# Maine Weekly Influenza Surveillance Report

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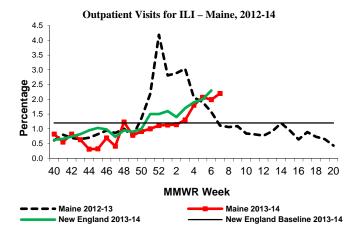
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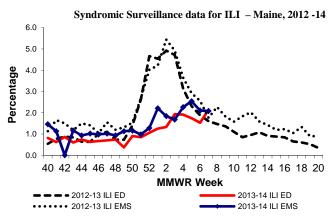
#### **New This Week**

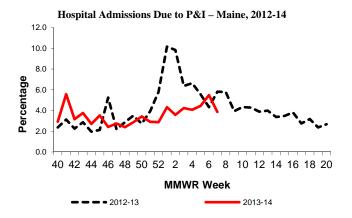
- Federal Flu Code: Widespread
- 5 new outbreaks reported; 4 in long term care facilities and 1 in an acute care facility

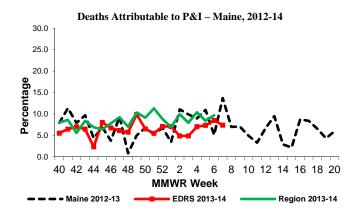
#### Surveillance Information – Maine, 2013-2014 Influenza Season

- Number of ILINet Providers reporting: 22
  - o % of visits for Influenza-Like Illness (ILI): 2.20
- Syndromic Surveillance
  - o % of Emergency Room visits for ILI: 2.14
  - o % of Emergency Medical Services (EMS) runs for ILI: 2.08
- Number of Hospitals reporting: 3
  - o % of admissions due to Pneumonia &Influenza (P&I): 3.9
- Electronic Death Reporting System
  - o % of deaths due to P&I: 7.4









# Lab Data - Maine, 2013-2014 Influenza Season

• # of samples tested at HETL: 58

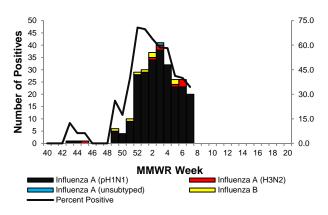
# positive: 20 % positive: 34.5

# of samples tested at Maine Reference Labs: 266

# positive: 71 % positive: 26.7

# of samples positive by rapid antigen test: 49

#### Positive PCR Samples for Influenza, HETL - Maine, 2013-14

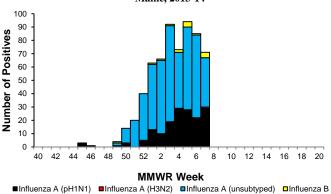


Geographic Distribution of Lab Tests, Maine 2013-14

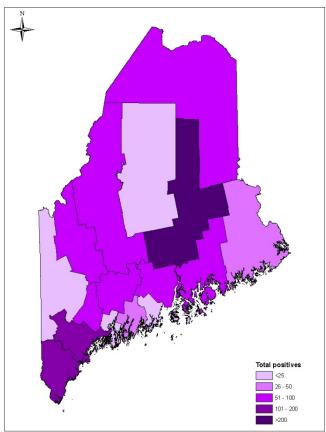
2013-14								
County	New this week	Total positives						
Androscoggin	11	53						
Aroostook	3	98						
Cumberland	16	189						
Franklin	7	54						
Hancock	10	90						
Kennebec	8	64						
Knox	5	23						
Lincoln	6	42						
Oxford	2	23						
Penobscot	27	355						
Piscataquis	1	9						
Sagadahoc	1	18						
Somerset	2	52						
Waldo	6	55						
Washington	6	43						
York	12	146						
Total	123	1314						

<sup>\*</sup>Only reported PCR, culture, and rapid antigen tests are included in the chart and map. For more information, see the methods page on <a href="http://www.maine.gov/dhhs/mecdc/infectious-disease/epi/influenza/influenza-surveillance-weekly-updates.shtml">http://www.maine.gov/dhhs/mecdc/infectious-disease/epi/influenza/influenza-surveillance-weekly-updates.shtml</a>

# Positive PCR Samples for Influenza, Maine and National Reference Labs – Maine, 2013-14



# Positive Influenza Tests, Maine 2013-14



#### Antiviral Resistance - Maine, 2013-14 Influenza Season

- # of influenza A (pH1N1) samples tested for Tamiflu resistance at HETL: 42
  - o # with resistance: 0
- # of influenza A (H3) samples tested for Tamiflu resistance at HETL: 5
  - o # with resistance: 0

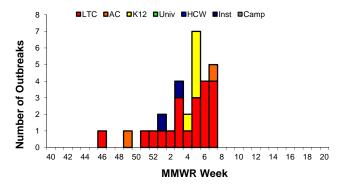
## **Antigenic Characterization (Vaccine Match)**

- Federal CDC has antigenically characterized 1,046 influenza viruses since October 1, 2013
  - o 99.9% of influenza A/H1 samples match the vaccine strain
  - o 100% of influenza A (H3N2) samples match the vaccine strain
  - o 53% of influenza B samples match the trivalent vaccine strain
  - o 100% of influenza B samples match the quadrivalent vaccine strain

# Influenza-Like Illness Outbreaks - Maine, 2013-14 Influenza Season

- # new outbreaks: 5
- Total outbreaks 2013-14 season: 29

#### Influenza-Like Illness Outbreaks by Facility Type - Maine, 2013-14



#### **Outbreak Facility Type Key:**

LTC - Long Term Care Facility

AC - Acute Care Facility (nosocomial)

K12 - School (K-12) or daycare

Univ - School (residential) or University

HCW - Health care workers

Inst - Other institutions (workplaces, correctional facilities etc)

Camp - Camp

### Influenza-Like Illness Outbreak by Facility Type and County – Maine, 2013-14

County	LTC	AC	K12	Univ	HCW	Inst	Camp	Total
Androscoggin	1	2				1		4
Aroostook						1		1
Cumberland	6							6
Franklin								0
Hancock	1							1
Kennebec	2							2
Knox								0
Lincoln	1							1
Oxford	2							2
Penobscot	5							5
Piscataquis	1							1
Sagadahoc			1					1
Somerset	1							1
Waldo			3					3
Washington			1					1
York								0
Total	20	2	5	0	0	2	0	29

#### **Pediatric Influenza Deaths**

• No pediatric influenza-associated deaths reported during the 2013-14 influenza season

Influenza-Like Illness (ILI) Activity Level Indicator Determined by Data Reported to ILINet 2013-14 Influenza Season Week 6 ending Feb 08, 2014

