

# DISWEB in Korea

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# 1. Background

# Socio-demographic features

- Geographic features



# Socio-demographic features

- Demographic characteristics in 1999
  - Total Population : 46 million
  - Under the age of 15 years : 10 million
  - Life expectancy Male 71 / Female 78
  - 78% living in Urban areas
- GDP : 457billion US dollars
  - (13<sup>th</sup> in the world)

# Socio-demographic features

- Geographic features



# Health care system (1)

- Numbers of Physicians
  - 65,431(1.2 per 1,000 population)
- Numbers of medical institutions
  - clinics : 18,507, hospital : 796
- Private health sectors dominant (>90%)
- Health Insurance
  - Whole population are under coverage,
  - low-income population are under medicaid (5%)

# Health care system (2)

## - Infectious Disease Control System-

- Central governmental level
  - Ministry of Health & Welfare (MOHW)
  - National Institute of Health (NIH)
    - Responsible for communicable diseases control and surveillance
- Provincial level (16)
  - Institute of Public Health and Environment (IPHE)
- City, County level (242)
  - Public Health Center (PHC)

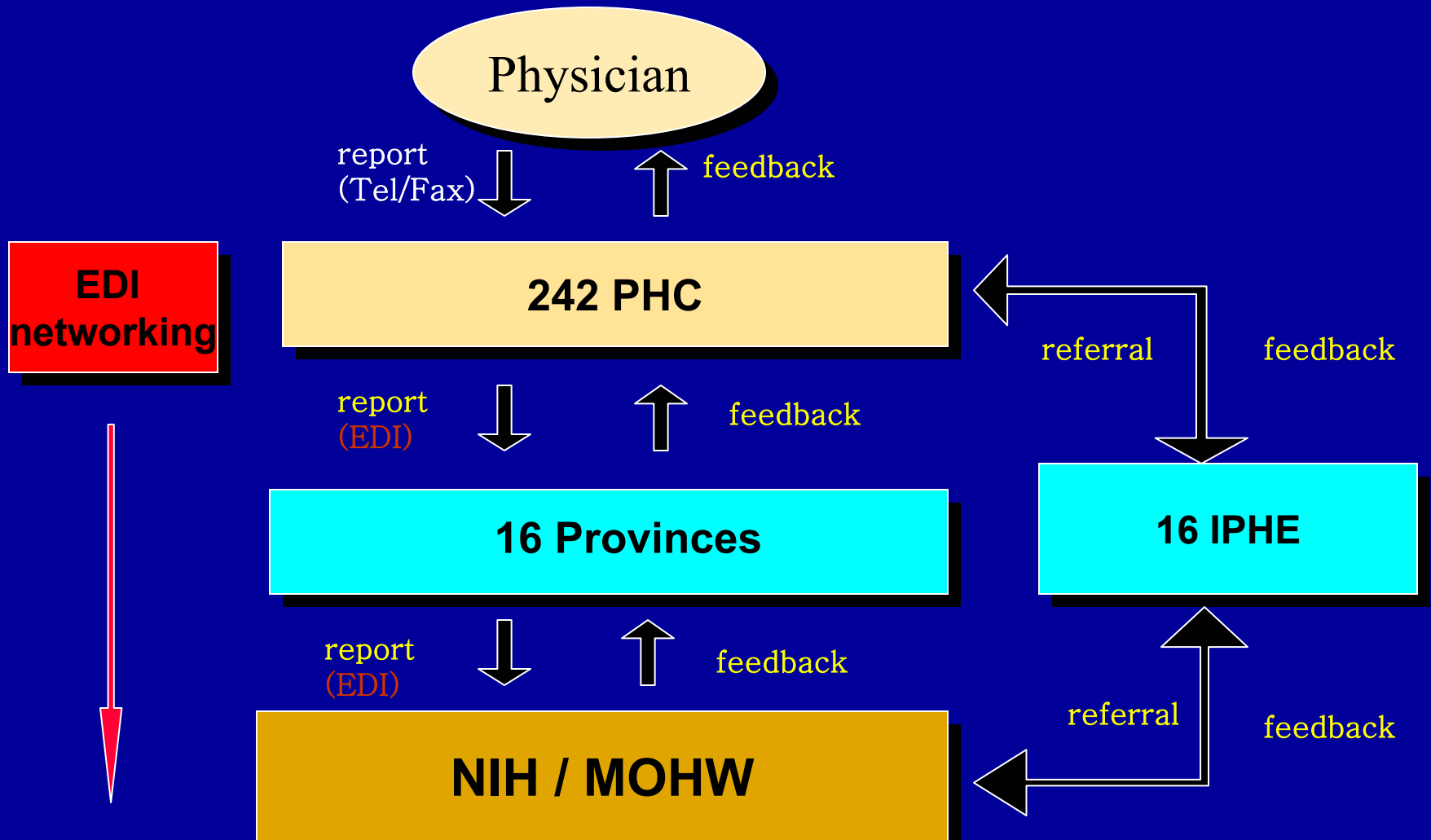
## 2. Surveillance system



# History

- Enactment of “Comm Dis Control Law”
  - Passive notification-based system : 1954
  - 29 diseases
  - Monthly dissemination (CDMR) : 1990
- Revise “Comm Dis Control Law” : 2000
  - + sentinel medical institution-based system
  - Network-based DISWEB launching : 2000
  - Weekly on-line dissemination : 2002

# Communicable Disease Reporting System



# Passive Surveillance Diseases

Medical Institution → PHC → Province → NIH

**1st Class (6)**

**cholera, typhoid fever, shigellosis**

**2nd Class (9)**

**measles, mumps, rubella, polio, hepatitis-B,  
Japanese encephalitis**

**3rd class (18)**

**malaria, TB, STI, tsutsugamushi, leptospirosis,  
HFRS, anthrax, rabies, influenza, AIDS**

**4th class (13)**

**yellow fever, dengue, marbug fever, lassa fever,  
ebola fever**

# Sentinel Surveillance Diseases

A. Sentinel Medical Institution → PHC → Province → NIH

**Viral hepatitis**

**Influenza**

**STDs**

**syphilis, gonorrhea, chlamydia, non-gonococcal urethritis**

B. Sentinel Surveillance Institution → NIH

**Foreign epidemic diseases**

**Chagas disease, Angiostrongyliasis, Gnathostomiasis, Filariasis, Hydatidosis, CJD**

**VRSA**

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Receiving office :  
Title : Report of Communicable diseases

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ID	NAME of PARENT (18 years)		
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	Class2	<input type="checkbox"/> Diphtheria <input type="checkbox"/> Pertussis <input type="checkbox"/> Tetanus <input type="checkbox"/> Measles <input type="checkbox"/> Mumps <input type="checkbox"/> Rubella <input type="checkbox"/> Poliovirus <input type="checkbox"/> Viral hepatitis B <input type="checkbox"/> Japanese encephalitis <input type="checkbox"/> Malaria <input type="checkbox"/> Tuberculosis <input type="checkbox"/> Hansen's disease <input type="checkbox"/> STD <input type="checkbox"/> Scarlet fever	
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Result of Lab	<input type="checkbox"/> positive <input type="checkbox"/> negative <input type="checkbox"/> impending <input type="checkbox"/> not ordered	Classification	<input type="checkbox"/> confirm <input type="checkbox"/> suspected <input type="checkbox"/> case
Suspected mode of transmission	<input type="checkbox"/> Contact with cholera patients <input type="checkbox"/> Contact with confirmed patients <input type="checkbox"/> unknown <input type="checkbox"/> no contact	Suspected country	<input type="checkbox"/> Domestic <input type="checkbox"/> Abroad (Country : ) (Duration of staying : )
Report of status change (Class 1 & Japanese encephalitis)		<input type="checkbox"/> Discharge <input type="checkbox"/> Recovery <input type="checkbox"/> Death <input type="checkbox"/> Change of address	
Date of Reporting : YY/MM/DD			
No. of Hospital : _____			
Name of Doctor : _____		No. of Doctor : _____ (signature)	

**From physicians**  
: use a report form  
in folded and posted  
letter, Fax, Tel etc

**Case Information**

**Type of Disease**

**Epi information**

- transmission mode
- place of infection

**Information of reporter**

# CDMR

(Communicable Diseases Monthly Report)

