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India: More encephalitis cases in Uttar Pradesh

Seven more children succumbed to encephalitis since last evening pushing the death toll from the viral infection in Uttar Pradesh's eastern region to 433 this year, officials said.

<http://www.business-standard.com/generalnews/news/encephalitis-seven-more-succumb-death-toll-touches-433/68649/>

Indonesia: Bird flu in Bandung

DVO Bandung find the chickens tested positive for the virus H5NI in RW 04, Cipagalo Village, District Bojongsoang. Certainty of the existence of the bird flu virus after a quick test on chicken carcasses.

http://www.tribunnews.com/2012/10/10/ayam-ibu-oneng-positif-flu-burung?utm_source=tribunnews.com&utm_medium=tribunnews&utm_campaign=%23tribunnews

Nepal: Bird flu confirmed in Bode farm

At least 1,200 chickens have died of bird flu at a poultry farm in Bode-3 of Madhyapur Thimi in Bhaktapur till Monday noon.

<http://www.thehimalayantimes.com/fullNews.php?headline=Bird+flu+confirmed+in+Bode+farm+&NewsID=351041>

An immediate notification report was submitted to the OIE.

http://www.oie.int/wahis_2/temp/reports/en_imm_0000012441_20121015_162549.pdf

Pakistan: Brain-eating amoeba kills 10 in Karachi

A waterborne parasite commonly known as "brain-eating amoeba" has killed 10 people in Pakistan's largest city, a Pakistani official with the World Health Organization says.

<http://www.cbc.ca/news/health/story/2012/10/09/brain-eating-amoeba.html>