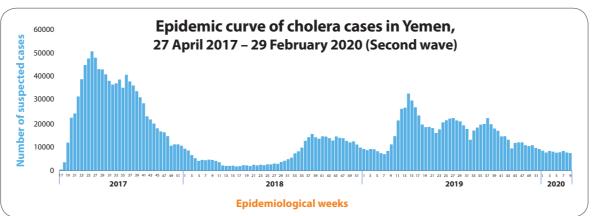
- In February 2020, the Ministry of Public Health and Population of Yemen reported a total 32 768 suspected cholera cases including 05 related deaths (case fatality rate: 0.02%) from 21 governorates.
- The cumulative number of suspected cholera cases reported in Yemen from October 2016 to February 2020 is 2 349 081 including 3 916 related deaths with a case fatality rate of 0.17%. During the second wave of this outbreak that started on 27 April 2017, the total number of suspected cholera cases were 2 323 254 including 3 787 related deaths with a case fatality rate of 0.16%.
- During February 2020, a total of 455 stool specimens were tested. Out of these, 34 were laboratory confirmed for Vibrio cholerae.
- The 5 governorates with the highest cumulative attack rate per 10 000 are Amran (1719.74), Al Mahwit (1616.17), Sana'a (1590.34), Al Bayda (1310.57) and Al Hudaydah (1082.74). The national attack rate is 824.80 per 10 000. The governorates with a high number of deaths are Hajjah (577), Ibb (509), Al Hudaydah (402) and Taizz (332).

Cholera cases reported in Yemen by epidemic wave, October 2016 – February 2020 (n= 2 349 081)









Cholera cases and deaths reported during the second wave by governorate 27 April 2017 – 29 February 2020

Governorate	Cases	Deaths	(%) CFR	Cumulative attack rate (per 10 000)
Abyan	32 006	67	0.21	554.13
Aden	28 935	102	0.35	307.68
Al Bayda	100 306	107	0.11	1 310.57
Al Dhale'e	61 474	115	0.19	826.86
Al Hudaydah	355 186	402	0.11	1 082.74
Al Jawf	35 245	52	0.15	603.07
Al Maharah	1 718	2	0.12	113.26
Al Mahwit	119 753	219	0.18	1 616.17
Amanat Al Asimah	257 441	181	0.07	887.12
Amran	200 801	263	0.13	1 719.74
Dhamar	216 029	289	0.13	1 058.60
Hajjah	217 956	577	0.26	911.51
lbb	180 575	509	0.28	603.99
Lahj	33 687	57	0.17	330.48
Marib	9 528	16	0.17	261.74
Moklla	1 409	9	0.64	31.50
Raymah	33 567	195	0.58	545.70
Sa'ada	55 414	37	0.07	590.93
Sana'a	236 182	241	0.10	1 590.34
Say'on	81	4	4.94	2.12
Shabwah	2 722	11	0.40	44.52
Taizz	143 239	332	0.23	472.76
Total	2 323 254	3 787	0.16	824.80

Cumulative key figures, October 2016 – February 2020



2 34 9081Suspected cases





22.7% Children < 5 years



Last 4 weeks key figures, February 2020



32 768Suspected cases



23% Children < 5 years



