

PATHOGEN and  
OUTBREAK STATUS REPORT  
May 22-28, 2022 (Week 21)

## Influenza Activity in Renfrew County and District

**Table 1: Indicators of Influenza Activity**

| Indicator                            | Week 21 in RCD   | Compared to Week 20 |
|--------------------------------------|--|---------------------|
| Laboratory-Confirmed Influenza Cases | 0 Cases  | Similar             |
| ILI Emergency Room (ER) Visits       | Visits for Influenza-Like Illness (ILI) accounted for 2.6% of ER visits in Week 21 compared to 1.9% in Week 20 (source ACES) | Higher              |

**Provincial flu activity was similar in Week 20 compared to Week 19**

Ontario Respiratory Pathogen Bulletin is available at: <https://www.publichealthontario.ca/en/data-and-analysis/infectious-disease/respiratory-pathogens-weekly>

**Table 2: 2021-2022 Cumulative Laboratory Confirmed Influenza Cases**

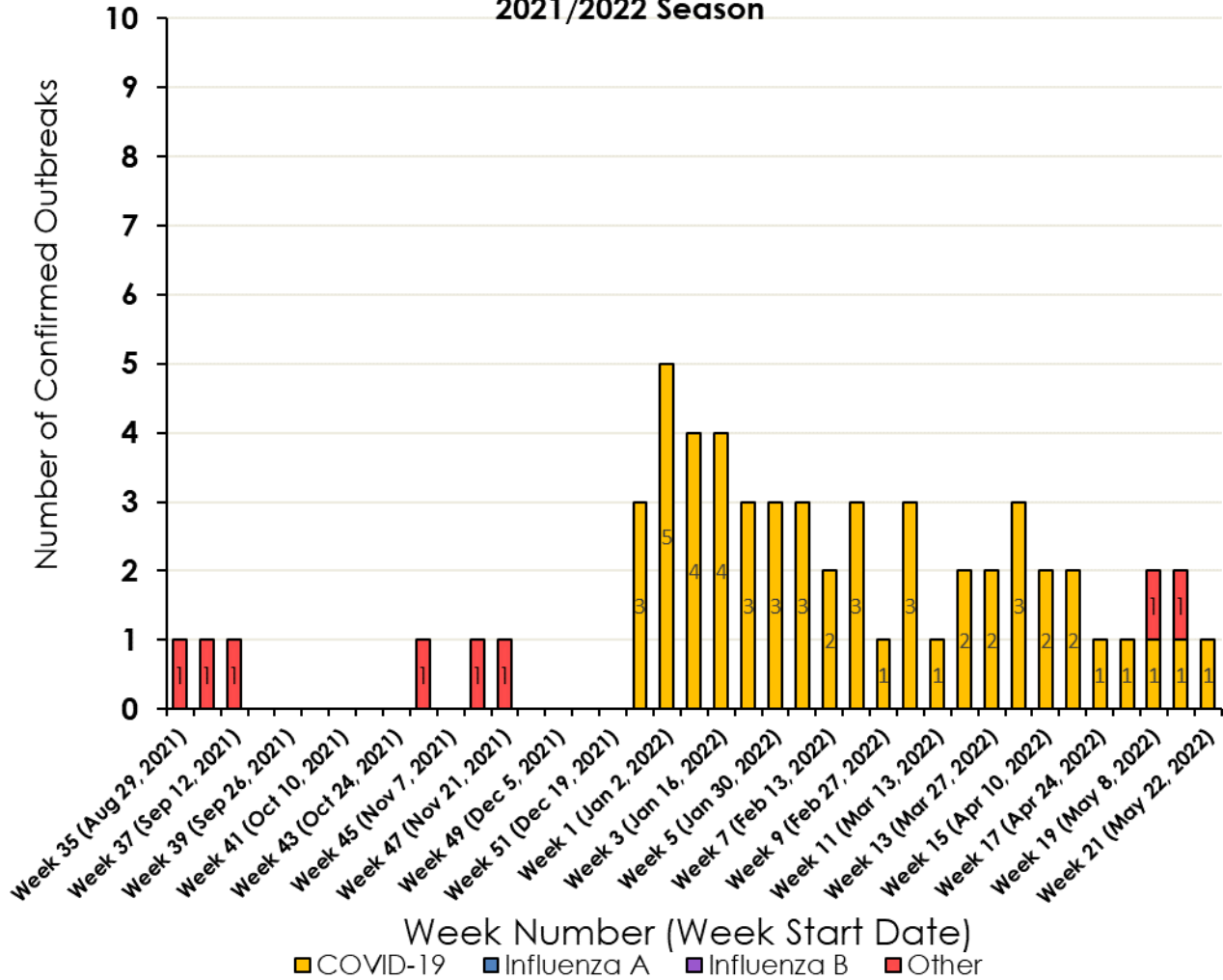
| Age Group (Years) | Cumulative (September 1, 2021 to August 31, 2022) |         |       |         |       |                   |          |
|-------------------|---|---------|-------|---------|-------|-------------------|----------|
|                   | Influenza A                                       |         |       |         | B     | Total (2021-2022) |          |
|                   | A(H1N1)pdm09                                      | A(H3N2) | A(H3) | A(UnS)* | Total | # by age          | % by age |
| 0 – 4             | 0   | 0       | 0     | 0       | 0     | 0                 | 0        |
| 5 – 19            | 0   | 0       | 0     | 0       | 0     | 0                 | 0        |
| 20 – 44           | 0   | 0       | 1     | 0       | 0     | 1                 | 25%      |
| 45 – 65           | 0   | 0       | 1     | 0       | 0     | 1                 | 25%      |
| 65+               | 0   | 0       | 2     | 0       | 0     | 2                 | 50%      |
| Total             | 0   | 0       | 4     | 0       | 0     | 4                 | 100%     |

\*Uns: Unsubtyped



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**Institutional Respiratory Outbreaks in RCD,  
by Week Outbreak Declared,  
2021/2022 Season**



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Please ensure you have a supply of nasopharyngeal swabs and enteric test kits with valid expiry dates, in the event of an outbreak in your facility. This can be ordered from the Renfrew County and District Health Unit 613-732-3629 Ext. 505.