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## VIROLOGY WEEKLY REPORT

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A summary of laboratory-diagnosed viral infections of interest for the week of 24/09/2012 - 30/09/2012

### PRIMARY DIAGNOSTIC REPORTS ON VIRAL INFECTIONS REPORTED THIS WEEK

	Regions reporting Virus Identification				TOTAL
	Auckland	Waikato	Wellington	Christchurch	
Influenza A	1		4		5
Influenza A H1N1 swl	1			1	2
Influenza A H3N2	13		1		14
Influenza B	4	3	9		16
Metapneumovirus	15	7		9	31
Mycoplasma Pneumoniae				17	17
Parainfluenza 1	1				1
Parainfluenza 3	16	2		13	31
Parainfluenza 4				1	1
Parechovirus				2	2
Picornavirus	49				49
Respiratory Syncytial Virus (RSV)	10	11	2	3	26
Rhinovirus				7	7
Rotavirus	3	2	3	2	10
Varicella Zoster Virus (VZV)	4	3	2	6	15
Adenovirus	11				11
Enterovirus	1		1	1	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
Adenovirus	Type 4	Neut	CA	Right Eye Swab	04.9.2012	58Y/M	Conjunctivitis

CA: Central Auckland

Neut Neutralisation test

NOTE: During April to September 2012, 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](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](http://www.surv.esr.cri.nz/virology/virology_weekly_report.php).

Thank you to all who have participated in this year's Influenza Surveillance network. Please note that the Influenza Surveillance is now finished (as at 30 September). Could all participating practices please send their empty ESR Biobottles, unused courier tickets, and out of date VTM back to ESR by the end of October.

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