

## Flutracking Interim Weekly Report

### Week #36 - ending 12 September 2010

**Summary: Influenza-like activity across Australia appears to be decreasing. This will need to be confirmed in forthcoming weeks.**

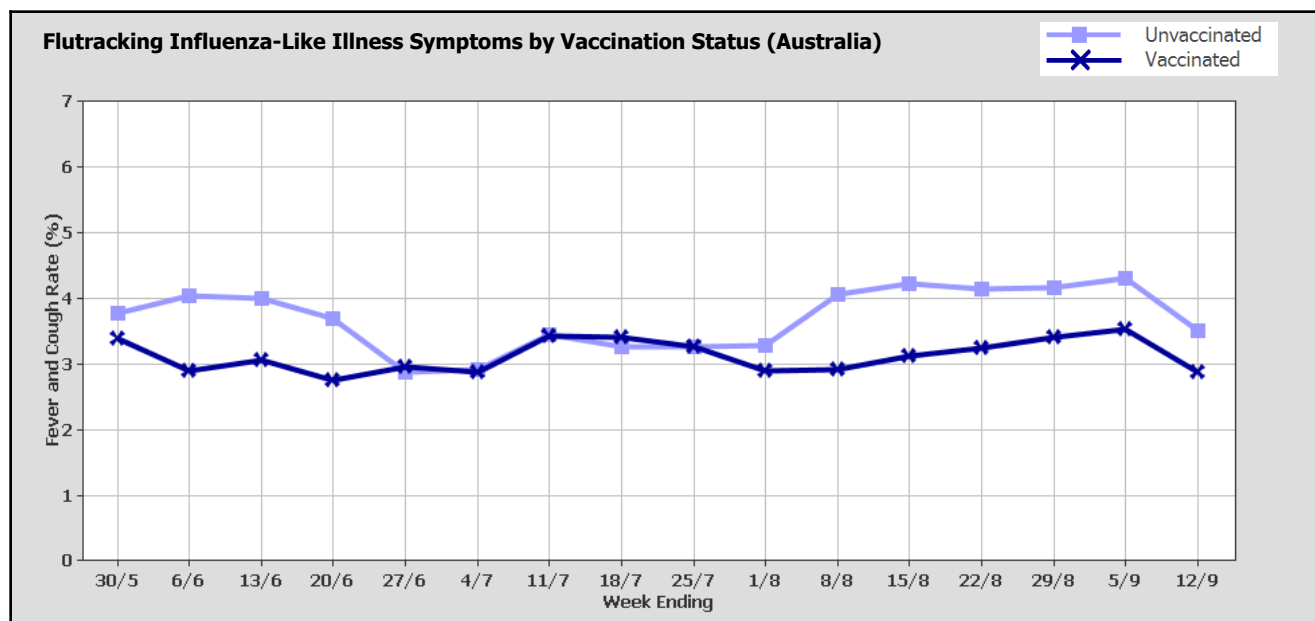
This survey was sent on Monday 13 September 3:20 AM and by Thursday 16 September 9:00 AM we had received 9378 responses (8900 last week) from 6726 people responding for themselves and 2652 household members across Australia.

#### Respondent Numbers by Jurisdiction

State/Territory	Respondents	Percentage
NSW	2764	29.5%
VIC	1353	14.4%
QLD	937	10.0%
SA	2397	25.6%
WA	387	4.1%
TAS	1068	11.4%
NT	267	2.8%
ACT	205	2.2%
<b>Totals</b>	<b>9378</b>	<b>100.0%</b>

