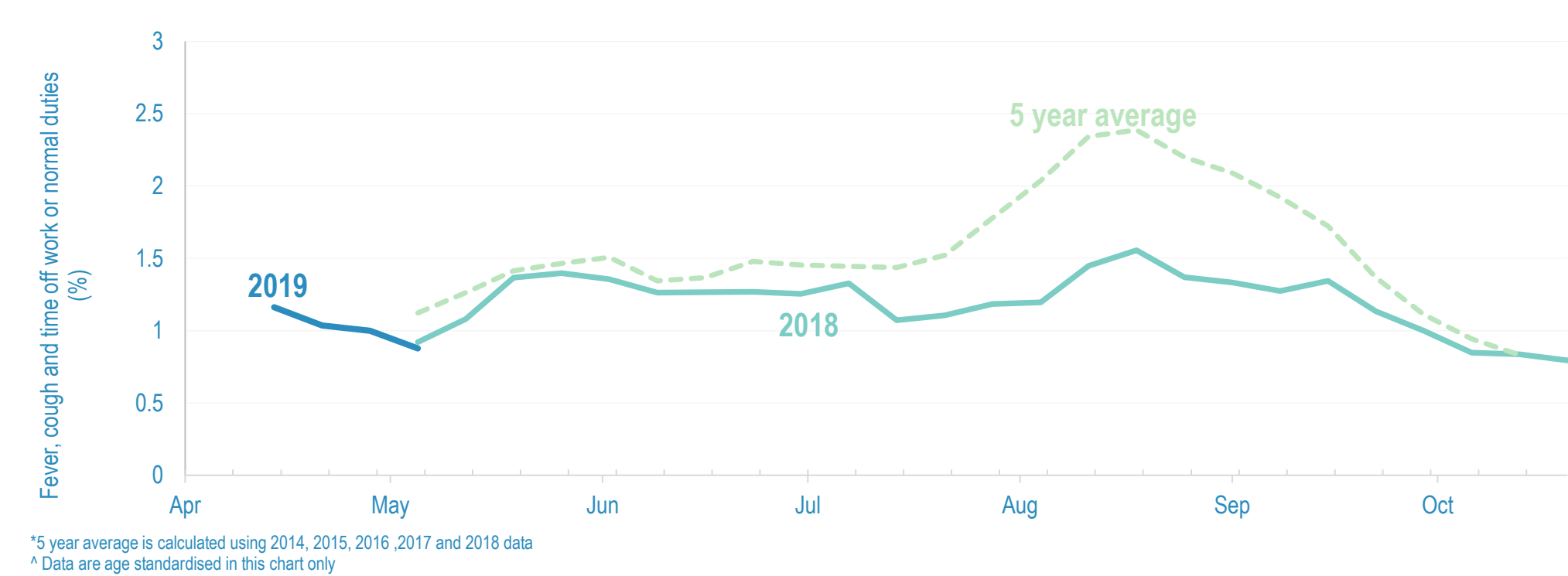


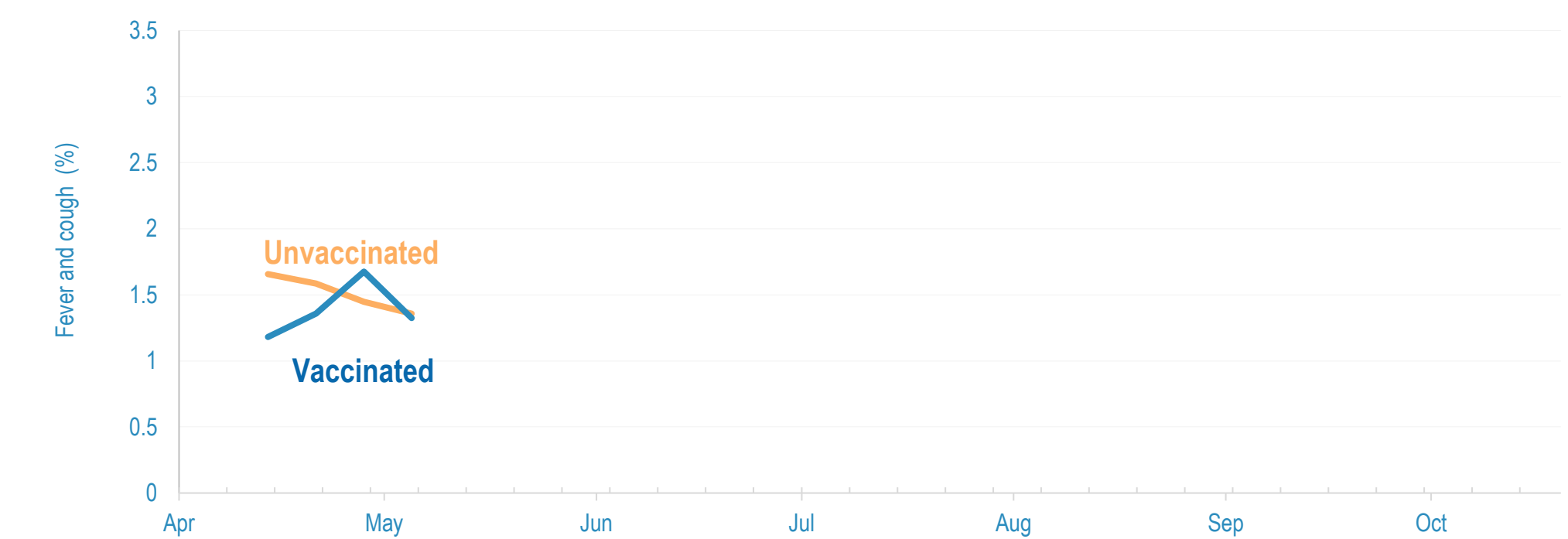


Low levels of influenza-like illness activity
38,992 participants this week

Flu Symptom Activity:
Low levels of fever, cough & time off work or normal duties: 0.9% this week



Flu Symptom Activity by vaccination status:
Similar fever and cough levels in both vaccinated and unvaccinated group this week

