Rank	Definition	Example virus species	No. virus species
1	Fits any of 'severe' criteria outlined in main text (≥5% case fatality ratio, frequent reports of hospitalisation, significant morbidity from certain symptoms, otherwise explicitly described as "severe" or causing "severe disease")	Rabies virus	58
2	Those not fitting 'severe' criteria, but are reported to have caused fatalities in healthy adults	Dengue virus	14
3	Those not fitting 'severe' criteria, but have severe strains or subspecies reported to cause fatalities in healthy adults	Influenza A virus	6
4	Those not fitting 'severe' criteria, but are reported to have caused fatalities in vulnerable individuals (age 16 and below or 60 and above, immunosuppressed, having co-morbidities, or otherwise 'at-risk')	Rotavirus A	17
5	Those not fitting 'severe' criteria, but have severe strains or subspecies reported to cause fatalities in vulnerable individuals	Parechovirus A	3
6	Those not fitting 'severe' criteria that have never been reported to cause fatalities	Human respirovirus 1	114