- Established in 1990 to undertake national surveillance system and epi. Information
  - 6,000 institutions
- Contents
  - Special article
  - Surveillance data
  - Disease outbreak information
- **CDWR** (on-line weekly dissemination)

# CDMR

- Real view
  - <http://dis.mohw.go.kr/>
  - \* English version is being prepared

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전염병 통계파일

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Bioterrorism Immunization 예방접종



# CDMR

- Real view

- [http://www.nih.go.kr/htm/CDMR/frm\\_main.htm](http://www.nih.go.kr/htm/CDMR/frm_main.htm)

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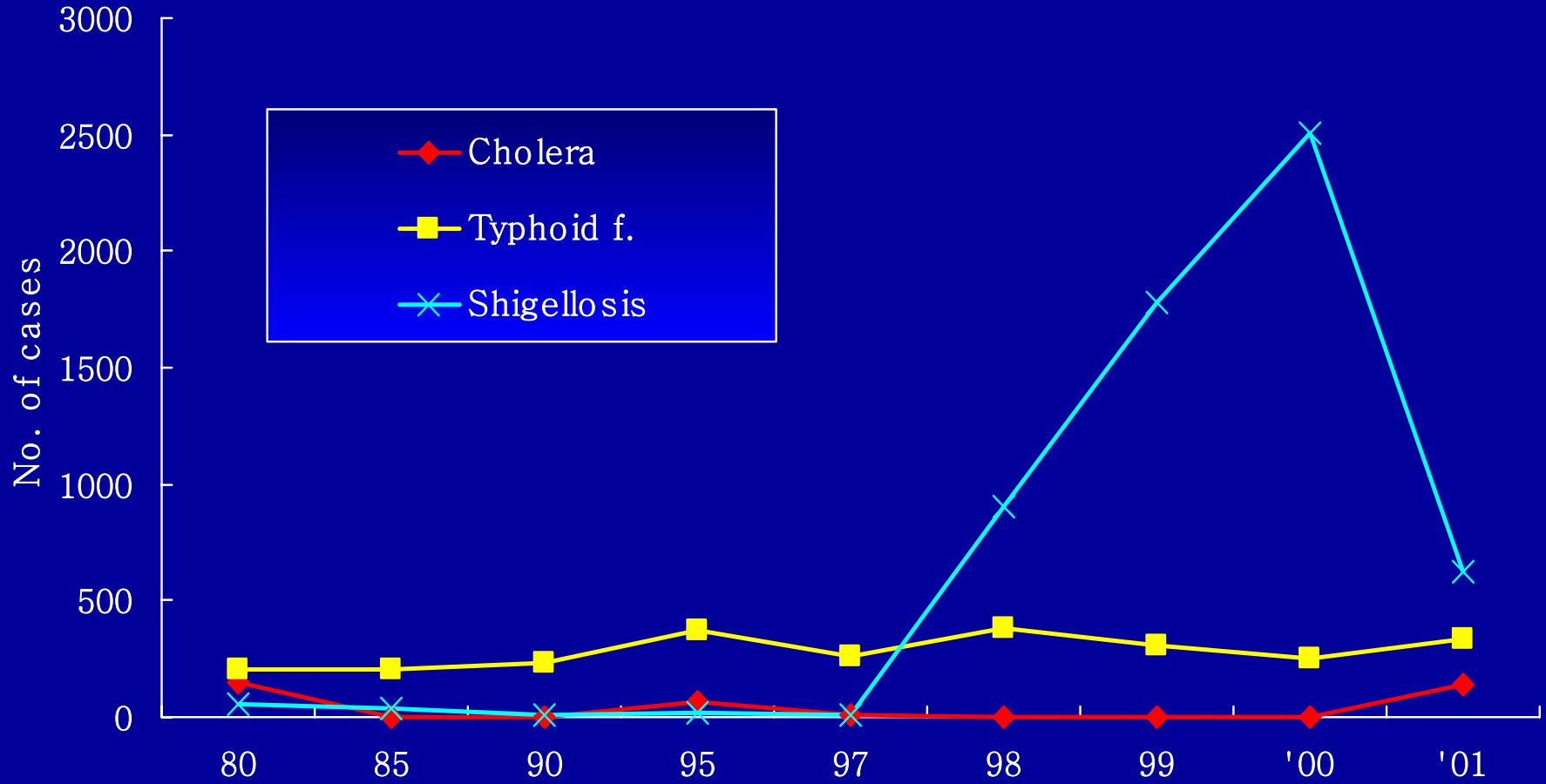
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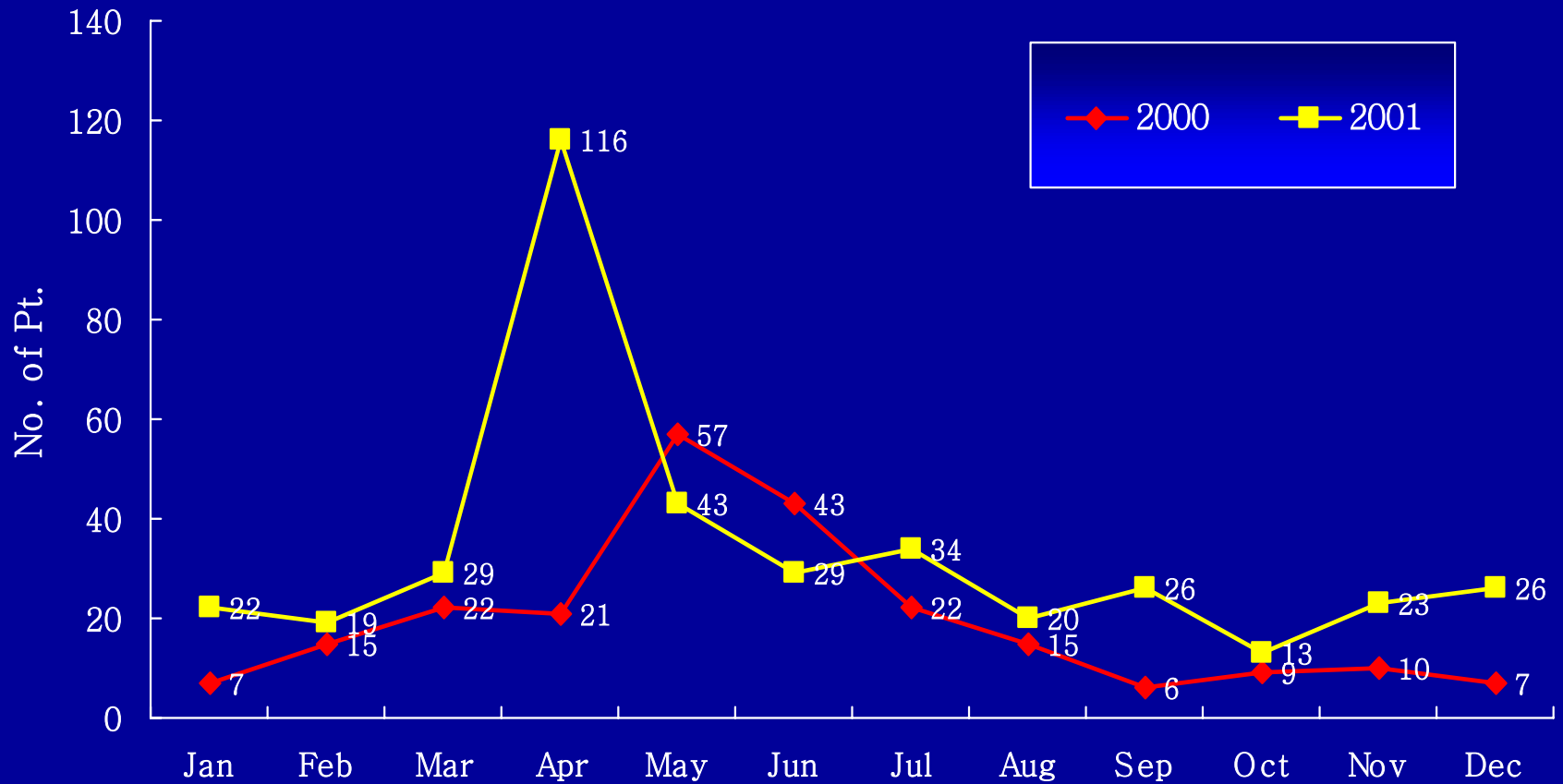
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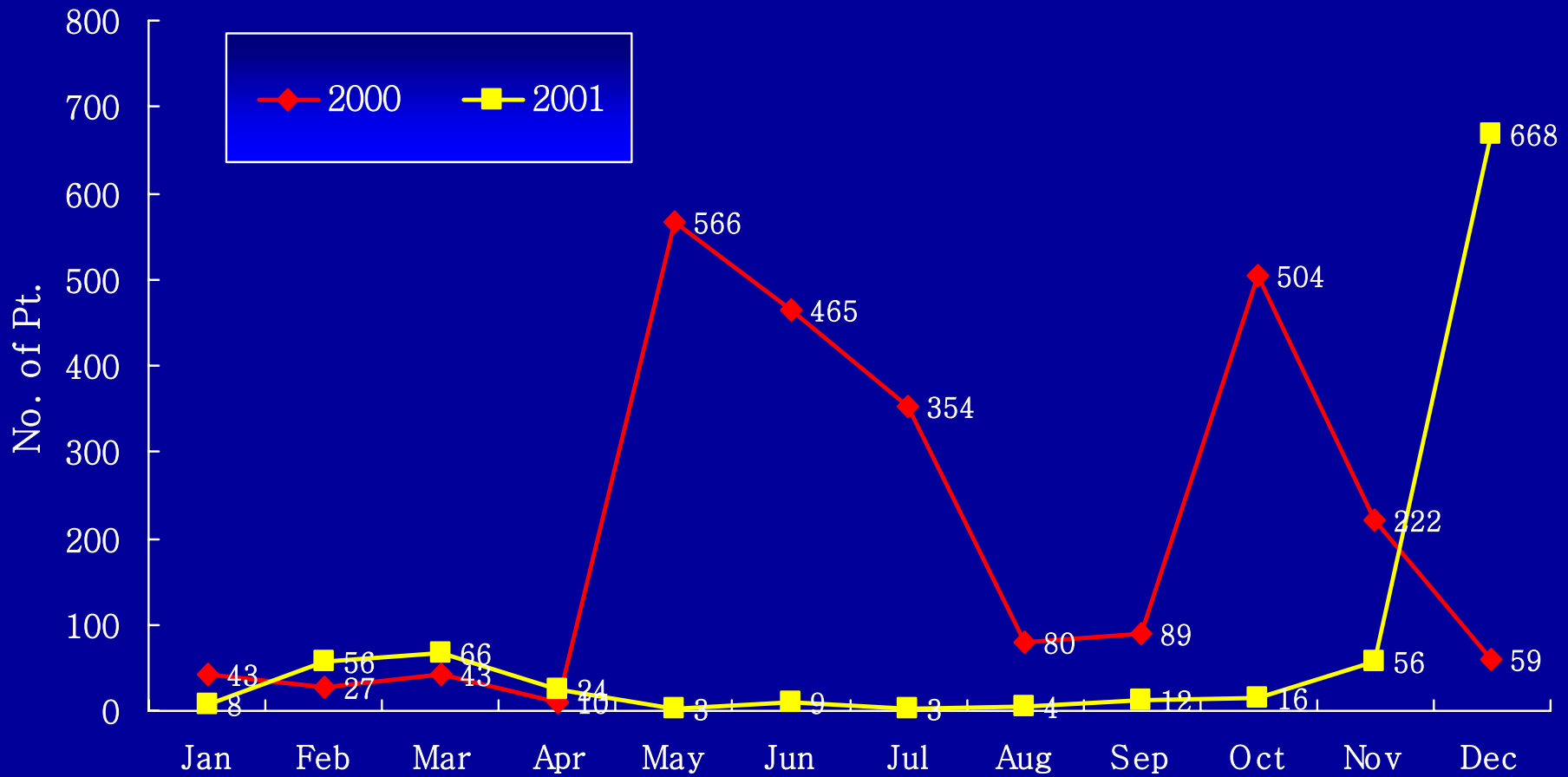
# Water-borne Diseases



