

# Weekly Interim Report New Zealand

**Week ending 17 January 2021**

**Low levels of influenza-like illness activity**  
**(FluTracking is an online self-reporting ILI surveillance system.**  
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This survey was sent on Monday, 18 January 2021 at 03:11 AM and by 09:00 AM, Thursday 21 January we had received 18312 responses (18021 last week) from 10401 people responding for themselves and 7911 household members across New Zealand.

## Respondent Numbers by Jurisdiction

State	Respondents	Percentage
North Island	13638	74.5%
South Island	4671	25.5%
New Zealand	18309	100.0%

Across New Zealand, Fever AND Cough was reported by 0.2% participants. Fever, cough and absence from normal duties was reported by 0.1% participants.

Fever AND cough was reported by 0.9% of participants aged less than 5 years, 0.0% of participants aged 5-17 years, 0.2% of participants aged 18-64 years, and 0.1% of participants aged 65 years or older.

## Self-reported COVID-19 and influenza testing

	Week ending 17 January 2021	Week ending 10 January 2021
Tested for influenza (% of fever & cough)	3 (8.8%)	3 (6.0%)
Tested for COVID-19 (% of fever & cough)	14 (41.2%)	17 (34.0%)
Result positive for influenza (% of fever & cough)	1 (2.9%)	0 (0.0%)
Result positive for COVID-19 (% of fever & cough)	0 (0.0%)	0 (0.0%)

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