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### **Cambodia: New confirmed H5N1 human case**

The 17<sup>th</sup> case was a 6-years-old boy from Prey Tathuk Village, Prek Sleng commune, Kandal Stung district in Kandal province was confirmed positive for human H5N1 avian influenza on 17th August 2013 by Institut Pasteur du Cambodge. [read more](#)

### **India: 192 encephalitis cases in Gorakhpur**

With encephalitis claiming another life at Baba Raghav Das Medical College on Saturday, the death toll reaches 181 mark. The killer disease is ravaging village after village with toll increasing to 192 after including the deaths reported from Bihar, Nepal and other districts in the Gorakhpur division. [read more](#)

### **Indonesia: Chikungunya in Duren Sawit district, East Jakarta**

At least 20 residents of Malakajaya subdistrict in Duren Sawit district, East Jakarta, were infected with the mosquito-borne chikungunya virus over the last 6 weeks. Head of the subdistrict's community unit 03, Andang Subaryono, said the 1st patient was reported in the 1st week of July [2013]. Many of the afflicted were children. [read more](#)

### **Indonesia: Bird flu in Aceh**

A total of 370 quails on a farm owned by Zulfikar Nurdin (32) in Meunasah Village, Digadong, Juang City, Bireuen District, were died suddenly within 2 days due to bird flu. Another 1,630 quails left in the cage had to be destroyed (Google translation). [read more](#)

### **Indonesia: Suspected bird flu in Lampung**

Dozens of chickens in Kampung Baru and Gutters Pekon Rejo Villages, Agung Timur City, died suddenly. Strong suspicion of chickens infected with bird flu virus. Two weeks ago bird flu was confirmed in this area but it was gone. "It appears again, my chickens died during the last four days," said Yanto, Monday (Google translation). [read more](#)

### **Myanmar: Dog sanctuary to combat rabies in Mandalay**

Mandalay City Development Committee is responsible for removing stray dogs, but MCDC hasn't carried out a plan to poison them because it is not a suitable solution according to Buddhism. The best way to deal with the problem is to create a sanctuary, because people are at risk if the dogs roam freely in public, said the vet, who asked not to be named. [read more](#)

### **Nepal: Bird flu in Sindhupalchowk**

At a time when the sale of chickens has been banned in Kathmandu Valley following rapid spread of H5N1, bird flu has been detected on four poultry farms in Pagretar VDC of Sindhupalchowk district. Around 1,300 chickens on four poultry farms in Pagretar VDC were culled on Saturday. [read more](#)

### **Nepal: More bird flu outbreak in Kavre**

Bird flu virus has been confirmed for the third time in Kavrepalanchowk district. The H5N1 virus was detected in the parent stock at Pravat Poultry Hatchery. The poultry is one of the biggest in the whole district. Immediately after detection of the bird flu virus, the Rapid Response Team (RRT) from the Directorate of Animal Health has started culling chickens from Sunday morning. There are around 33,000 parent chickens (KAB-500 breed) in the hatchery. [read more](#)

### **Nepal: Nearly one million poultry culled over bird flu**

The government slaughtered nearly one million fowls in the last one month since the first breakout of bird flu in the Capital. Authorities confirmed that the H5N1 virus was seen in 86 poultry farms of the country. According to government figures, a total of 971,756 chickens were culled and 1,016,910 eggs and 72,751kg chicken feed were also destroyed in the same period. [read more](#)