# Typhoid fever



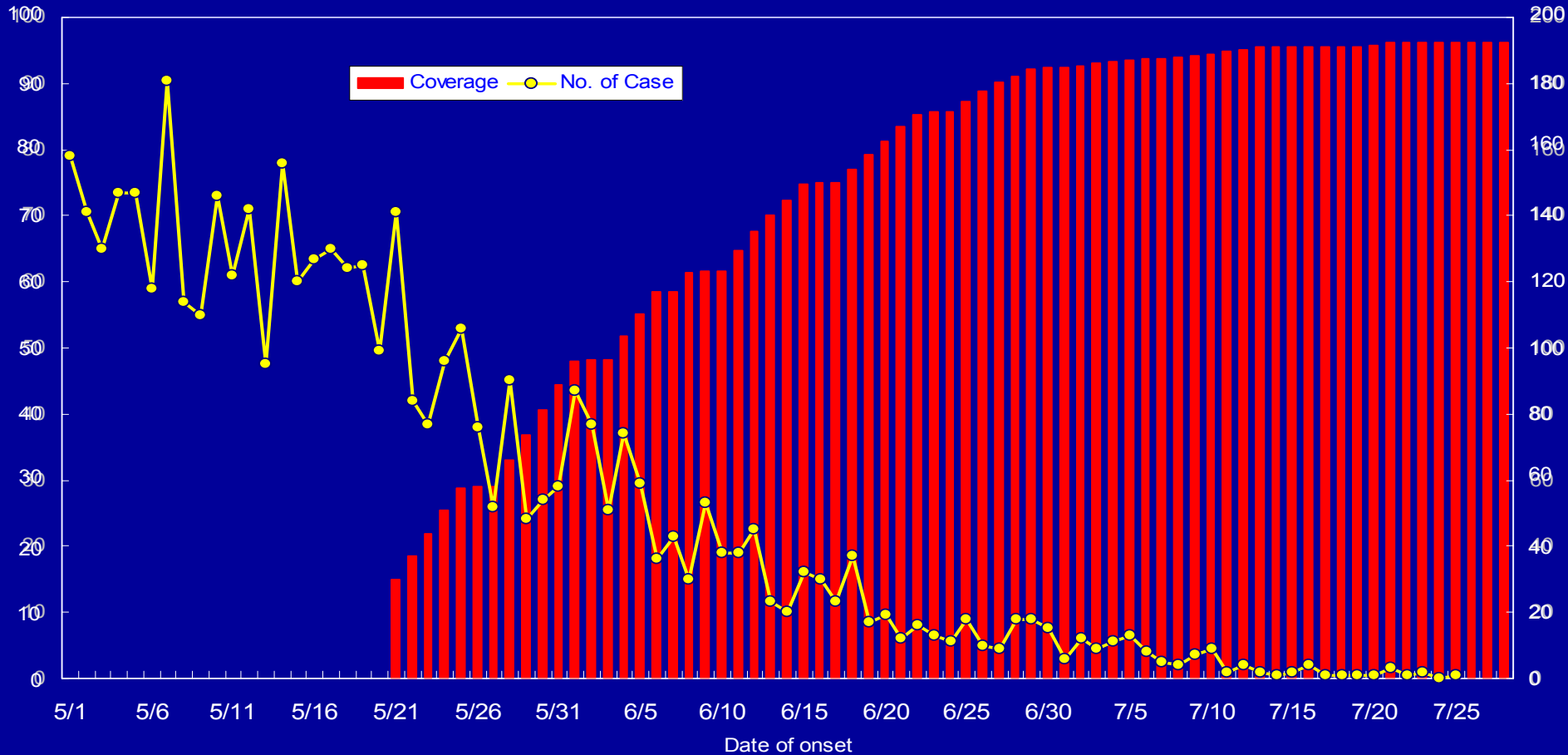
# Shigellosis



# Vaccine-Preventable Diseases

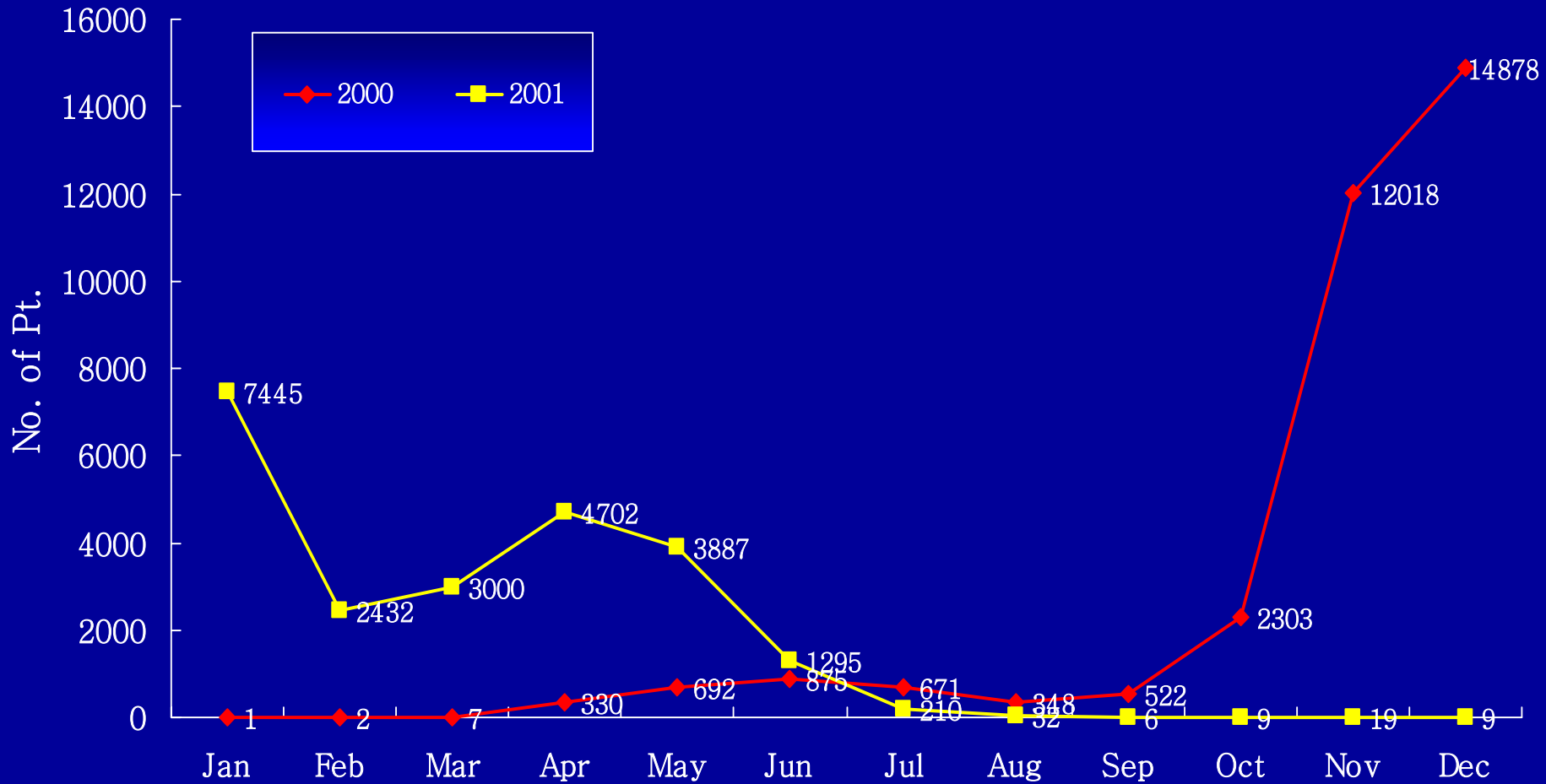
<b>Year</b>	<b>Poli</b>	<b>Diphtheria</b>	<b>Pertu</b>	<b>tetanus</b>	<b>measles</b>	<b>mumps</b>	<b>JE</b>
<b>1965</b>	<b>174</b>	<b>179</b>	<b>2,676</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>6,748</b>	<b>2,259</b>	<b>752</b>
<b>1970</b>	<b>176</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>3,818</b>		<b>3,628</b>	<b>813</b>	<b>27</b>
<b>1975</b>	<b>23</b>	<b>27</b>	<b>1,182</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>4,973</b>	<b>1,848</b>	<b>117</b>
<b>1980</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>51</b>	<b>1,554</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>5,097</b>	<b>866</b>	<b>107</b>
<b>1985</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>479</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>1,283</b>	<b>1,237</b>	<b>-</b>
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<b>1998</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>4,461</b>	<b>3</b>
<b>1999</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>88</b>	<b>2,262</b>	<b>1</b>
<b>2000</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>28</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>32,088</b>	<b>3,057</b>	<b>-</b>
<b>2001</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>--</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>23,047</b>	<b>1,675</b>	<b>1</b>

