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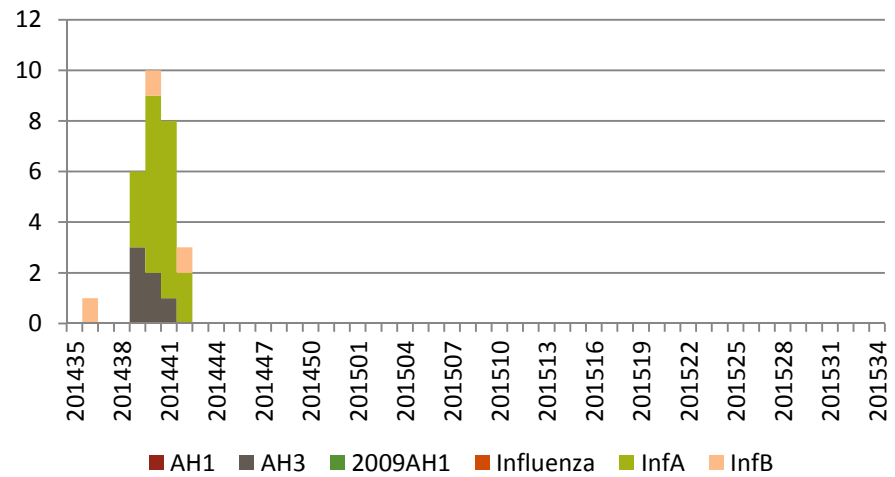
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28 Total Influenza Cases
3 Hospitalizations
2 LTC Outbreaks
0 Deaths
 Activity Level: **Sporadic**

General Trends

Reported cases of early season laboratory-confirmed influenza decreased this week, as well as other influenza indicators.

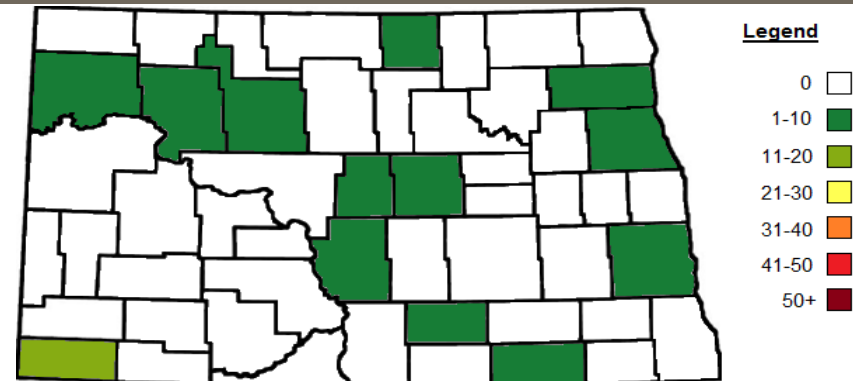
Cases of Influenza by Subtype by Week



Outbreaks

Two outbreaks in long term case facilities have been reported so far this season.

Influenza Cases by County



Cases by Gender

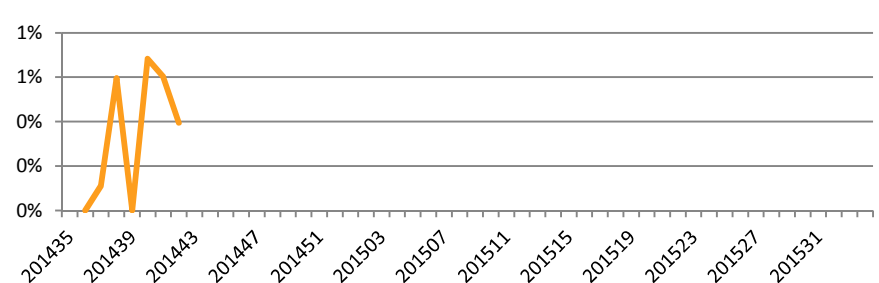
Female	22
Male	6

Outpatient Illness Surveillance--Influenza-like Illness (Regional baseline = 1.3)

