SNHD Pediatric Early Warning Sentinel Surveillance (PEWSS) Report: August 22, 2012

All Reporting Sites, Through the Week Ending August 18, 2012

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 18, 2012, the following viruses were identified through PEWSS with a low volume of testing (Fig. 1): Parainfluenza 2 and Parainfluenza 3.

Over the past five weeks (Tables 1 & 2), the following were identified in the community through PEWSS: Parainfluenza 3 has been circulating at low levels.

Influenza B, Adenovirus and Parainfluenza 2 have been sporadically identified.

Influenza A, Human Metapneumovirus, Parainfluenza 1 and RSV have not been identified.

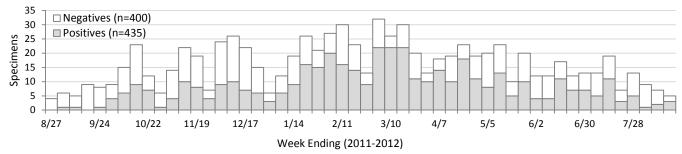
Table 1 - Testing Results, Current Week and Previous Four Weeks

PCR Testing Results			Past 5 Weeks									
	7,	7/21		7/28		8/4		8/11		/18	Circulation	
	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	Levels	
All negative	4	57%	8	62%	8	89%	5	71%	2	40%		
Influenza A Positive	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	Not Detected	
Influenza B Positive	1	14%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	Sporadic	
Adenovirus Positive	0	0%	1	8%	1	11%	0	0%	0	0%	Sporadic	
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%	1	8%	0	0%	0	0%	2	40%	Sporadic	
Parainfluenza 3 Positive	2	29%	4	31%	0	0%	2	29%	1	20%	Low	
RSV Positive	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	Not Detected	
Co-infections	0	0%	1	8%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%		
Specimens Tested	7	-	13	-	9	-	7	-	5	-	Low Volume	

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

	Week Ending											
	7/21		7/28		8/4		8/11		8/18		5-Week Totals	
Influenza A Typing (% of influenza A)	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%
Influenza A 2009 H1N1	0	-	0	-	0	1	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



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