# No. of Patients & MR Vaccine Coverage

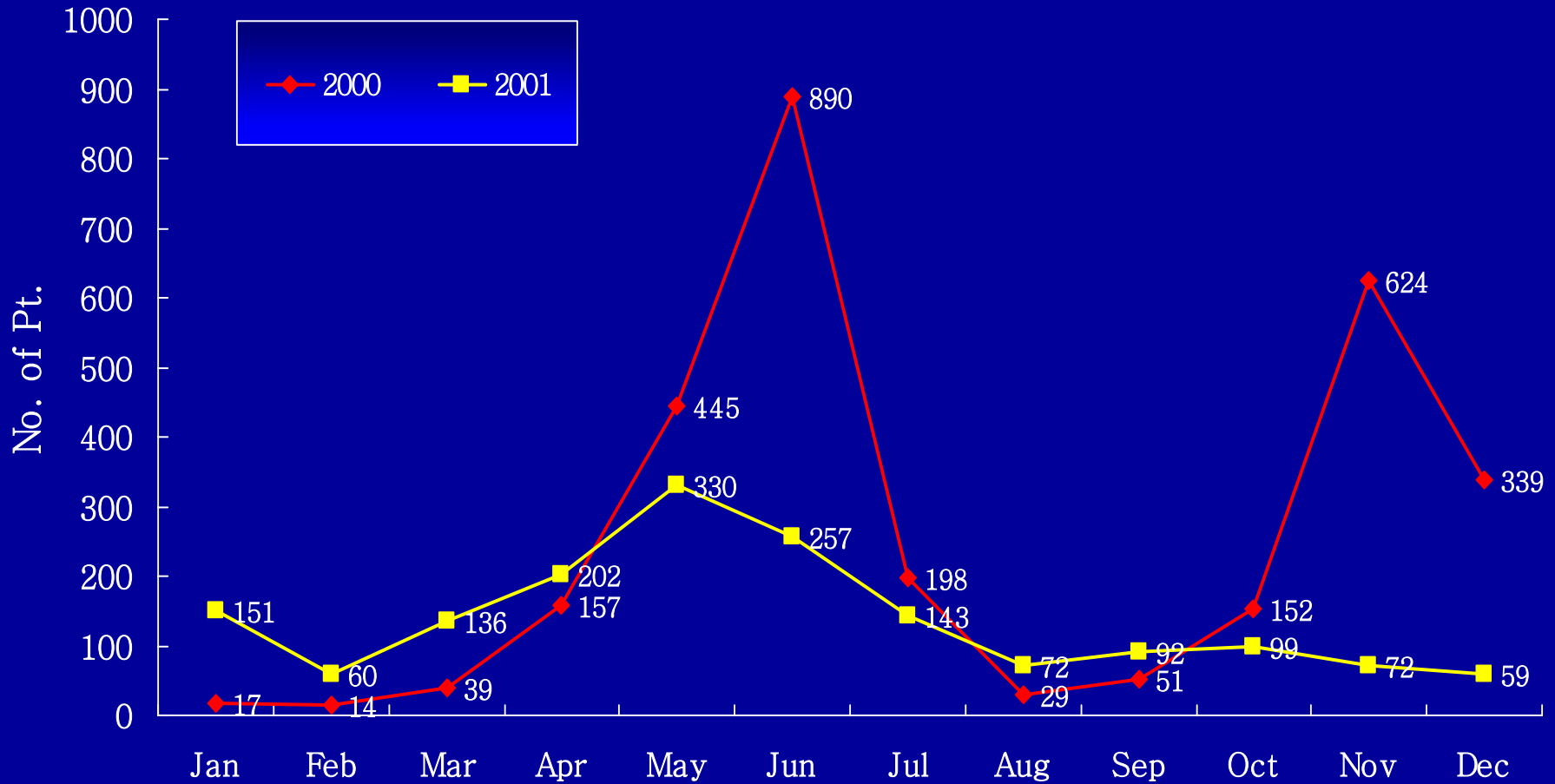




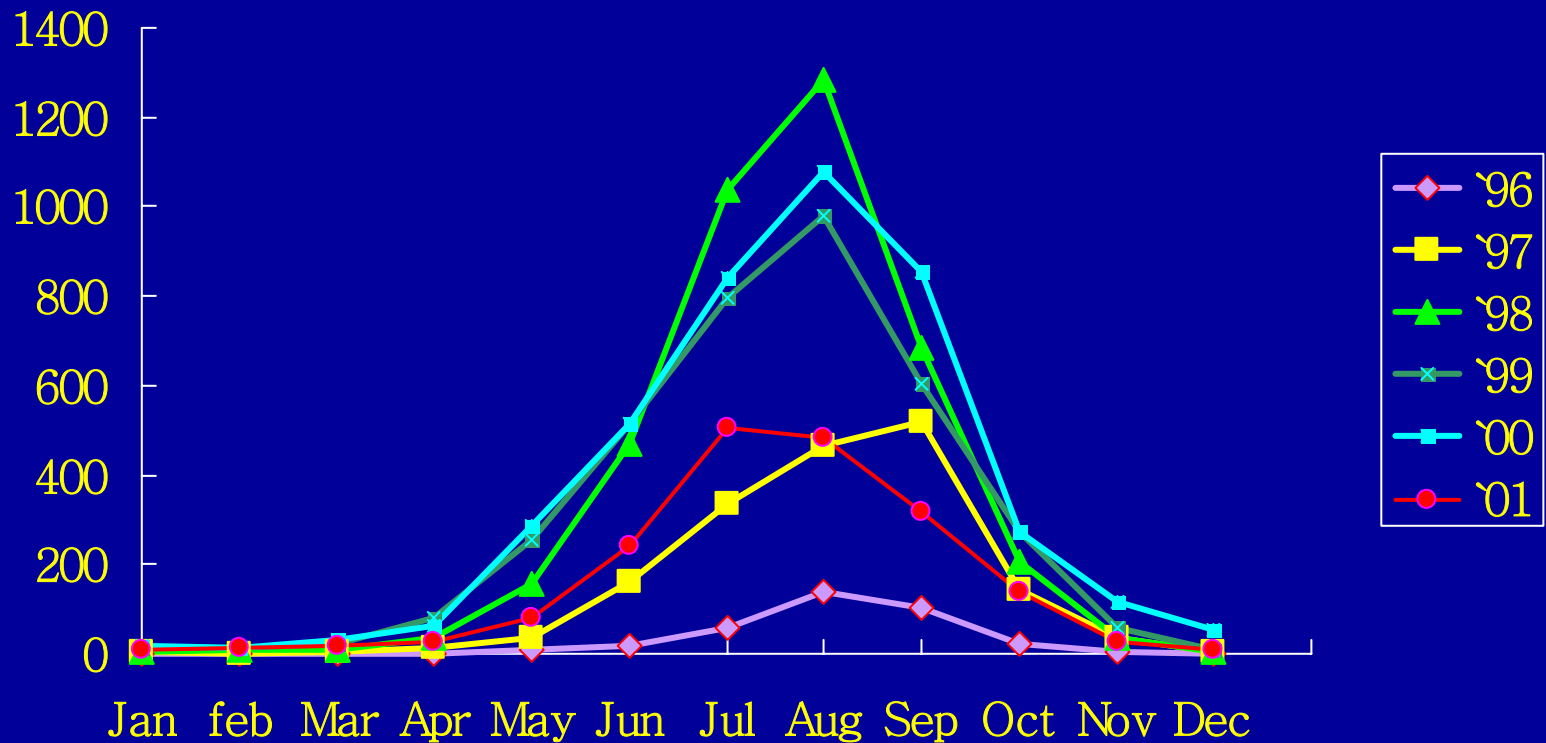
# Measles



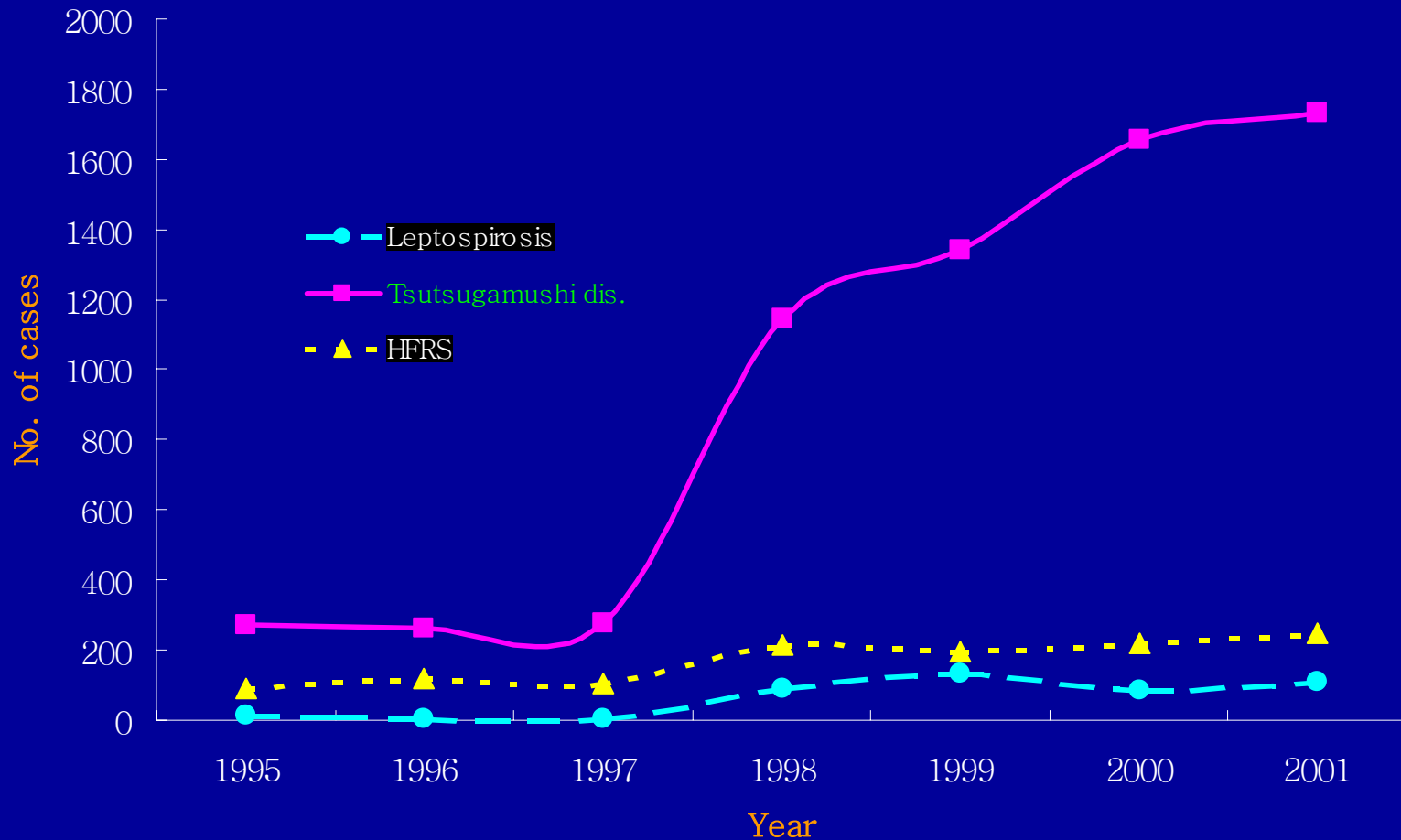
