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### **Bangladesh: Suspected nipah virus infection in human**

Four people including a five-year baby suffering from suspected Nipah virus died at the Rajshahi Medical College Hospital (RMCH). According to hospital sources, the deceased were identified as Saidur Rahman (45) of Bagha, Maznur Rahman (5) of Ishwardi's Bahbani village, Mojibur Rahman Naogaoan's Tentulia village and Hasanuzzaman (20) of Natore's Bagatipara area. [read more](#)

### **China: One new outbreak of FMD serotype A in Tibet**

A new outbreak of FMD was reported on 8 January 2014 to OIE. The outbreak was in Baisha Village, Jiangzi, Rikaze, Tibet affected 7 cattle. To contain the outbreak a total of 12 cattle and 33 sheep were culled. [read more](#)

### **China: 5 new rabies cases confirmed in Taiwan**

As of this week, a total of 286 rabies outbreaks involving 288 ferret-badgers, one Asian house shrew and a puppy bitten by a ferret-badger have tested positive for rabies infection, were reported by the Central Epidemic Command Centre reported on 8 January 2014, adding that the number of cities and counties that have confirmed cases of rabid animals remained unchanged at nine. [read more](#)

### **China: One new confirmed H5N1 in poultry in Hubei**

An outbreak of HPAI H5N1 was reported in a poultry farm in Wanjia Village, Paishi, Huangshi, Hubei Province on 13 January 2014 by the China Animal Disease Control Centre, Veterinary Bureau to OIE. A total of 3,200 poultry died and 46,800 destroyed. [read more](#)

### **China: 18 new confirmed H7N9 cases in Human**

#### ***Fujian: One confirmed H7N9 human case***

The case was a 38-year-old man, surnamed Zeng, was from Hui'an County of Quanzhou City. He was admitted to hospital on Wednesday (8 January 2014) and was confirmed to be infected with H7N9 in the early morning of Friday (10 January 2014). He died in hospital in that morning. [read more](#)

#### ***Guangdong: Eight new confirmed human H7N9 cases***

The first case was a 31-year-old man, surnamed Ou, who is a local resident living in Luohu District of Shenzhen, the provincial health and family planning commission said in a statement. The statement said Ou became sick on December 30 and was hospitalized at the

People's Hospital in Bao'an District on January 3. He is still receiving treatment at the hospital and is in stable condition. [read more](#)

The second case was a 51-year-old female, surnamed Cui, was sent to hospital on January 1 and confirmed to be infected with H7N9 on Wednesday 8, January 2014. She is now in a critical condition, said the provincial health and family planning commission. [read more](#)

The third case was a 29-year-old man surnamed Pan, who is a vendor selling bean curd at a market in Tianhe District of Guangzhou. Pan became sick on January 3 and was hospitalized at a local hospital on January 9. He is in critical condition.

The fourth case was a 76-year-old man surnamed Zhao in Shenzhen. Zhao fell ill on January 3 and was also hospitalized on January 9. He is in stable condition. [read more](#)

The fifth case was a 28-year-old woman surnamed Pu, who sells poultry. She lives in Lishui Township, Nanhai District of Foshan. Pu fell ill on January 6 and was hospitalized on January 12. She is in stable condition.

The sixth case was a 46-year-old driver surnamed Ou, who lives in Shishan Town of Nanhai district. He breeds poultry at home. He fell sick on January 6 and was hospitalized on January 9. He is in critical condition. [read more](#)

The seventh case was a 42-year-old woman was confirmed on 10 January 2014.

The eighth case was a 59-year-old woman was confirmed on 10 January 2014. [read more](#)

#### ***Hong Kong: Confirmed third human H7N9 case***

The patient was a 65-year-old man from Sham Shui Po. His nasopharyngeal aspirate tested positive for avian influenza A(H7N9) virus upon laboratory testing by the Public Health Laboratory Services Branch of the CHP on January 8. [read more](#) He passed away on 13 January 2014. [read more](#)

#### ***Jiangsu: Two new confirmed human H7N9 cases***

The first case was a 54-year-old woman in Nanjing, the provincial capital. Provincial medical experts confirmed late on Thursday that she had been infected. She is being treated in a hospital in Nanjing. [read more](#)

The second case was a 54-year-old man and treated at hospital in the provincial capital of Nanjing after his contraction of the virus was confirmed on Thursday, according to a statement issued by Jiangsu's health department. [read more](#)

#### ***Zhejiang: Six new confirmed human H7N9 cases***

The first case was a 51-year-old woman, surnamed Shen, who is from the city of Tongxiang. She was confirmed to be infected with the virus on Wednesday (8 January 2014) and is in critical condition at a hospital in the provincial capital of Hangzhou. [read more](#)

The second case was a 75-year-old woman surnamed Li, from Zhuji City. She was confirmed to be infected with the disease on Saturday (8 January 2014) and has died, according to the provincial health authorities.

The third case was a 78-year-old man surnamed Zong from Yiwu City. He is now in critical condition.

The fourth case was a 34-year-old man surnamed Meng from Ningbo City. He is now in critical condition. [read more](#)

The fifth case was a 79-year-old woman was confirmed on 10 January 2014.

The sixth case was 30-year-old man was confirmed on 10 January 2014. [read more](#)

#### ***Guizhou: Suspected H7N9 in a human***

The patient, identified only as a 38-year-old man from Meitan county, had been working in Ruian City of east China's Zhejiang Province. He showed symptoms of cough and dizziness a month ago and returned to Meitan on January 4 for medication. The man was transferred on January 8 to the First People's Hospital of Zunyi city as his conditions were getting worse. He died in the hospital a day later. [read more](#)

#### **India: FMD situation in Kerala under control**

The recent outbreak of foot-and-mouth disease (FMD) in Kerala has claimed the lives of 4705 head of cattle across the state and affected 51 581 head since August last year [2013], the Assembly has been informed. Replying to a submission by M.P. Vincent in the Assembly on Monday [6 Jan 2014], Minister for Animal Husbandry K.P. Mohanan said preventive measures had been stepped up to arrest the spread of the disease. Claiming that the FMD outbreak was now under control, he said. [read more](#)

#### **Viet Nam: Confirmed 4 outbreaks of H5N1 in Bac Ninh**

Four outbreaks of HPAI H5N1 in village poultry were reported from Bac Ninh Province by the Department of Animal Health, Viet Nam to OIE on 10 January 2014. There were a total of 2,600 poultry died and 7,187 destroyed. [read more](#)