

# Evaluation and Comparison of Statistical Methods for Early Temporal Detection of Outbreaks: a Simulation-Based Study

## Appendix S24: R code of periodic Poisson GLM algorithm and periodic negative binomial GLM algorithm.

### R code of periodic Poisson GLM algorithm

```
AlarmSerfling <- function(disProgObj=NULL){  
  observed <- c(disProgObj$observed)  
  p <- disProgObj$freq  
  alarm <- NA  
  for(i in 1:50){  
    df <- data.frame(x=observed[1:(573+i)], t=1:(573+i))  
    model <- glm(x ~ 1+t + sin(2 * pi* t/p ) + cos(2 * pi* t/p ) +  
                 sin(4 * pi/p * t) + cos(4 * pi/p * t), family=poisson(), data=df)  
    predict <- predict.glm(model, newdata=data.frame(x=observed[1:(574+i)], t=1:(574+i)),  
                           se.fit=T, type="response")  
    yhat <- predict$fit  
    alarm[i] <- ifelse(observed[574+i]>qpois(1-alpha, yhat[574+i]), 1, 0)  
  }  
  return(alarm)  
}
```

### R code of periodic negative binomial GLM algorithm

```
AlarmSerflingNB <- function(disProgObj=NULL){  
  observed <- c(disProgObj$observed)  
  p <- disProgObj$freq  
  alarm <- NA  
  for(i in 1:50){  
    df <- data.frame(x=observed[1:(573+i)], t=1:(573+i))  
    model <- glm.nb(x ~ 1+t + sin(2 * pi* t/p ) + cos(2 * pi* t/p ) +  
                     sin(4 * pi/p * t) + cos(4 * pi/p * t), data=df)  
    predict <- predict.glm(model, newdata=data.frame(x=observed[1:(574+i)], t=1:(574+i)),  
                           se.fit=T, type="response")  
    yhat <- predict$fit  
    dispersion <- model$theta  
    alarm[i] <- ifelse(observed[574+i]>  
                       qnbinom(1-alpha, size = dispersion, mu=yhat[574+i]), 1, 0)  
  }  
  return(alarm)  
}
```