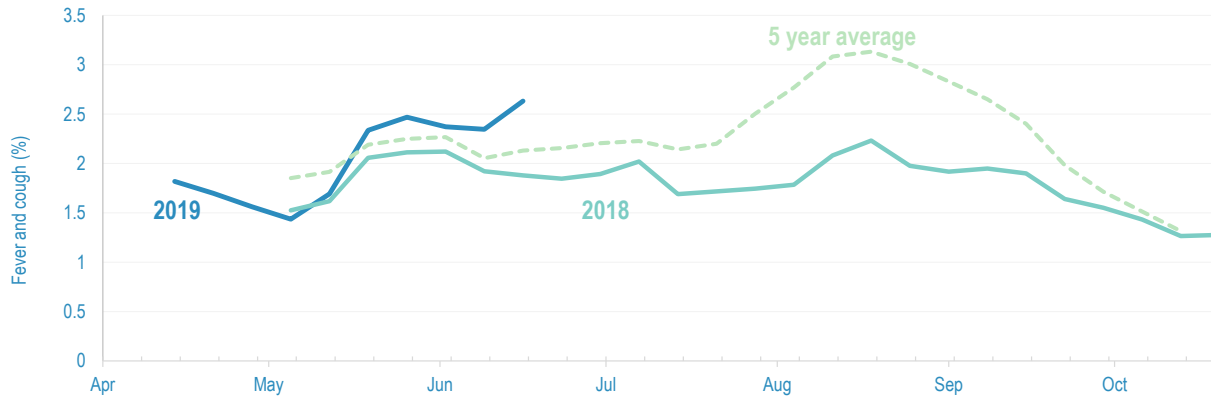




## Low levels of influenza-like illness activity 40,146 participants this week

### Flu Symptom Activity:

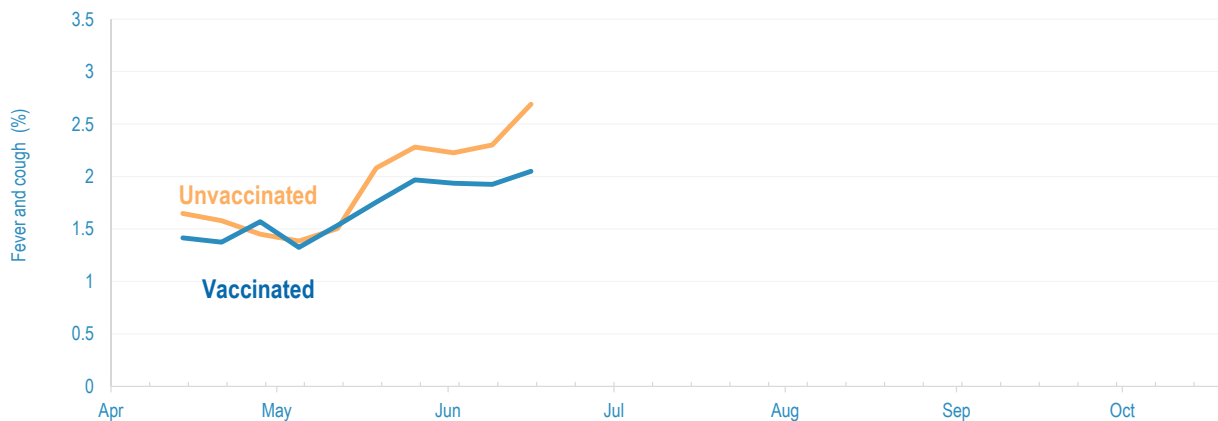
**Fever and cough: 2.6% this week (higher than 5 year average)**



\*5 year average is calculated using 2014, 2015, 2016, 2017 and 2018 data  
^ Data are age standardised in this chart only