# Mumps



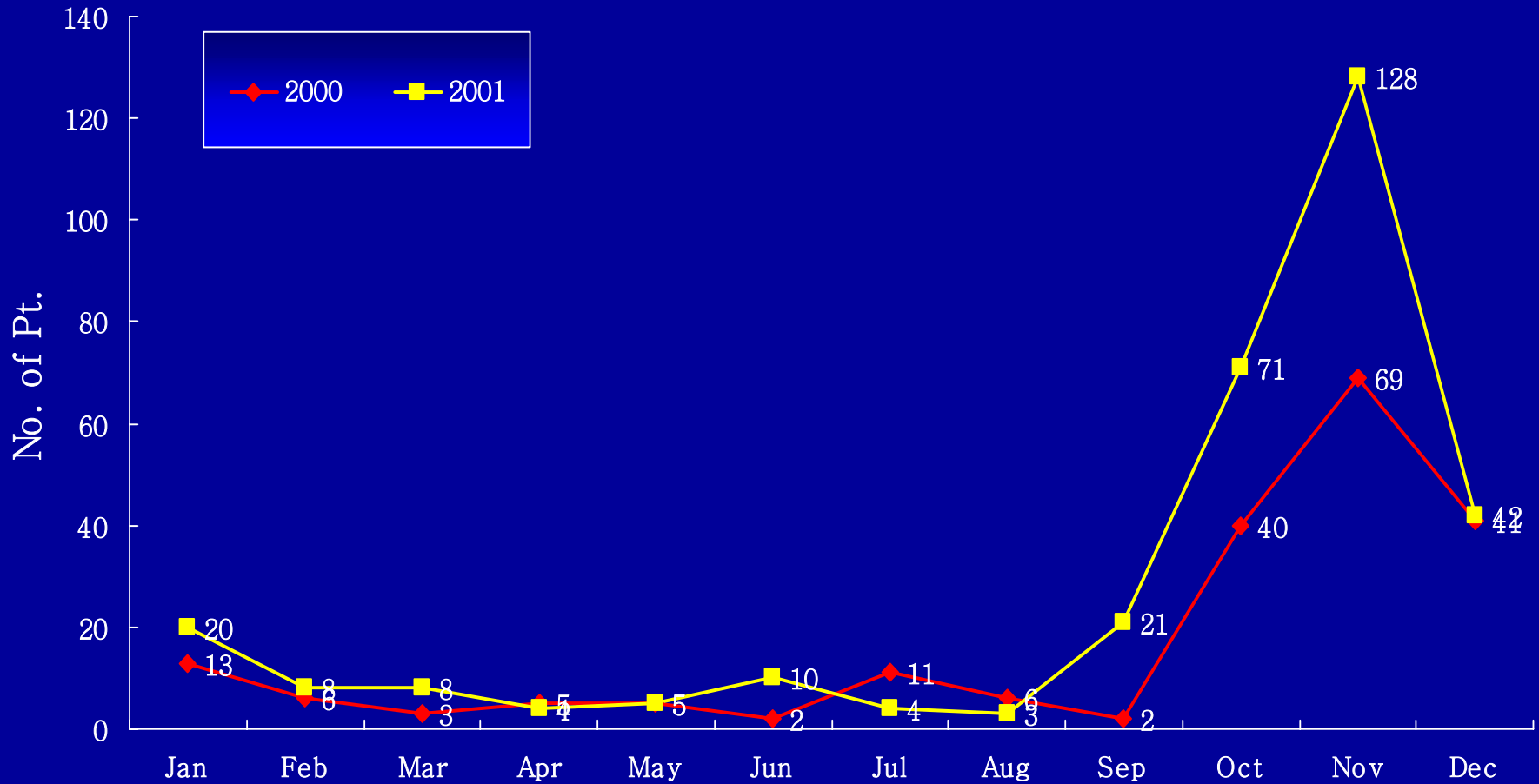
# Malaria Incidence by Month



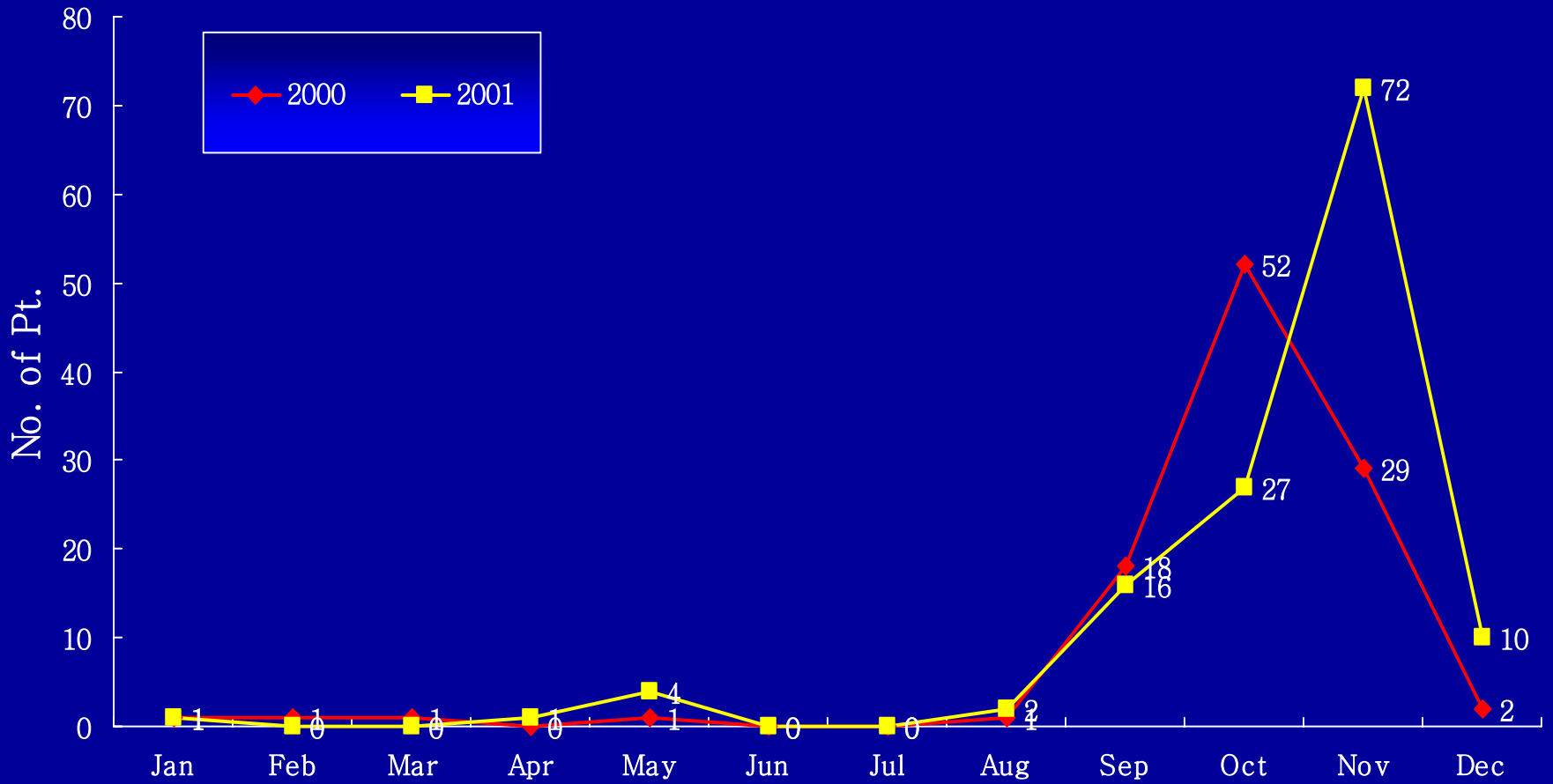
# HFRS, Leptospirosis, & Tsutsugamushi dis.



