

# Laboratory Surveillance Report

# Influenza (Week ending Oct. 10, 2015)

### National Influenza Update (CDC)

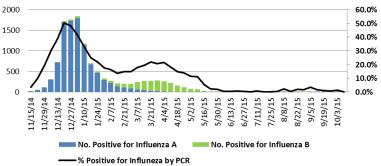
- Nationally, CDC reported 1.2% of the 8,703 surveillance specimens tested positive for influenza. Of the influenza A positives, 92% were characterized as A(H3) subtype.
- Overall, influenza activity is at baseline levels with only sporadic cases being reported across the US.

#### Wisconsin Influenza Update

- <1.0% of the 612 specimens tested positive for influenza by PCR at Wisconsin clinical labs.</li>
- No influenza A viruses were detected by PCR.
- Overall, influenza activity remains sporad-

ic in Wisconsin.

% Positive for Influenza by PCR (Wisconsin), Week Ending Oct. 10, 2015



Please send **ALL INFLUENZA** positive specimens to WSLH for further characterization.

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## **Other Surveillance Data (Wisconsin)**

Week Ending October 10, 2015			
Resp. Pathogen PCR	# Tested	% Positive	
Rhinovirus/			
enterovirus	317	24.9	
Parainfluenza	343	3.8	
Adenovirus	227	1.3	
Coronavirus	173	1.2	
RSV	320	<1	
Human metapneu- movirus	219	0	
B. pertussis	180	2.2	

#### <u>Mumps</u>

 As of Oct. 16, the WI Division of Public Health reported 7 cases of lab confirmed mumps cases associated with an outbreak at the UW-Whitewater campus.

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GI Pathogen PCR	# Tested	% Positive	
Norovirus	54	5.6	
Campylobacter	112	5.4	
Giardia	42	2.4	
Cryptosporidium	42	2.4	
E. coli 0157	42	0	
Shigella	71	0	
Salmonella	108	0	
Rotavirus	46	0	
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### *Surveillance Data Synopsis*

### • Rhinovirus/ enterovirus activity is decreasing.

- Rhinovirus/ enterovirus were the predominate respiratory viruses detected in Wisconsin.
- Influenza activity in Wisconsin is sporadic.