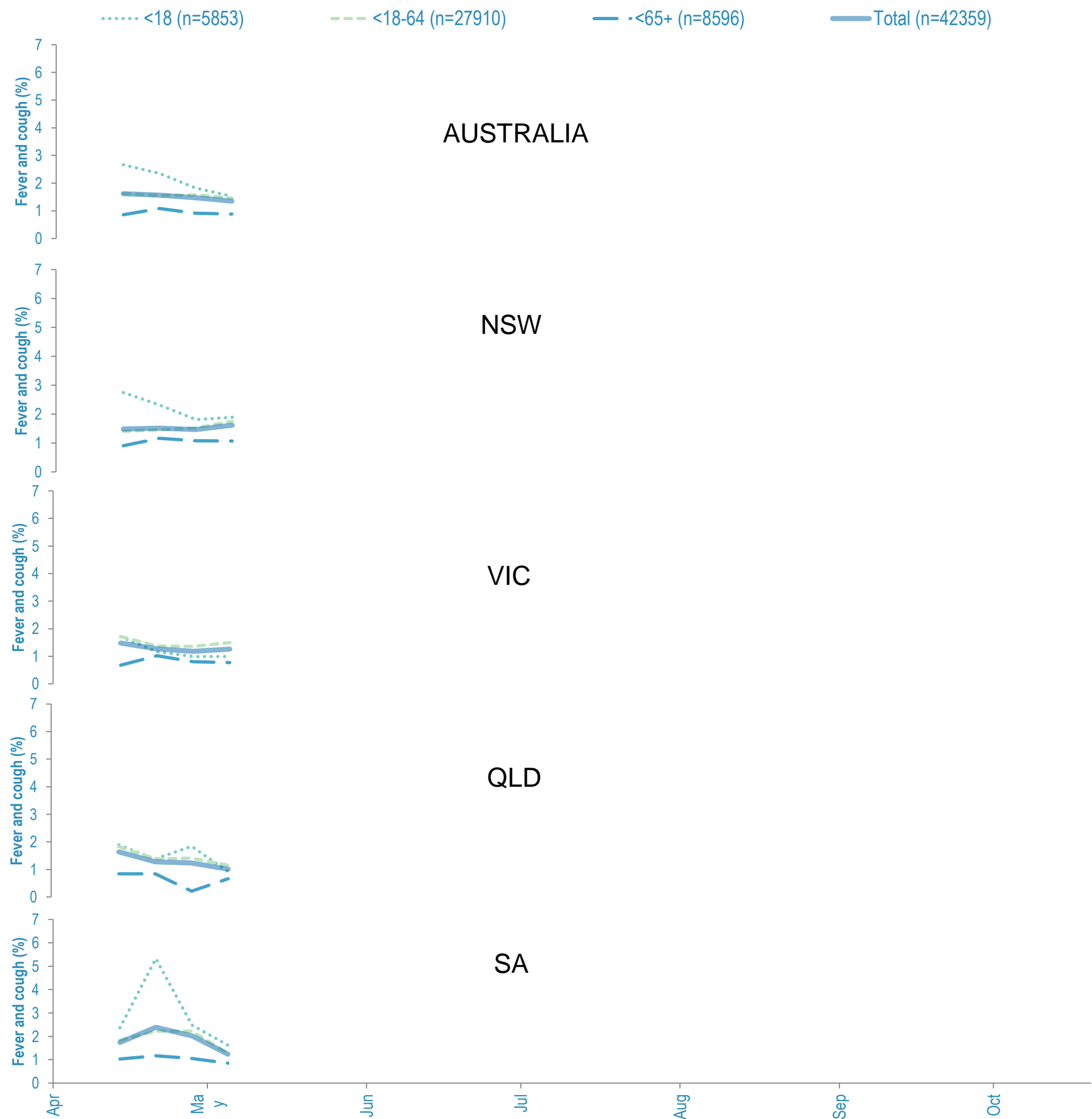


Flu symptom Severity:
28.8% of participants with fever and cough sought medical advice this week

Influenza-like illness Severity	Week ending 05 May 2019	Week ending 28 April 2019
	number (%)	number (%)
Number of participants	38992 (100%)	38476 (100%)
Fever & cough	527 (1.4%)	551 (1.4%)
Fever, cough & time-off normal duties	309 (0.8%)	340 (0.9%)
Fever, cough & 3 or more days off work/normal duties	162 (0.4%)	206 (0.5%)
Number of participants with fever and cough	527 (100%)	551 (100%)
*Sought medical advice for fever and cough	152 (28.8%)	165 (29.9%)
Diagnosis of influenza	49 (9.3%)	44 (8%)
Admitted to hospital	7 (1.3%)	5 (0.9%)
Tested for influenza	29 (5.5%)	19 (3.4%)
Tested, result positive	13 (2.5%)	10 (1.8%)

*Includes those who sought medical advice from a general practitioner, emergency department, or were admitted to hospital for fever & cough

Flu activity by State/Territory and Age Group:



Flu activity by State/Territory and Age Group:



Participation:

38,992 participants (38,476 last week)

State	Participants	%	Rate/100,000 population
NSW	13367	34.3%	169.3
VIC	7088	18.2%	111.5
QLD	4155	10.7%	84.0
SA	4120	10.6%	238.6
WA	4133	10.6%	159.8
TAS	3332	8.5%	638.3
NT	955	2.4%	388.1
ACT	1842	4.7%	446.4
AUS	38992	100.0%	157.8

Vaccination rates:

Vaccination rates: 34.5% overall

Vaccinated participants:	%
<5 years	18.7
5-17 years	14.5
18-64 years	34.3
65+ years	47.3
Working with patients	41.4