### Flu Symptom Activity by vaccination status:

**0.6% higher fever and cough in unvaccinated group this week**



## Flu symptom Severity:

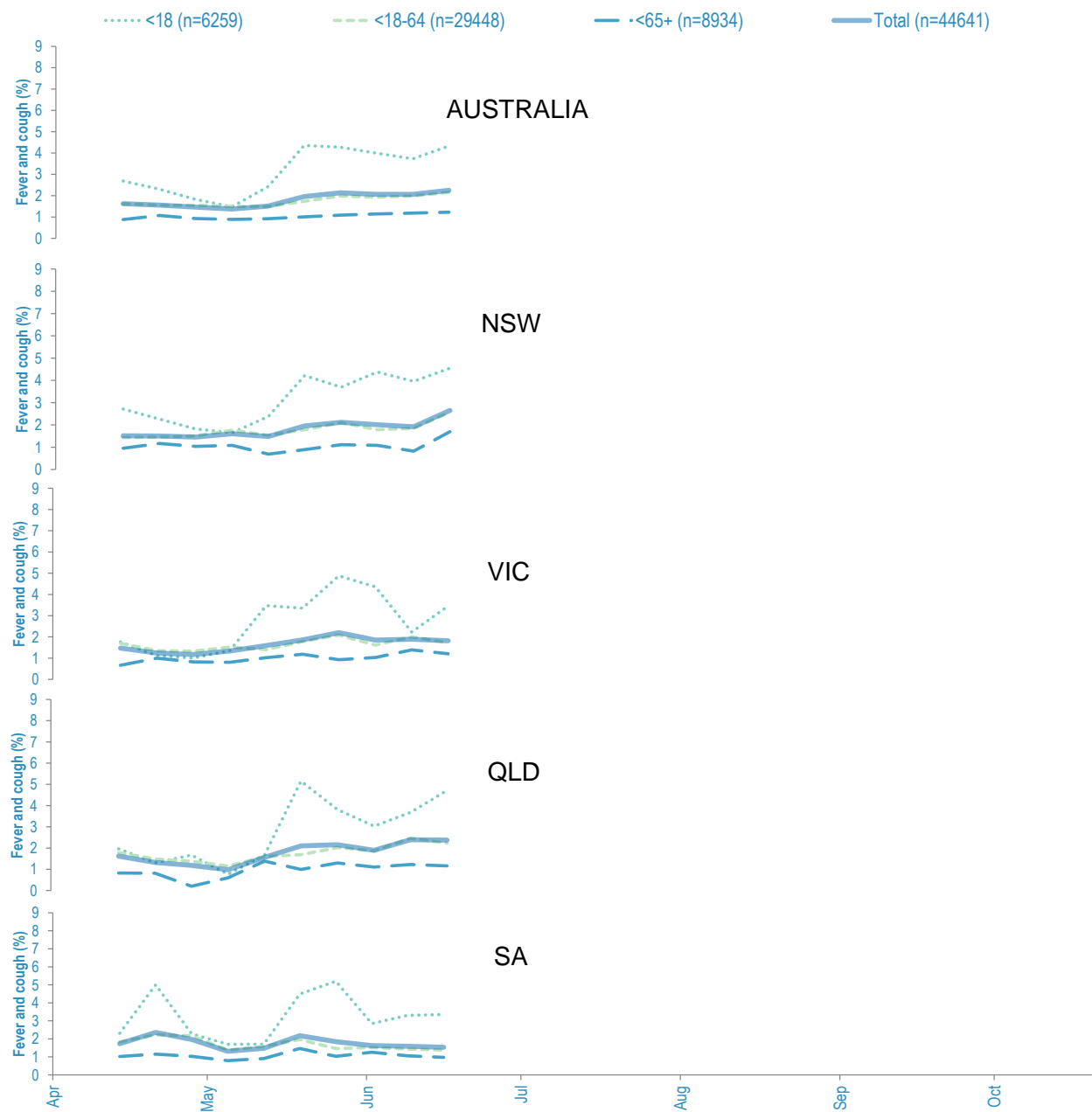
**26.2% of participants with fever and cough sought medical advice this week**

Influenza-like illness Severity	Week ending 16 June 2019	Week ending 09 June 2019
	number (%)	number (%)
Number of participants	40146 (100%)	39599 (100%)
Fever & cough	904 (2.3%)	813 (2.1%)
Fever, cough & time-off normal duties	592 (1.5%)	580 (1.5%)
Fever, cough & 3 or more days off work/normal duties	309 (0.8%)	348 (0.9%)
Number of participants with fever and cough	904 (100%)	813 (100%)
*Sought medical advice for fever and cough	237 (26.2%)	275 (33.8%)
^Diagnosis of influenza	56 (6.2%)	79 (9.7%)
Admitted to hospital	5 (0.6%)	6 (0.7%)
Tested for influenza	37 (4.1%)	46 (5.7%)
Tested, result positive	13 (1.4%)	22 (2.7%)

