

Flutracking Weekly Interim Report

Week #17 - ending 28 August 2011

Summary: Influenza-like-illness activity is low.

This survey was sent on Monday 29 August 12:47 AM and by Thursday 1 September 9:00 AM we had received 10311 responses (10553 last week) from 7106 people responding for themselves and 3205 household members across Australia.

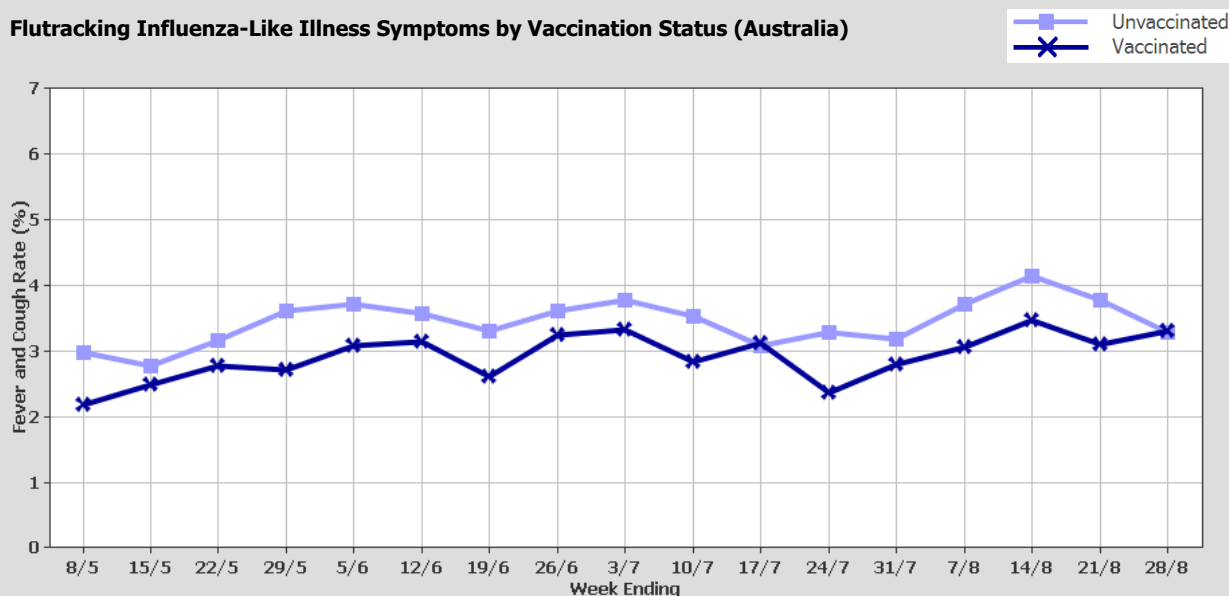
Respondent Numbers by Jurisdiction

State/Territory	Respondents	Percentage
NSW	3233	31.4%
VIC	1317	12.8%
QLD	1072	10.4%
SA	2154	20.9%
WA	433	4.2%
TAS	1448	14.0%
NT	406	3.9%
ACT	248	2.4%
Totals	10311	100.0%

Across Australia, fever and cough was reported by 3.3% of vaccinated participants and 3.3% of unvaccinated participants. Fever, cough and absence from normal duties was reported by 1.9% of vaccinated participants and 1.8% of unvaccinated participants.

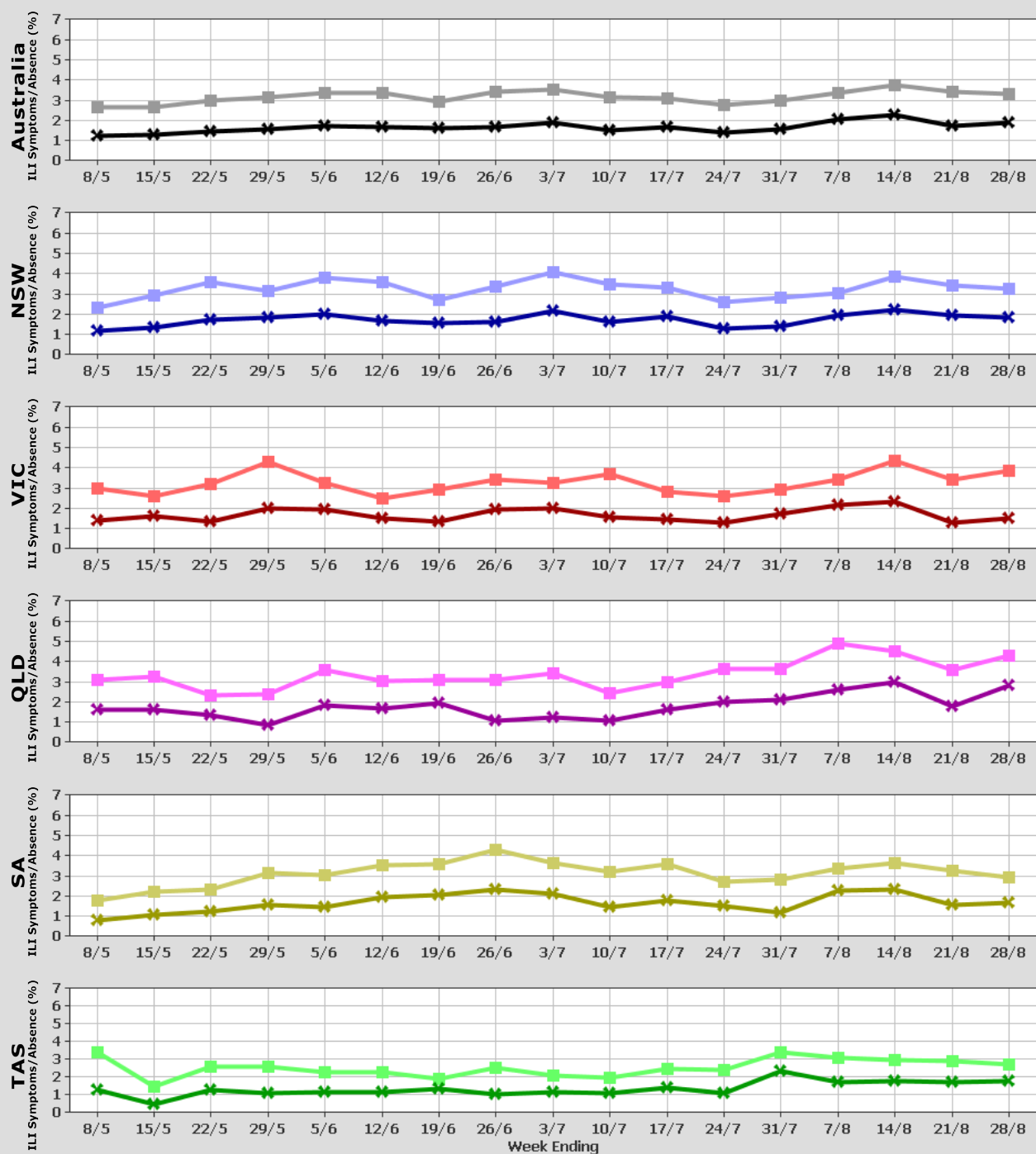
For participants this week, 5775/10311 (56.0%) have received the seasonal vaccine so far. Of the 2394 participants who identified as working face-to-face with patients, 1747 (73.0%) have received the vaccine.

Flutracking Influenza-Like Illness Symptoms by Vaccination Status (Australia)



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

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