SNHD Pediatric Early Warning Sentinel Surveillance (PEWSS) Report: August 31, 2011

All Reporting Sites, Through the Week Ending August 27, 2011

The PEWSS reports are disseminated weekly by email, fax, and online at http://www.southernnevadahealthdistrict.org/stats-reports/influenza.php. For questions about PEWSS, please contact the SNHD Office of Epidemiology at 702.759.1300.

General Update

During the week ending August 27, 2011, no viruses were identified with a low volume of testing (Fig. 1)

Over the past five weeks (Tables 1 & 2):

Parainfluenza 3 has been sporadically identified in the community.

Influenza A, Influenza B, Adenovirus, Human Metapneumovirus, Parainfluenza 1, Parainfluenza 2 and RSV have not been identified in the community.

Table 1 - Testing Results, Current Week and Previous Four Weeks

		7/30		8/6		8/13		8/20		/27	Interpretation	
PCR Testing Results	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	For Past 5 Weeks	
All negative	5	100%	4	80%	6	100%	4	100%	4	100%		
Influenza A Positive	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	Not Detected	
Influenza B Positive	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	Not Detected	
Adenovirus Positive	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	Not Detected	
Human Metapneumovirus Positive	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	Not Detected	
Parainfluenza 1 Positive	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	Not Detected	
Parainfluenza 2 Positive	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	Not Detected	
Parainfluenza 3 Positive	0	0%	1	20%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	Sporadic	
RSV Positive	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	Not Detected	
Coinfections	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%		
Specimens Tested	5	-	5	-	6	-	4	-	4	-	Low Volume	

Table 2 - Influenza A Typing, Current Week and Previous Four Weeks

	7/30		8/6		8/13		8/20		8/27		5-Week Totals	
Influenza A Typing (% of influenza A)	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%
Influenza A 2009 H1N1	0	-	0	-	0		0	-	0		0	-
Influenza A H1	0	-	0	-	0	-	0	-	0	-	0	-
Influenza A H3	0	_	0	-	0	-	0	_	0	_	0	-

Figure 1 - Weekly Number of Specimens Tested



