

INVESTIGATION OF TYPHOID CASES

NO	Question	Answer
1	Name	
2	Address (permanent)	
3	Address (temporary)	
4	Atoll / Island of temporary address	
5	Age	
6	Sex	Male / Female
7	Date of onset of illness	
8	Date of consultation	
9	Preliminary Diagnosis	
10	Confirmed Diagnosis	
11	Laboratory tests carried out (Y/N)	
12	Laboratory results	
Ask from the person		
13	Any travel history before the illness	
14	Name of the suspected source of infection (which food?)	
15	Source of water used for drinking (ask whether water is boiled, chlorinated, etc.)	
16	Observe the location of the tap in the tank (close to the ground, piece of cloth tied, etc.)	
17	Source of water used for cooking	
18	Water sample collected (Y/N)	
19	Any ill contacts (Y/N)	
20	Get the name of the ill contacts	
21	How do they dispose the faeces?	
22	Any septic tank in the premises (Y/N)	

23	Who handles food in the house hold	
25	Ask / observe about the hand washing practice of the house hold members (before eating food, after going to toilet, always using soap when washing the hands)	
24	Health condition of the food handler (write in details) Do stool testing for <i>Salmonella typhii</i> for food handlers.	
26	Stool test for <i>Salmonella typhii</i> – results (attach report)	Positive / Negative
26	Number of people in the house hold sharing food	

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