Week	% ILI	0-4	5-24	25-49	50-64	65+
201440	0.68%	1	3	1	0	1
201441	0.60%	0	2	2	1	0
201442	0.39%	0	1	1	2	0

Cases by Age Group

<10	1
10-19	4
20-29	1
30-39	0
40-49	3
50-59	6
60+	13
TOTAL	28



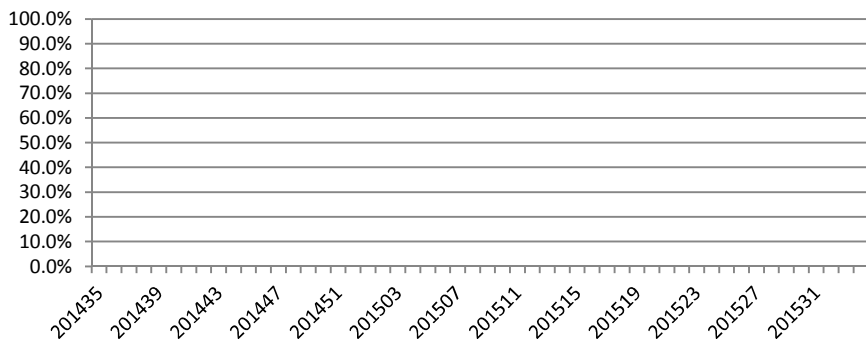
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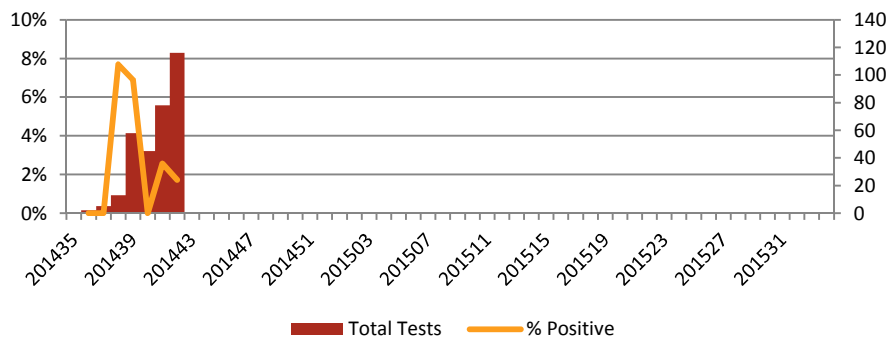
North Dakota School Absenteeism Surveillance



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School absenteeism reporting has not yet started.

Sentinel Laboratories*--Influenza

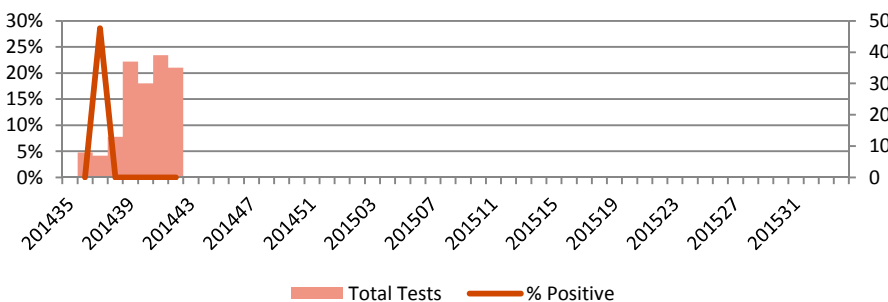


Sentinel Laboratory Surveillance

Percent positivity of influenza testing at sentinel laboratories decreased this week to 1.72%.

*These data do not represent all laboratory results for influenza.

Sentinel Laboratories--RSV



Percent positivity for RSV is reported at 0% again this week.

National Statistics:

National influenza activity and surveillance information is available from the CDC FluView website at: <http://www.cdc.gov/flu/weekly/>, and is updated every Friday.