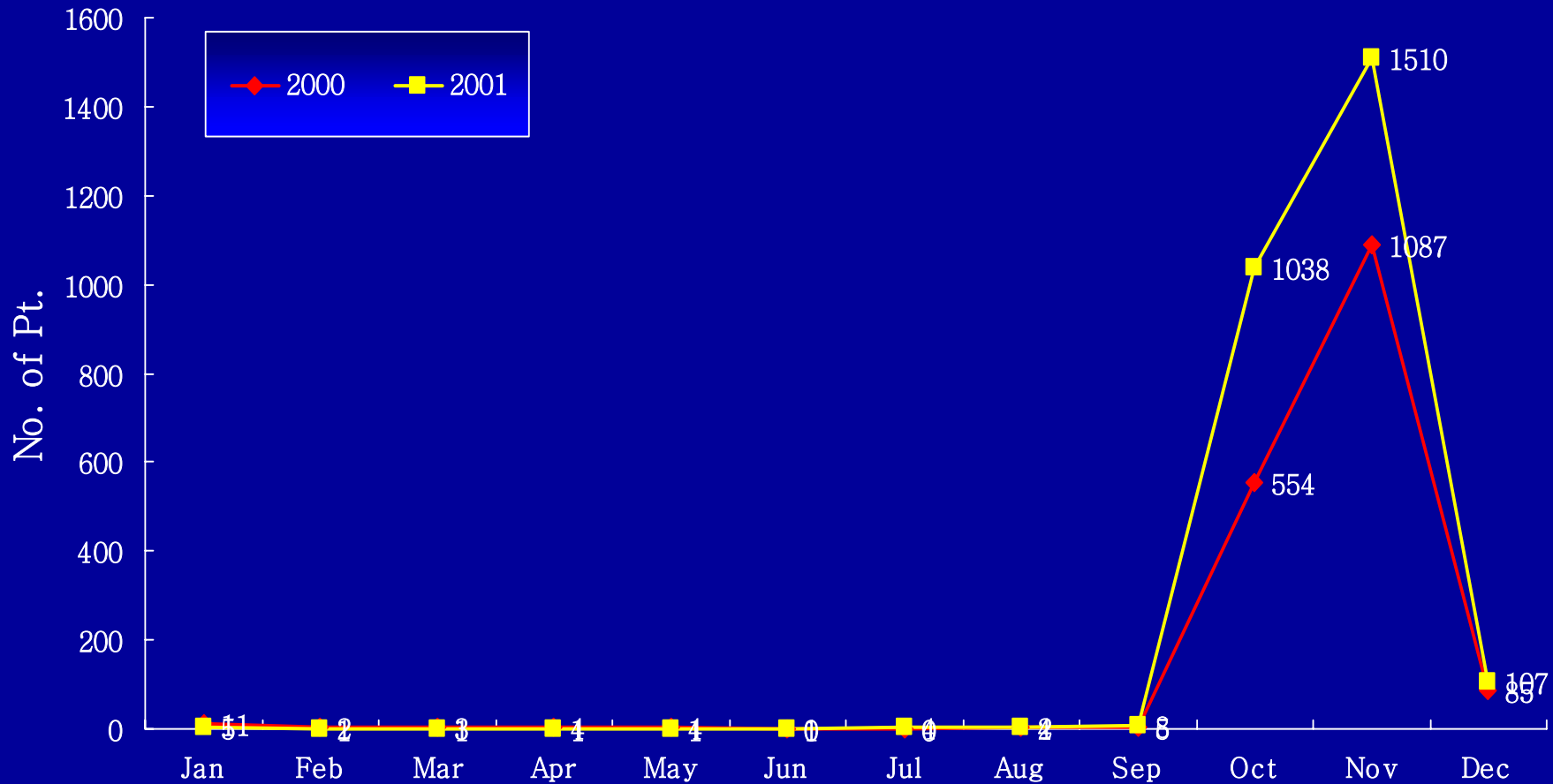
# Hemorrhagic fever with renal syndrome (HFRS)



