YEMEN: Cholera Outbreak
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Highlights

From 27 April to 20 July 2017, **372,915** suspected cholera cases and **1,837** deaths (CFR: **0.5**%) have been reported in **91.3% (21/23)** of Yemen governorates, and **88.6%** (**295/333**) of the districts.

Geographical distribution of cases

- The **five** most affected governorates were Amanat Al Asimah, Al Hudaydah, Hajjah, Amran and Ibb with 53.7% (**200,155/372,915**) of the cases reported since 27 April 2017.
  - Al Dhaele'e, Al Mahwit and Amran governorates had the highest attack rates (**27.8‰, 26.7‰ and 25.1‰** respectively)
  - Raymah ,Hajjah and Ibb governorates reported the highest case fatality ratios (**1.3%, 0.9%** and **0.8%** respectively) (see table).
- The **five** most affected districts were Al Hali district (Al Hudaydah governorate, 14,354 suspected cases and 23 deaths), Ma'ain (Amanat Al Asimah governorate, 9,274 suspected cases and 10 deaths), Bani Al Harith (Amanat Al Asimah governorate, 9,132 suspected cases and 10 deaths), As Sabain (Amanat Al Asimah governorate, 7,285 suspected cases and 11 deaths), and Al Hawak (Al Hudaydah governorate, 7,010 suspected cases and 11 deaths)

Number of suspected cholera cases & deaths, AR and CFR by governorate, Yemen, 27 April – 20 July 2017

Governorates	Cases	Deaths	CFR (%)	Attack Rate (‰)
Amanat Al Asimah	48,100	60	0.1	14.5
Al-Hudaydah	46,296	214	0.5	13.8
Hajjah	38,947	353	0.9	17.5
Amran	38,342	150	0.4	25.1
Ibb	28,470	234	0.8	9.3
Dhamar	26,923	126	0.5	12.7
Taizz	26,220	162	0.6	8.6
Sana'a	26,010	113	0.4	20.8
Al Dhale'e	20,941	75	0.4	27.8
Al Mahwit	20,320	117	0.6	26.7
Aden	11,431	48	0.4	11.9
Abyan	11,281	31	0.3	18.5
Al Bayda	11,261	26	0.2	14.6
Raymah	6,879	91	1.3	10.9
Lahj	4,570	16	0.4	4.3
Al_Jawf	3,235	13	0.4	5.0
Ma'areb	1,916	4	0.2	5.3
Sa'ada	862	2	0.2	1.0
AL Mahrah	573	1	0.2	3.5
Shabwah	331	1	0.3	0.5
Say'on	7	0	0	0.0
Total	372,915	1,837	0.5	12.6

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