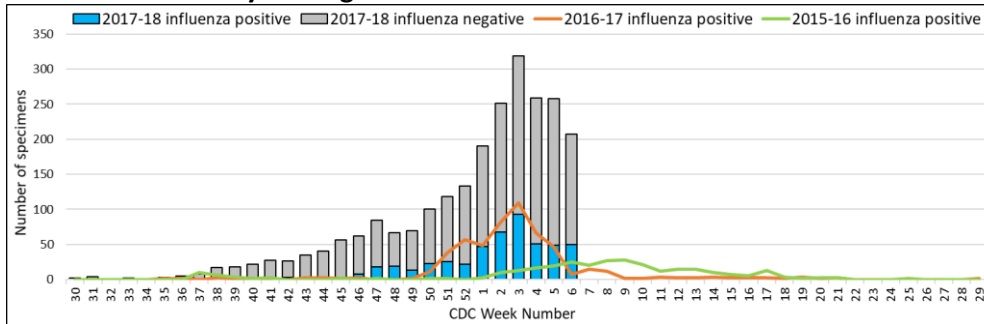


Kitsap Respiratory Illness Report

Week 6 (February 5 – 11, 2018)

Summary: Kitsap County saw a decline in influenza activity, however levels remain above baseline levels. (14 influenza A lab tests & 10 influenza B), RSV continues to circulate at high levels, with 7 positive lab reports this week. There have been 8 outbreaks in long-term care facilities and 9 influenza-related deaths this season. §

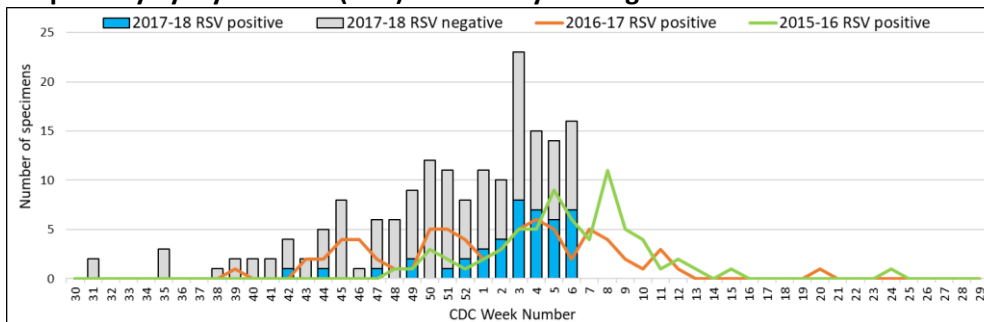
Influenza Laboratory Testing



Current Week (week 6)

# Tested	207
# Pos. influenza	24
# flu A	14
# flu B	10
# unknown	0
% Pos. influenza	12%
# Labs reporting	4 of 4

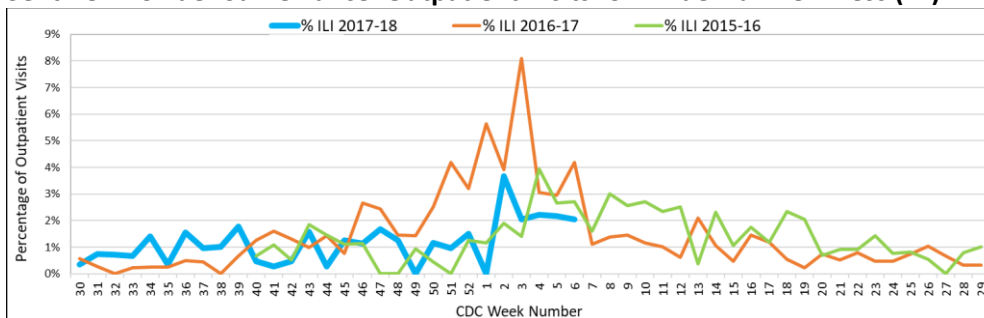
Respiratory Syncytial Virus (RSV) Laboratory Testing



Current Week (week 6)

# Tested	16
# Pos. RSV	7
% Pos. RSV	44%
# Labs reporting	4 of 4

Sentinel Provider Surveillance: Outpatient Visits for Influenza-like Illness (ILI)*

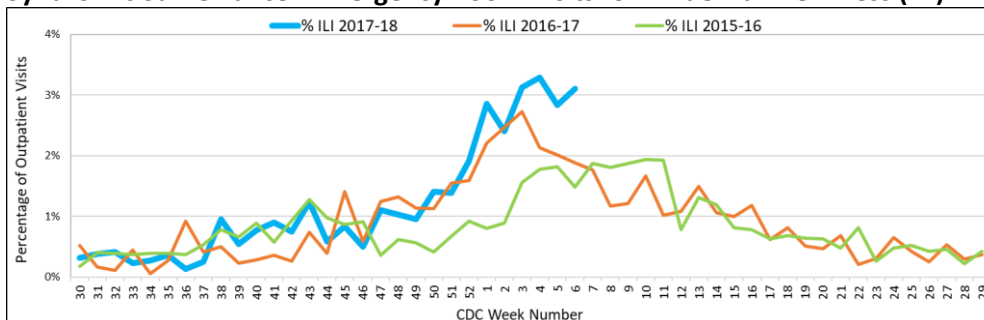


Current Week (week 6)

# Total visits	389
# ILI visits	8
% ILI	2.1%
# Providers	10 of 13

*ILI = Fever >100°F *and* (cough and/or sore throat); in absence of another diagnosis; influenza testing not required

Syndromic Surveillance: Emergency Room Visits for Influenza-like Illness (ILI)^



Current Week (week 6)

# Total Visits	1739
# ILI visits	54
% ILI	3.1%
# ERs	2 of 2

^ILI = chief complaints that include: influenza *OR* [fever *and* (cough or sore throat)].

NOTE: All data are preliminary and subject to change as more data become available. §For graphing purposes flu seasons are shown as weeks 30-29.

More information: For questions or comments please contact respiratory@kitsappublichealth.org

- WA State Weekly Influenza Report: www.doh.wa.gov/portals/1/documents/5100/420-100-fluupdate.pdf
- CDC Weekly Influenza Surveillance Report: www.cdc.gov/flu/weekly/
- University of Washington Viral Respiratory Data: <http://depts.washington.edu/rspvirus/respiratory.htm>