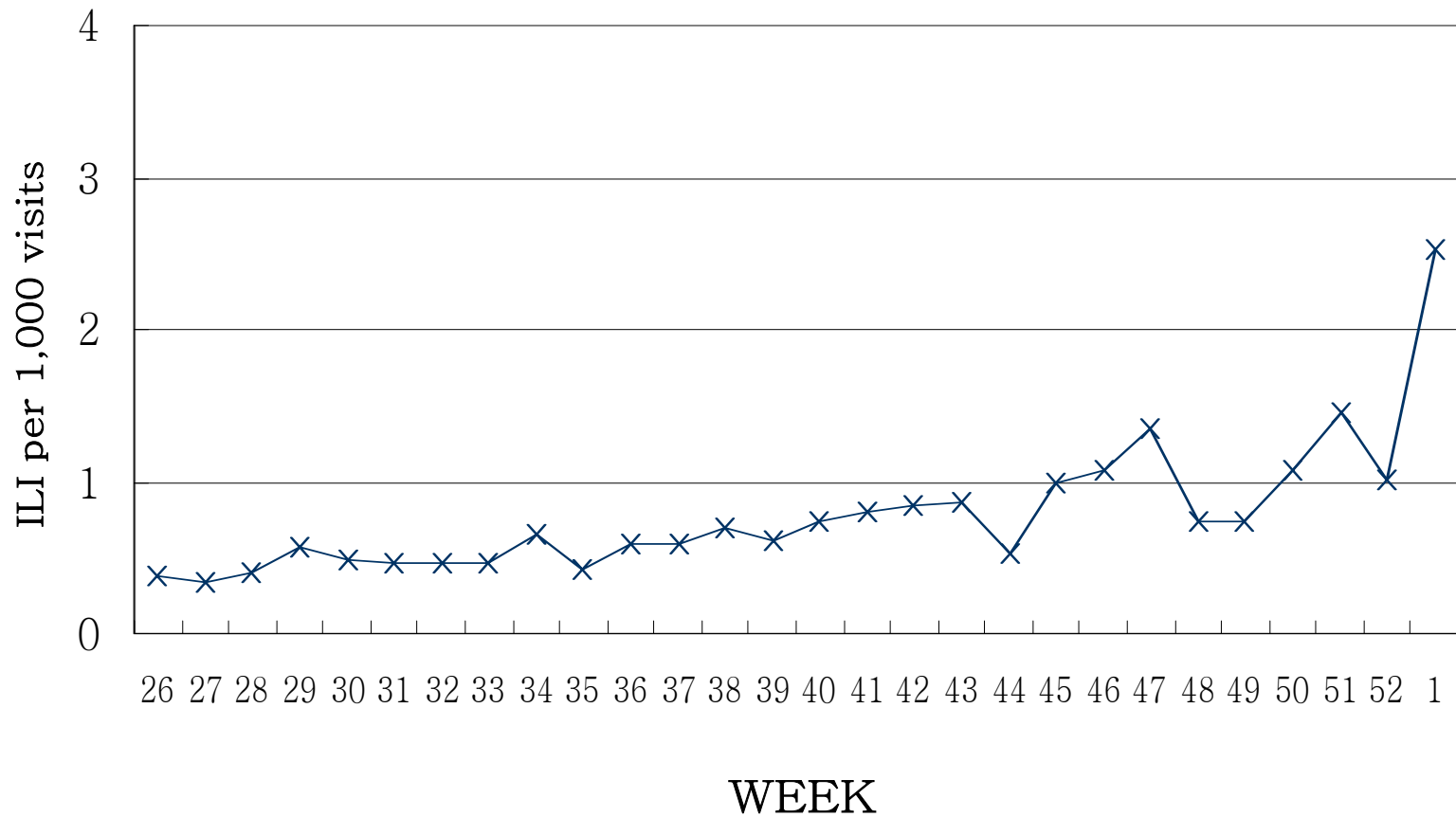
# Leptospirosis



# Tsutsugamushi dis. (Scrub typhus)

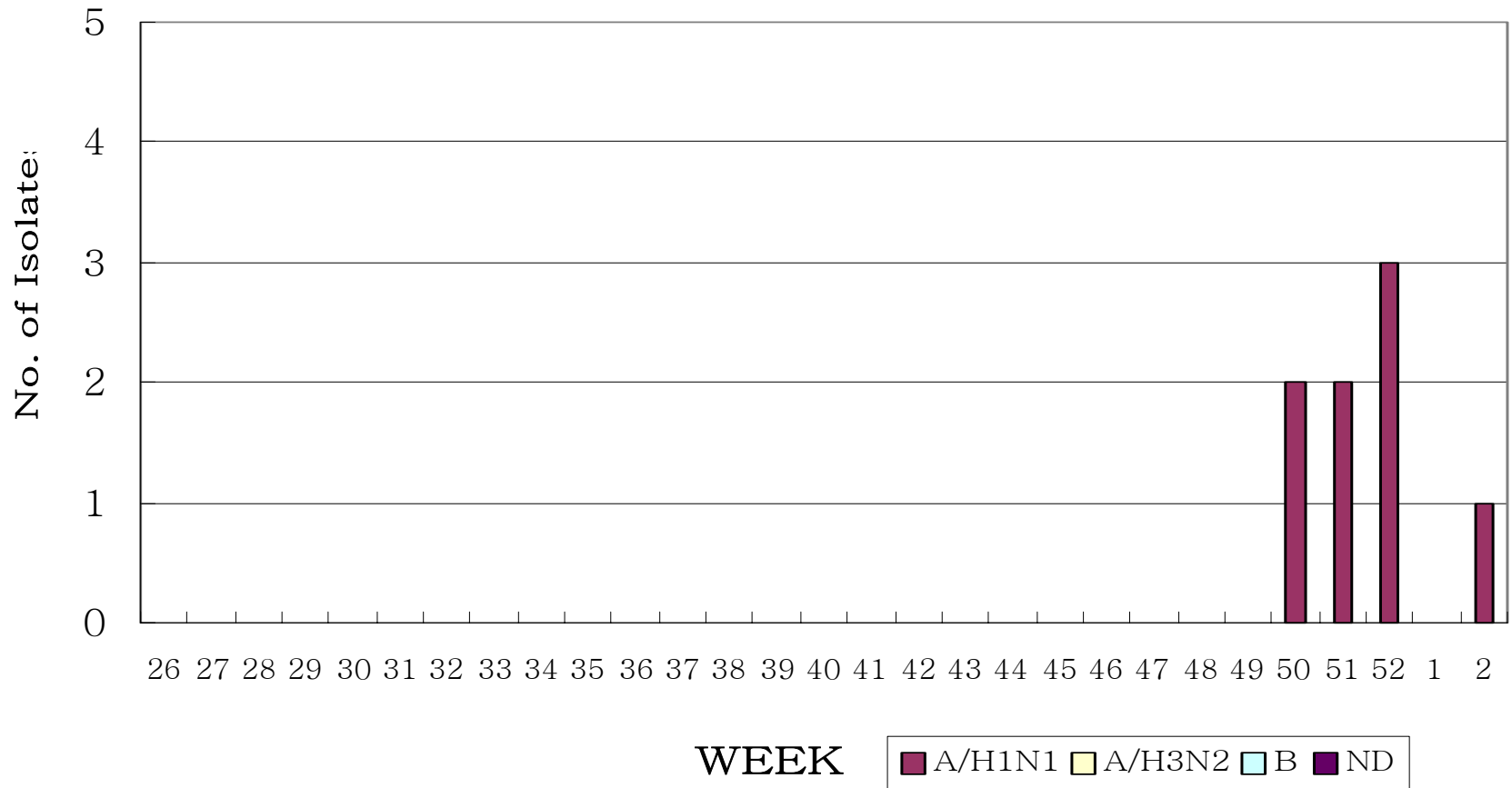


# Influenza sentinel surveillance





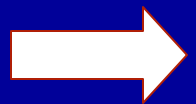
# Influenza virus isolation



# 4. Future direction

# Recent Major Health Problems

- Outbreak of measles ( Oct 2000 - Jun 2001)  
: 5-year measles elimination plan
- Outbreak of cholera (Aug – Sep 2001) and shigellosis ( Dec 2001)  