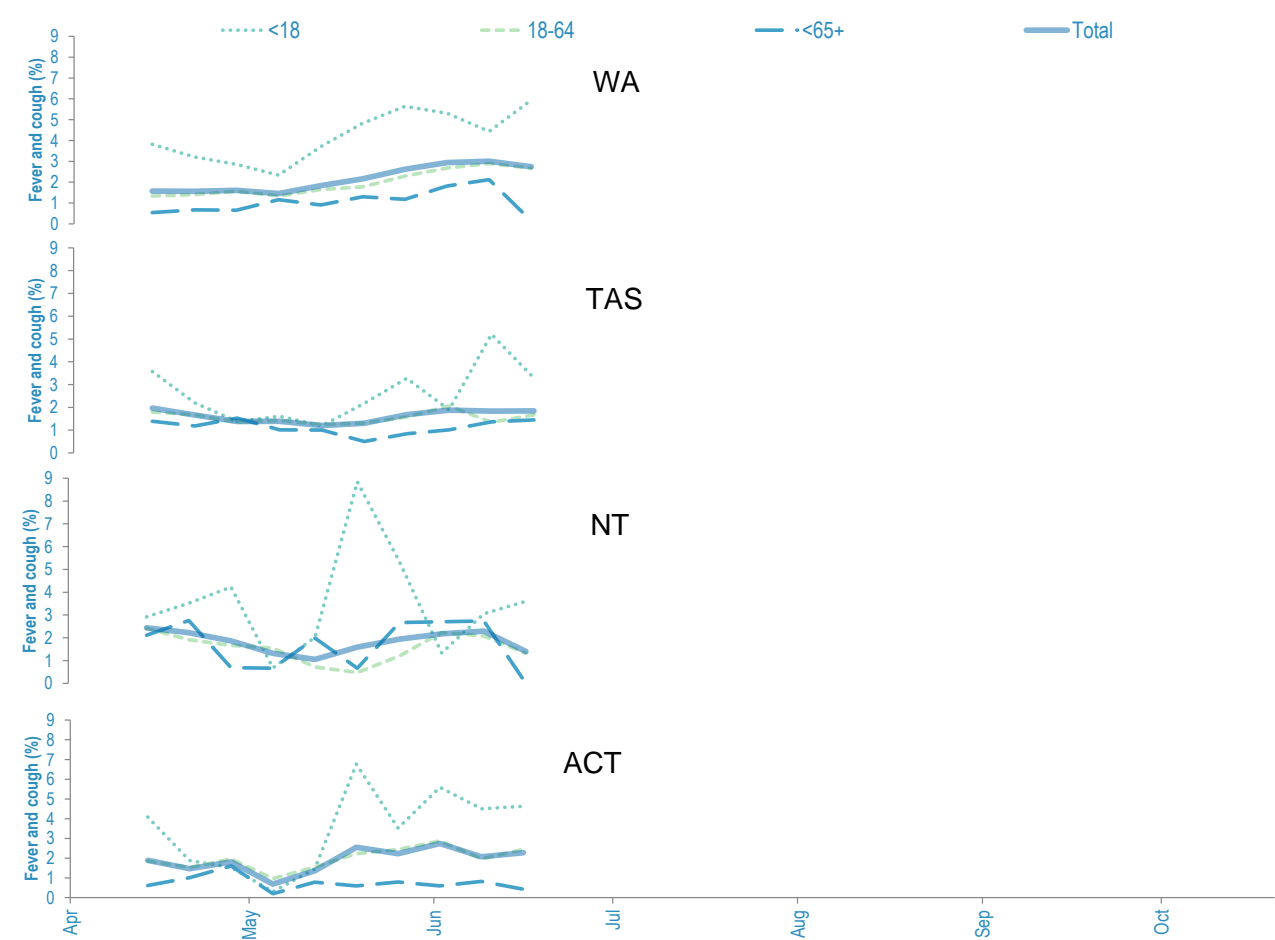
\*Includes those who sought medical advice from a general practitioner, emergency department, or were admitted to hospital for fever & cough

^Participant reported clinical diagnosis of influenza of health care provider

Flu activity by State/Territory and Age Group:



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Participation:

40,146 participants (39,599 last week)

State	Participants	% Rate/100,000 population
NSW	13837	34.5% 175.2
VIC	7246	18.0% 114.0
QLD	4293	10.7% 86.8
SA	4121	10.3% 238.6
WA	4416	11.0% 170.7
TAS	3371	8.4% 645.8
NT	928	2.3% 377.1
ACT	1934	4.8% 468.7
AUS	40146	100.0% 162.5

Vaccination rates:

Vaccination rates: 72.6% overall

Vaccinated participants:	%
<5 years	69.4
5-17 years	45.5
18-64 years	72.3
65+ years	87.7
Working with patients	84.9