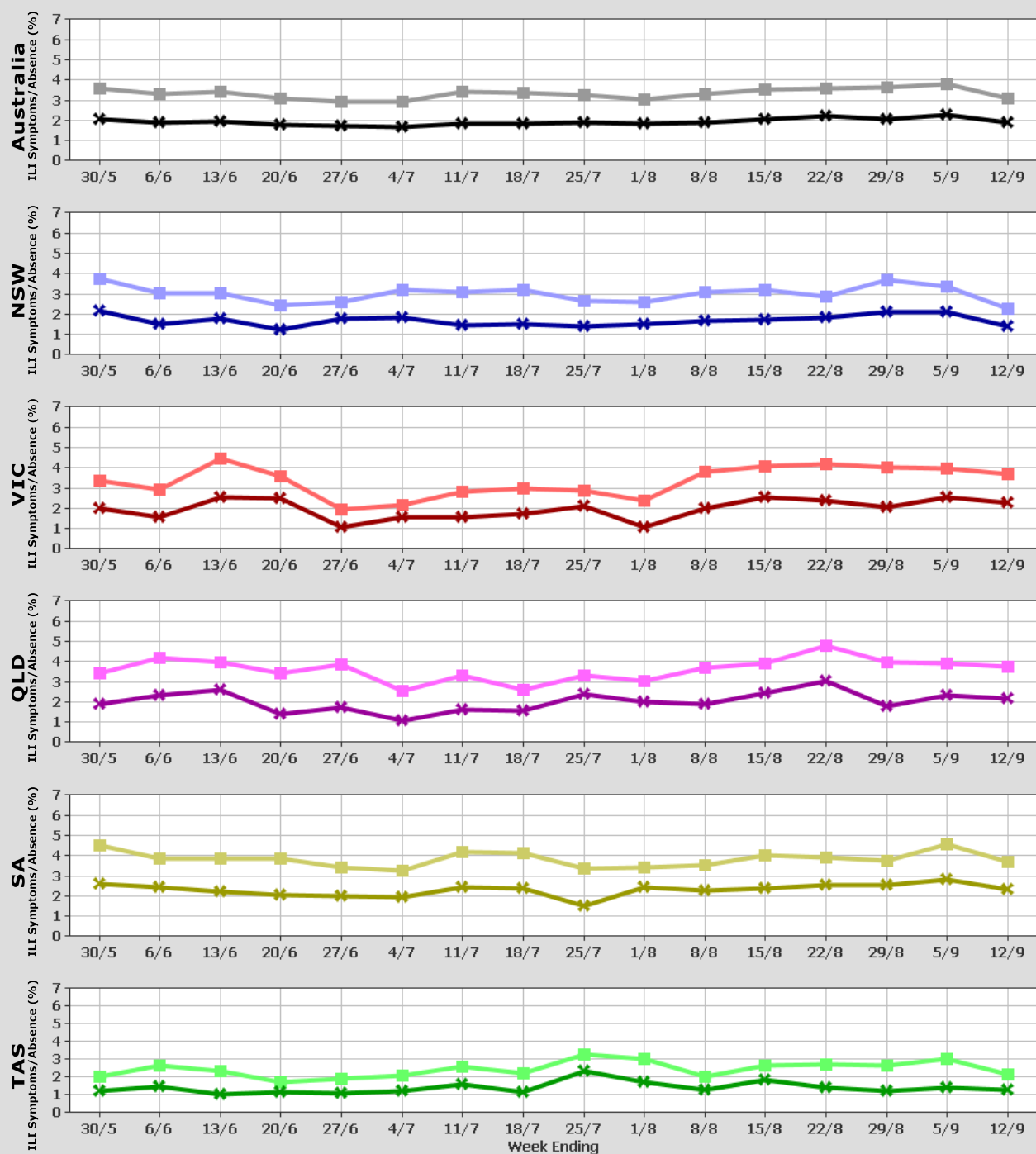
We are now comparing symptom rates for participants who were not vaccinated for influenza and participants who were vaccinated with either the seasonal trivalent influenza vaccine or the monovalent H1N1 pandemic vaccine. Across Australia, fever and cough was reported by 2.9% of vaccinated participants and 3.5% of unvaccinated participants. Fever, cough and absence from normal duties was reported by 1.6% of vaccinated participants and 2.3% of unvaccinated participants.

For participants this week, 6091/9378 (64.9%) have received the monovalent and/or the 2010 seasonal vaccine so far. Of the 2135 participants who identified as working face-to-face with patients, 1686 (79.0%) have received one or both of these vaccines.



# Flutracking Influenza-Like Illness Symptoms and Absence from Normal Duties

■ Fever and Cough  
✕ Fever, Cough and Absence



To see latest maps of influenza-like illness activity:

[www.flutracking.net/maps.php](http://www.flutracking.net/maps.php)

To join the survey or find out more information:

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