



WEEKLY DENGUE UPDATE

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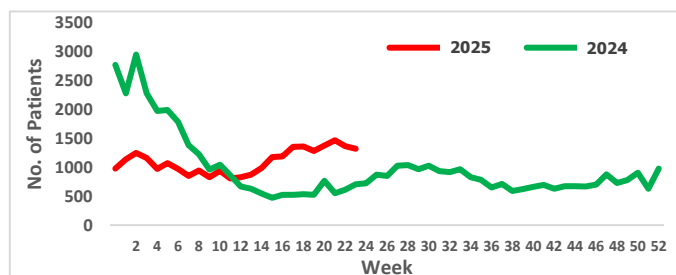
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DENGUE CASE REPORTING

During 23rd week, 1320 suspected dengue cases were reported in 25 districts in comparison to 1364 in 24 districts during the 22nd week. There is 3.2% decrease in 23rd week, compared to the previous week. Of all reported cases, 44.7% were from Western Province [Colombo Municipal Council - 5.2%, rest of the Colombo District - 18.0%, Gampaha District - 17.3% and Kalutara District - 4.3%]. Rathnapura [13.4%], Kandy [8.4%], Kurunegala [4.7%], Matara [4.3%], Galle [3.5%], and Batticaloa [3.3%], districts also have reported higher proportions of cases (Table 1).

WEEKLY DISTRIBUTION OF DENGUE PATIENTS in 2024 and 2025



Source: NaDSys – National Dengue Surveillance System

HIGH RISK MOH AREAS (Table 2)

During 23rd week, 39 MOH areas were flagged as high-risk. 23 MOH areas showed rising number than their respective numbers in previous week. Persistently high number of patients are observed in 29 MOH areas in both 22nd and 23rd week of 2025.

Gangawatakorale, Godakawela, Kalawana, Matara MC, Badalkumbura, CMC-D1, CMC-D2B, Boralessgamuwa, Moratuwa, Pitakotte, Minuwangoda, and Ragama newly flagged as high-risk MOH areas in the 23rd week. Mawanella, Balangoda, Oddamavadi, Korlai Pattu Central, CMC-D2A, CMC-D3, Egodaunya, Piliyandala, Ja-Ela, Attanagalla, and Pugoda MOH areas flagged as high-risk in the 22nd week, were not flagged in the current week.

MIDNIGHT TOTAL OF DENGUE PATIENT ADMISSIONS

* After updated with delayed reporting from hospitals, average midnight total for the 22nd week shows a decrease from 494 to 490.

In the 23rd week average midnight total of dengue patients in selected 74 hospitals was 497. In 24 hospitals, the average midnight total has increased and in 24 hospitals it has decreased compared to the previous week.

Selected hospitals with high average midnight totals of dengue patients and changing trend of dengue admissions in the 23rd week are illustrated in Table 3.

Table 1: Reported dengue cases in week 23 and week 22 of 2025

District/ RDHS	No. of cases					
	2024		2025		Up to Week 23	
	Week 22	Week 23	Week 22	Week 23	2024	2025
Colombo	165	194	319	305	5603	6695
Gampaha	77	97	220	228	2467	3820
Kalutara	54	35	53	57	1371	975
Kandy	69	69	124	111	1982	1670
Matale	5	4	13	17	259	643
Nuwara Eliya	4	4	4	4	84	82
Galle	17	32	53	46	1205	1100
Hambantota	0	4	11	20	335	384
Matara	13	6	19	57	394	809
Jaffna	10	23	19	15	3920	542
Kilinochchi	Nil	Nil	1	2	213	37
Mannar	Nil	2	Nil	7	140	95
Vavuniya	Nil	3	Nil	3	63	23
Mullaitivu	Nil	Nil	1	Nil	121	7
Batticaloa	10	15	62	44	1039	1472
Ampara	2	4	12	4	107	90
Trincomalee	6	10	43	32	431	777
Kalmunai*	6	9	12	6	458	283
Kurunegala	25	39	52	62	1154	621
Puttalam	5	9	14	8	706	384
Anuradhapura	4	10	11	3	259	261
Polonnaruwa	2	4	24	5	164	185
Badulla	5	6	29	28	395	372
Monaragala	17	13	27	38	390	470
Ratnapura	72	87	177	177	1431	2952
Kegalle	46	25	64	41	1108	736
Total	614	704	1364	1320	25799	25485

Source: NaDSys (Dengue Surveillance, National Dengue Control Unit)

*Ampara district is divided into two Regional Directorates of Health Services (RDHS) as Ampara & Kalmunai

■ Districts reporting higher number of cases.

