SNHD Pediatric Early Warning Sentinel Surveillance (PEWSS) Report: November 09, 2011

All Reporting Sites, Through the Week Ending November 05, 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 November 05, 2011, the following viruses were identified through PEWSS with a moderate volume of testing (Fig. 1): Adenovirus and Parainfluenza 1.

Over the past five weeks (Tables 1 & 2), the following were identified in the community through PEWSS:

Parainfluenza 1 has been circulating at high levels.

Adenovirus has been circulating at low levels.

RSV has been sporadically identified.

Influenza A, Influenza B, Human Metapneumovirus, Parainfluenza 2 and Parainfluenza 3 have not been identified.

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

	10/8		10/15		10/22		10/29		11/5		Interpretation	
PCR Testing Results	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	For Past 5 Weeks	
All negative	9	60%	14	61%	5	42%	5	83%	10	71%		
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	4	27%	1	4%	2	17%	0	0%	1	7%	Low	
Human Metapneumovirus Positive	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	Not Detected	
Parainfluenza 1 Positive	3	20%	8	35%	4	33%	1	17%	3	21%	High	
Parainfluenza 2 Positive	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	Not Detected	
Parainfluenza 3 Positive	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	Not Detected	
RSV Positive	0	0%	0	0%	1	8%	0	0%	0	0%	Sporadic	
Coinfections	1	7%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%		
Specimens Tested	15	-	23	-	12	-	6	-	14	-	Moderate Volume	

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

	Week Ending											
	10/8		10/15		10/22		10/29		11/5		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



