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VIROLOGY WEEKLY REPORT

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A summary of laboratory-diagnosed viral infections of interest for the week of 05/04/2010 - 11/04/2010

PRIMARY DIAGNOSTIC REPORTS ON VIRAL INFECTIONS REPORTED THIS WEEK

	Virus Laboratory				
	Auckland	Waikato	Wellington	Christchurch	TOTAL
Influenza A				1	1
Mycoplasma Pneumoniae		2			2
Parainfluenza 1	2				2
Respiratory Syncytial Virus (RSV)		2			2
Rhinovirus	4	1			5
Rotavirus			2	2	4
Varicella Zoster Virus (VZV)	2			11	13
Adenovirus	5	3			8
Enterovirus	1	2			3

TYPING AND IDENTIFICATIONS FOR VIRUSES WITH PUBLIC HEALTH IMPORTANCE (ESR and others)

Virus	Type/subtype	ID Method	Health district	Specimen Type/site	Date Specimen taken	Age/sex	Clinical data
Enterovirus	Coxsackievirus Group B type 4	IF	CA	NPA	22.3.2010	1 W/F	

CA: Central Auckland

IF Immunofluorescence test

NPA Nasopharyngeal Aspirate

NOTE: During April to September 2010, sentinel as well as hospital surveillance for influenza is conducted. For detailed information on consultation rates and viral isolations, please refer to "Influenza Weekly Update" report which can be viewed at

http://www.surv.esr.cri.nz/virology/influenza_weekly_update.php.

The Virology Weekly reporting only records numbers of influenza viral isolations from sentinel and hospital surveillance. This report is also available at http://www.surv.esr.cri.nz/virology/virology_weekly_report.php.

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