: Food/Water-borne disease control plan
- Bioterrorism(Oct 2001)  
: Preparedness and response activity

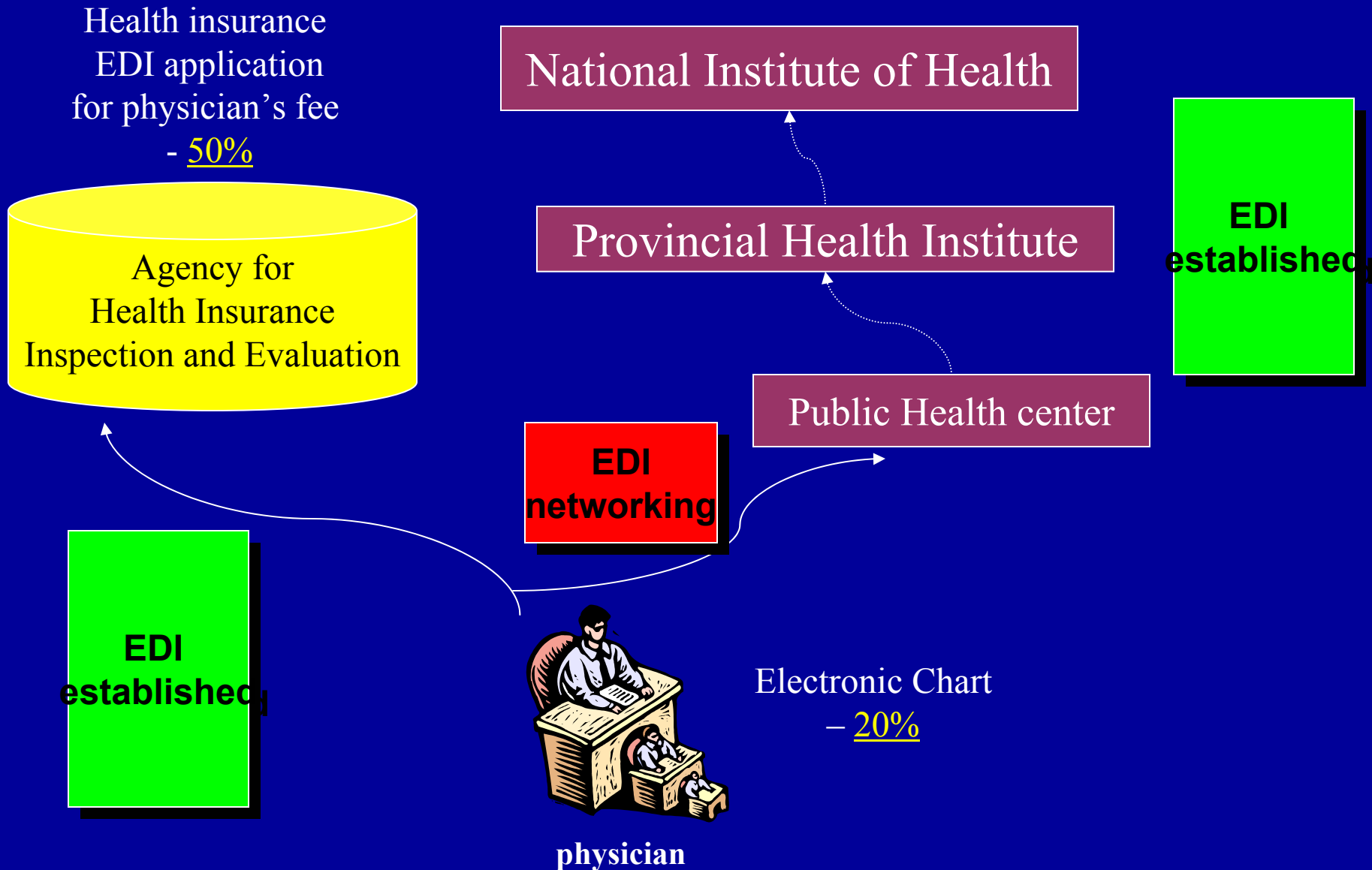


**'World-Cup Game' and 'Asian Game'**

# Improvement

- Complementary to current surveillance system
  - Inf. Dis. Specialist networking
  - ER-based syndromic surveillance
- Networking between medical institutions and public health center

# Electronic Chart and EDI



Thank you !!!