

CEZD WEEKLY INTELLIGENCE REPORT

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Most Relevant Signals 2020.01.13 – 2020.01.19

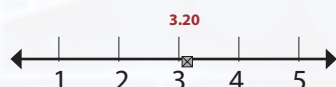
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Disease: Novel Coronavirus (nCoV)

Species affected: Human

Location: China

Community Relevance Rating: 3.20



Number of weeks in intelligence report: 02

Description: There has been a dramatic increase of the number of confirmed cases over the past weekend. To date, 258 novel coronavirus (nCoV) cases were reported in China including 6 deaths. Thailand, Japan, and South Korea also reported cases of nCoV.

The Philippines and Australia are currently investigating 2 suspect cases of travelers that recently returned from the central Chinese city of Wuhan, showing symptoms of a Sars-like virus.

The World Health Organization (WHO) are now considering the possibility of "sustained human-to-human transmission". The source of the outbreak is still under investigation in Wuhan City.

For more information: <http://outbreaknewstoday.com/wuhan-health-officials-more-than-250-novel-coronavirus-cases-6-deaths-61751/>

<https://afludairy.blogspot.com/2020/01/who-data-suggests-possible-sustained.html>

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