Table 2: High risk MOH areas (39)

MOH Area	Cases reported		MOH Area	Cases reported		MOH Area	Cases reported		MOH Area	Cases reported	
	Week 22	Week 23		Week 22	Week 23		Week 22	Week 23		Week 22	Week 23
WESTERN PROVINCE			Moratuwa	4	12	Panadura	11	12	Kalawana	8	14
Colombo District			Pitakotte	8	13	EASTERN PROVINCE			CENTRAL PROVINCE		
CMC-D1	6	18	Gampaha District			Trincomalee District			Kandy District		
CMC- D2B	11	15	Biyagama	34	24	Muttur	11	16	MC Kandy	24	19
CMC- D4	15	14	Kelaniya	35	30	SABARAGAMUWA PROVINCE			Yatinuwara	17	13
Gothatuwa	35	19	Gampaha	9	14	Rathnapura RDHS			Udunuwara	11	12
Kaduvela	23	19	Mahara	12	12	Elapatha	16	12	Gangawata Korale	4	12
Maharagama	33	42	Wattala	20	18	Kuruvita	19	21	SOUTHERN PROVINCE		
Homagama	14	23	Negombo	15	39	Rathnapura MC	17	13	Matara District		
Dehiwala	20	23	Minuwangoda	10	13	Rathnapura PS	16	11	MC Matara	3	11
Kolonnawa	19	23	Ragama	10	13	Pelmadulla	26	20	UVA PROVINCE		
Boralesgamuwa	8	11	Mirigama	19	15	Nivithigala	26	14	Monaragala District		
Nugegoda	20	15	Kalutara District			Godakawela	6	12	Badalkumbura	1	16

Table 3: Hospitals with high average midnight totals and admissions for dengue patients in the week 23

Hospital	Average Midnight Total			Hospital	Average Midnight Total			Hospital	Average Midnight Total		
	Week 22	Week 23			Week 22	Week 23			Week 22	Week 23	
NHSL	48	58	↑	DGH- Matara	12	12	-	DGH-Matale	5	6	↑
TH-Ratnapura	47	45	↓	TH-Karapitiya	15	12	↓	DGH-Monaragala	5	6	↑
TH-Col-South	38	42	↑	BH- Kiribathgoda	14	10	↓	TH- Kalutara	6	5	↓
NIID	44	40	↓	PGH-Badulla	9	9	-	BH-Valaichchenai	11	5	↓
TH-Col-North	21	25	↑	BH- Panadura	9	9	-	BH- Mawanella	6	5	↓
LRH	25	24	↓	DGH- Gampaha	11	8	↓	BH- Wathupitiwala	4	4	-
TH-Peradeniya	22	19	↓	BH-Balapitiya	4	7	↑	BH Muttur	6	4	↓
DGH- Negombo	14	16	↑	BH-Kahawatta	6	7	↑	DGH- Horana	2	4	↑
NH-Kandy	12	16	↑	TH-Batticaloa	7	7	-	BH- Mirigama	3	4	↑
BH-Balangoda	12	14	↑	DGH-Avissawella	4	6	↑				
TH-Kurunegala	14	13	↓	DGH-Kegalle	4	6	↑				

Table 4: Dengue related deaths

	2024	2025		2024	2025
Reported Deaths	24	13	Case Fatality Rate	0.05%	0.05%
Deaths reported in 2025 [Age & Sex]					
Age Group (Yrs)	Male	Female	Age Group (Yrs)	Male	Female
5-14	2		45 - 54		2
15-24		1	55 - 64	1	2
25-34		2			
35-44		3	Total	3	10
Deaths reported in 2025 [Districts/Admin area]					
District/area	No	District/area	No	District/area	No
Colombo	3	Monaragala	1	Rathnapura	5
Gampaha	2	Batticaloa	1	Kandy	1

