

Public Health Update – 2009 H1N1 Influenza

March 3, 2010

The Southern Nevada Health District reports the following information for the week ending Saturday, February 27, 2010. The report includes cumulative case counts for the 2009-2010 influenza season beginning August 31, 2009.

The comprehensive weekly surveillance report is posted at: http://www.southernnevadahealthdistrict.org/download/epi/flu-surveillance-update-022710.pdf

Week Ending	Confirmed	Cumulative Cases*
February 27	9	3485
February 20	2	3476
February 13	3	3474
February 6	6	3471
January 30	13	3465
January 23	5	3452
January 16	16	3447
January 9	10	3431
January 2	20	3421
August - December 2009		3401

Clark County 2009 H1N1-related deaths since spring 2009:

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The health district is not reporting any additional deaths for the week ending February 27.

To date, the health district has received 167,100 doses of the 2009 H1N1 influenza vaccine, some of which has been distributed to private providers. Approximately 377,000 doses have been delivered to private providers in Clark County by the Nevada State Health Division. The Southern Nevada Health District has administered more than 121,500 doses since October.

^{*}Cumulative totals may not add up to the current week total plus the cumulative total from the previous week, as cases from previous weeks can be reclassified from influenza to novel H1N1 based on new lab results, and duplicates are identified and removed.

^{**}This number represents Clark County residents only and is cumulative since 2009 H1N1 influenza was identified in the spring. In early June, the health district reported the death of a hospitalized patient who was a resident of another state.