Maine Weekly Influenza Surveillance Report

March 18, 2014



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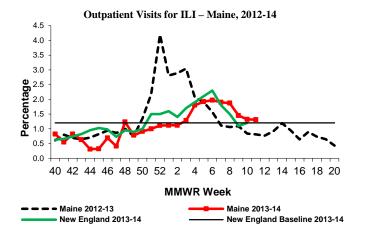
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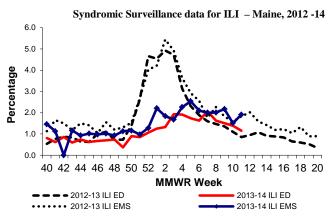
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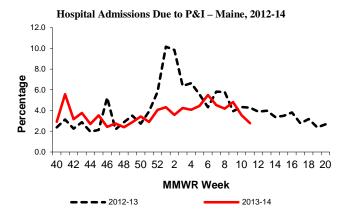
- Federal Flu Code: Regional
- 3 new outbreaks reported in long term care facilities

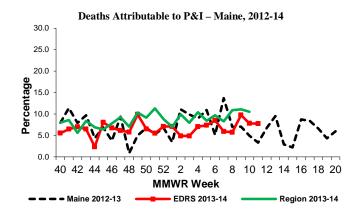
Surveillance Information – Maine, 2013-2014 Influenza Season

- Number of ILINet Providers reporting: 21
 - o % of visits for Influenza-Like Illness (ILI): 1.31
- Syndromic Surveillance
 - o % of Emergency Room visits for ILI: 1.15
 - o % of Emergency Medical Services (EMS) runs for ILI: 1.91
- Number of Hospitals reporting: 1
 - o % of admissions due to Pneumonia &Influenza (P&I): 2.8
- Electronic Death Reporting System
 - % of deaths due to P&I: 7.8









Lab Data – Maine, 2013-2014 Influenza Season

• # of samples tested at HETL: 30

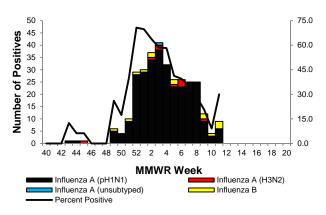
positive: 9 % positive: 30.0

of samples tested at Maine Reference Labs: 135

positive: 25 % positive: 18.5

of samples positive by rapid antigen test: 18

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

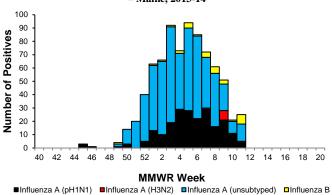


Geographic Distribution of Lab Tests, Maine 2013-14

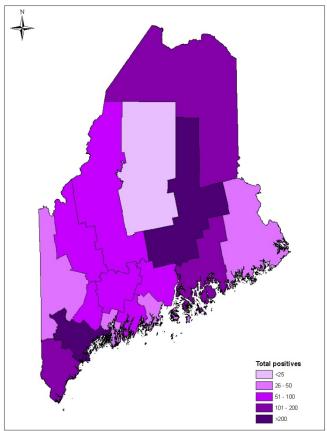
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County	New this week	Total positives							
Androscoggin	3	77							
Aroostook	1	101							
Cumberland	13	264							
Franklin	5	77							
Hancock	6	114							
Kennebec	3	87							
Knox	1	31							
Lincoln	0	70							
Oxford	2	27							
Penobscot	11	426							
Piscataquis	2	14							
Sagadahoc	0	26							
Somerset	0	61							
Waldo	1	64							
Washington	0	50							
York	2	163							
Total	50	1652							

^{*}Only reported PCR, culture, and rapid antigen tests are included in the chart and map. For more information, see the methods page on http://www.maine.gov/dhhs/mecdc/infectious-disease/epi/influenza/influenza-surveillance-weekly-updates.shtml

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: 52
 - o # with resistance: 0
- # of influenza A (H3) samples tested for Tamiflu resistance at HETL: 6
 - o # with resistance: 0

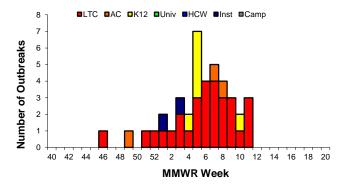
Antigenic Characterization (Vaccine Match)

- Federal CDC has antigenically characterized 1,668 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 64% 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: 3
- Total outbreaks 2013-14 season: 39

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	2	2				1		5
Aroostook						1		1
Cumberland	9							9
Franklin								0
Hancock	1							1
Kennebec	1							1
Knox								0
Lincoln	2							2
Oxford	1							1
Penobscot	7	1						8
Piscataquis	2							2
Sagadahoc			1					1
Somerset	3							3
Waldo			3					3
Washington			1					1
York			1					1
Total	28	3	6	0	0	2	0	39

Pediatric Influenza-Associated Deaths

• 1 pediatric influenza-associated death reported in a child from Western Maine.

Influenza-Like Illness (ILI) Activity Level Indicator Determined by Data Reported to ILINet 2013-14 Influenza Season Week 10 ending Mar 08, 2014

