**Table S2.** The views of emergency response and management staff on expanding epidemics of infectious diseases

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| **Emergency response and management staff** | **Expanding the epidemic of infectious diseases** | | | | | **χ2** | ***p*** |
| **EL** | **VL** | **SL** | **LL** | **Total** |
| Yes | 21 | 17 | 5 | 1 | 44 |  |  |
| No | 70 | 133 | 58 | 9 | 270 | 9.163 | 0.027 |
| Total | 91 | 150 | 63 | 10 | 314 |  |  |

Note: EL= Extremely likely; VL = Very likely; SL = Somewhat likely; LL = Less likely.