

Table 2 Reported cases of communicable diseases in WHO Regions and Qatar (The Cuban Hospital) 2012–2013

Diseases	No.	Qatar	Other Eastern Mediterranean	Southeast Asia	Americas	Africa	Europe	Western Pacific
Influenza-like illness	539	120 (22.3)	74 (13.7)	252 (46.8)	26 (4.8)	21 (3.9)	13 (2.4)	33 (6.1)
Chickenpox	25	1 (4.0)	1 (4.0)	23 (92.0)	0	0	0	0
Tuberculosis	22	0	0	18 (81.8)	0	3 (13.6)	0	1 (4.5)
Measles	2	0	1 (50.0)	0	0	1 (50.0)	0	0
Meningitis	5	1 (20.0)	1 (20.0)	2 (40.0)	0	0	1 (20.0)	0
Severe acute respiratory infections	8	0	1 (12.5)	4 (50.0)	0	1 (12.5)	0	2 (25.0)
Scarlet fever	4	1 (25.0)	1 (25.0)	1 (25.0)	0	1 (25.0)	0	0
Skin infectious diseases	189	35 (18.5)	32 (16.9)	42 (22.2)	56 (29.6)	7 (3.7)	9 (4.8)	8 (4.2)
Scabies	66	12 (18.2)	17 (25.8)	27 (40.9)	3 (4.5)	0	2 (3.0)	5 (7.6)
Multidrug-resistant infections	48	10 (20.8)	18 (37.5)	7 (14.6)	5 (10.4)	1 (2.1)	1 (2.1)	6 (12.5)
Viral hepatitis (acute/chronic)	15	2 (13.3)	5 (33.3)	2 (13.3)	3 (20.0)	0	2 (13.3)	1 (6.7)
Sexually transmitted diseases	12	2 (16.7)	3 (25.0)	1 (8.3)	3 (25.0)	1 (8.3)	0	2 (16.7)
Brucellosis	2	2 (100)	0	0	0	0	0	0
Infectious diarrhoea	39	9 (23.1)	3 (7.7)	20 (51.3)	1 (2.6)	2 (5.1)	0	4 (10.3)
Food poisoning	12	7 (58.3)	4 (33.3)	1 (8.3)	0	0	0	0
Parasitic diseases	11	1 (9.1)	2 (18.2)	5 (45.5)	0	0	1 (9.1)	2 (18.2)
Rotavirus infection	2	0	0	0	1 (50.0)	1 (50.0)	0	0
Salmonellosis	1	0	0	1 (100)	0	0	0	0
Typhoid fever	4	0	1 (25.0)	2 (50.0)	1 (25.0)	0	0	0
Dengue	2	1 (50.0)	0	1 (50.0)	0	0	0	0
Malaria	23	0	10 (43.5)	10 (43.5)	0	3 (13.0)	0	0
Others	34	13 (38.2)	4 (11.8)	9 (26.5)	3 (8.8)	1 (2.9)	2 (5.9)	2 (5.9)

Data presented as n (%).