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- **A(H5N1) Human influenza – Egypt, Indonesia**
- **A(H5N1) Avian influenza – no new events**
- **“INSIDE” Events and “OUTSIDE” events: none**

Egypt,
Location: Indonesia

Event: A(H5N1) – Human

Comments

EGYPT

- On 25th March 2011, the Egyptian Ministry of Health reported 3 new cases of A(H5N1) human infections:
 - 1 in Alexandria governorate, still hospitalised.
 - 1 in Beheira governorate (cured).
 - 1 in Kafr El Sheikh governorate, still hospitalised (cf. map 1).
- To date, no more information is available about these cases.
- In Egypt, the last human cases were reported on 20th March 2011 in Beheira, Suez and 6th of October Governorates (cf. [eWEB n° 157](#))
- Since the 1st case of bird flu in Egypt, the case count is 137 cases including 45 deaths.

INDONESIA

- On March 25th 2011, the Indonesian health authorities reported to WHO one new human A(H5N1) case, in Java West province, at Bekasi (cf. map 2).
- The case was:
 - a 2 years old girl
 - onset of symptoms on 2nd March 2011
 - she was hospitalized on 9th March 2011 and recovered.
- The case is the daughter of the 173rd case, a woman who died on 1st March 2011 (onset of symptoms on 23rd February 2011, cf. [eWEB n° 156](#)). Close contacts with poultry were documented.
- This case is the 175th case reported by the national health authorities to WHO, and the 4th case since the beginning of 2011 (cf. [eWEB n° 156](#)).
- In the country, suspected A(H5N1) cases are regularly reported by various non official sources. In this respect, it is likely that the number of cases is under reported by national authorities.

Map 1. Alexandria, Beheira, and Kafr El Sheikh governorates, Egypt



Map 2. West Java, Indonesia



- A(H5N1) is enzootic in Indonesia.
- In regard to the date of onset of the child and her mother, limited human to human transmission cannot be ruled out.
- Transmission among family members has been described in almost all affected areas, and this possible occurrence of limited human to human family transmission is therefore not unexpected.

Location: World

Event: A(H5N1) – Epizootic

Comments

This week, no new affected area has been reported.