Maine Weekly Influenza Surveillance Report

October 29, 2013



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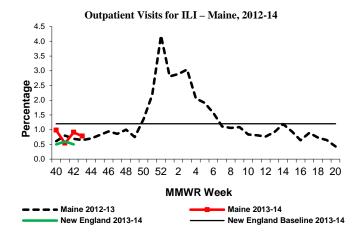
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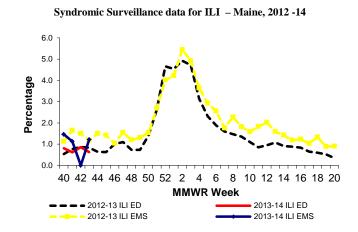
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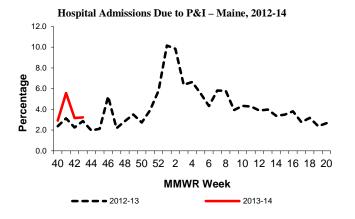
Federal Flu Code: Sporadic

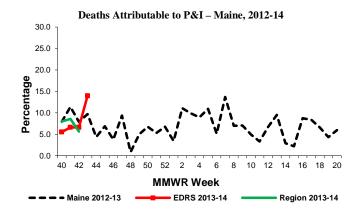
Surveillance Information - Maine, 2013-2014 Influenza Season

- Number of ILINet Providers reporting: 22
 - o % of visits for Influenza-Like Illness (ILI): 0.78
- Syndromic Surveillance
 - % of Emergency Room visits for ILI: 0.63
 - % of Emergency Medical Services (EMS) runs for ILI: 1.21
- Number of Hospitals reporting: 3
 - o % of admissions due to Pneumonia &Influenza (P&I): 3.2
- Electronic Death Reporting System
 - % of deaths due to P&I: 14.0





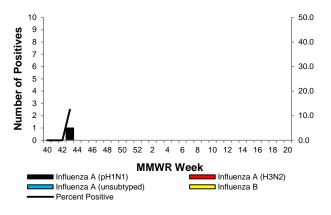




Lab Data - Maine, 2013-2014 Influenza Season

- # of samples tested at HETL: 8
 - o # positive: 1 o % positive: 12.5
- # of samples tested at Maine Reference Labs: 6
 - # positive: 0 % positive: 0
- # of samples positive at National Reference Labs: 0
- # of samples positive by rapid antigen test: 2

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

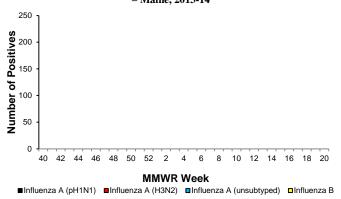


Geographic Distribution of Lab Tests, Maine 2013-14

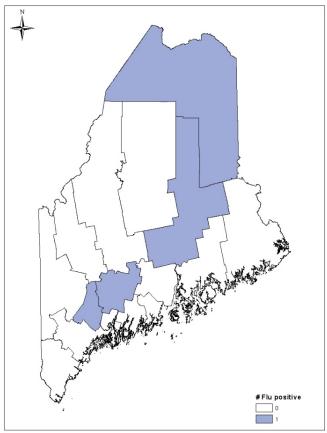
County	# Positives*
Androscoggin	1
Aroostook	1
Cumberland	0
Franklin	0
Hancock	0
Kennebec	1
Knox	0
Lincoln	0
Oxford	0
Penobscot	1
Piscataquis	0
Sagadahoc	0
Somerset	0
Waldo	0
Washington	0
York	0

^{*}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/infectiousdisease/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: 0
 - o # with resistance: 0
- # of influenza A (H3) samples tested for Tamiflu resistance at HETL: 0
 - o # with resistance: 0

Antigenic Characterization (Vaccine Match)

- Federal CDC has antigenically characterized three influenza viruses since October 1, 2013
 - o 100% of influenza A/H1 samples matched the vaccine strain

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

• No outbreaks reported

Pediatric Influenza Deaths

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

National Influenza Surveillance Data

Source: http://www.cdc.gov/flu/weekly/

Influenza-Like Illness (ILI) Activity Level Indicator Determined by Data Reported to ILINet 2013-14 Influenza Season Week 42 ending Oct 19, 2013

