



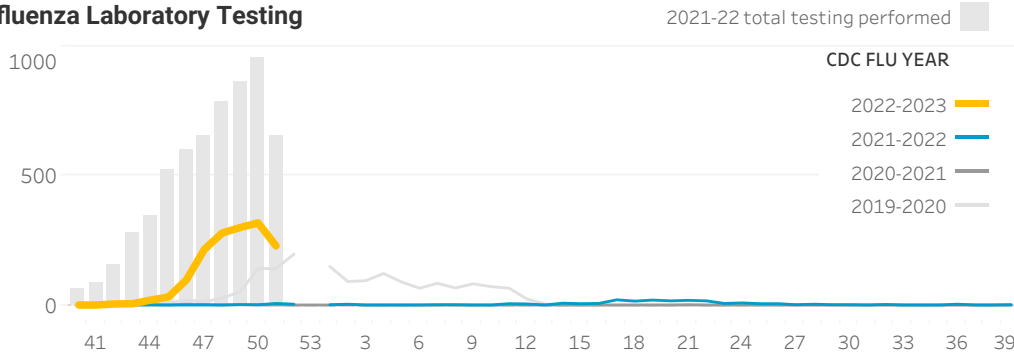
Kitsap Respiratory Illness Report

Week 51 (12/18/2022 - 12/24/2022)

Summary: Local influenza activity is currently **high**, with 229 positive influenza tests in the past week (1,497 cumulative (25.1% of total tested) since 10/2/2022). RSV activity is currently **elevated**, with 25 positive RSV tests in the past week (412 since the start of the season). In the past week 6.8% of emergency department (ED) visits were related to influenza-like illness (ILI). In the 2022-2023 flu season, there has been 1 influenza-related death and 3 outbreaks in long-term care facilities.

NOTE: Weeks 40 and 41 of the 2022-23 flu season are suppressed for two of the figures due to a temporary disruption in data reporting.

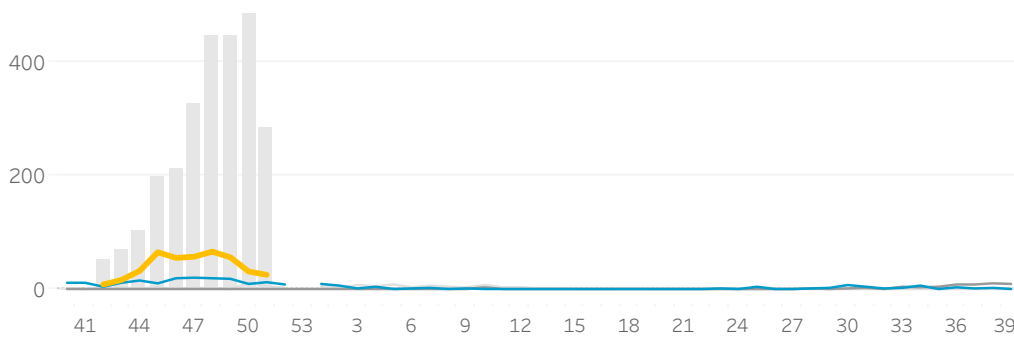
Influenza Laboratory Testing



Current Week (week 51)

# Tested	655
# Pos. influenza	229
# flu A	228
# flu B	1
# unknown	
% Pos. influenza	35.0%
# Labs Reporting	4

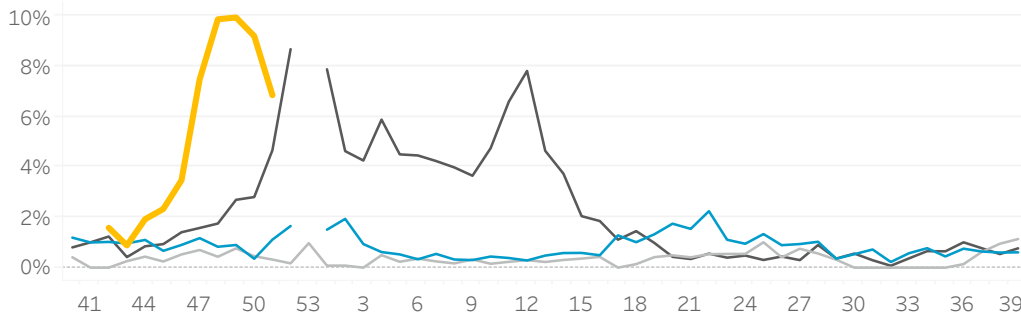
Respiratory Syncytial Virus (RSV) Laboratory Testing



Current Week (week 51)

# Tested	284
# Pos. RSV	25
% Pos. RSV	8.8%
# Labs Reporting	3

Syndromic Surveillance: Emergency Room Visits for Influenza-like Illness (ILI)



Most Recent Week (week 51)

# Total Visits	1,213
% ILI	6.8%
# EDs	1

*NOTE: All data are preliminary and subject to change as more data become available.
§ In accordance with CDC reporting conventions, flu seasons are shown as weeks 40-39.*

More information: For questions or comments please contact respiratory@kitsappublichealth.org

- WA State Weekly Influenza Report: <http://www.doh.wa.gov/portals/1/documents/5100/420-100-fluupdate.pdf>
- CDC Weekly Influenza Surveillance Report: <https://www.cdc.gov/flu/weekly/>
- University of Washington Viral Respiratory Data: <http://depts.washington.edu/uwviro/respiratory-viral-epidemiology-data/>

For information on COVID-19 visit: <https://www.cdc.gov/coronavirus/>