

## Week ending 15 August 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, 16 August 2021 at 01:11 am and by 09:30 am, Thursday 19 August we had received 44932 responses (44643 last week) from 25256 people responding for themselves and 19676 household members across New Zealand.

### Respondent numbers by jurisdiction

State	Respondents	Percentage
North Island	33,139	73.8%
South Island	11,793	26.2%
New Zealand	44,932	100.0%

Across New Zealand, Fever AND Cough was reported by 0.9% participants. Fever, cough and absence from normal duties was reported by 0.7% participants.

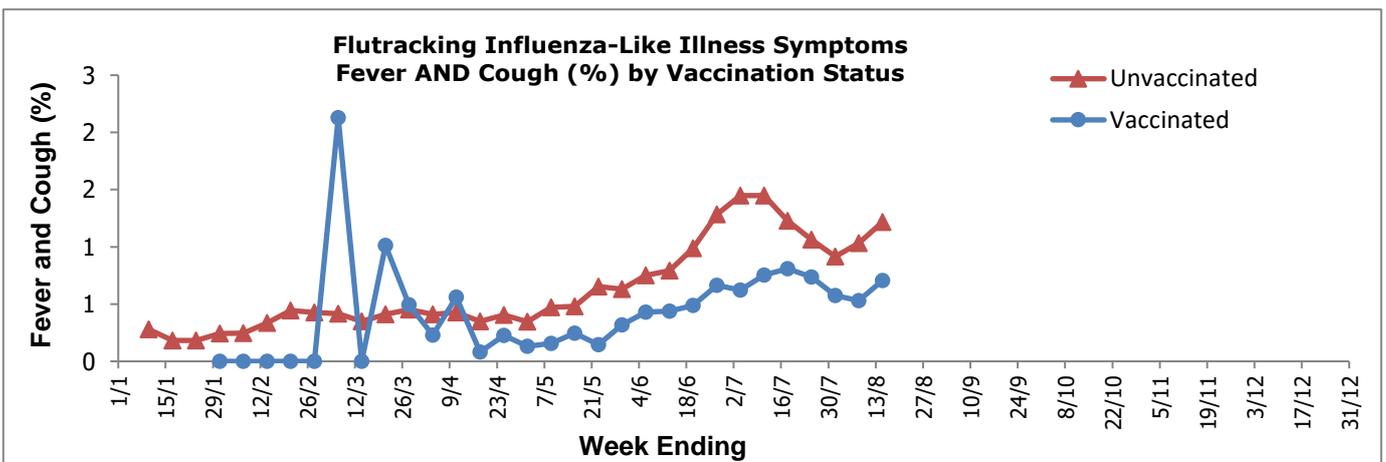
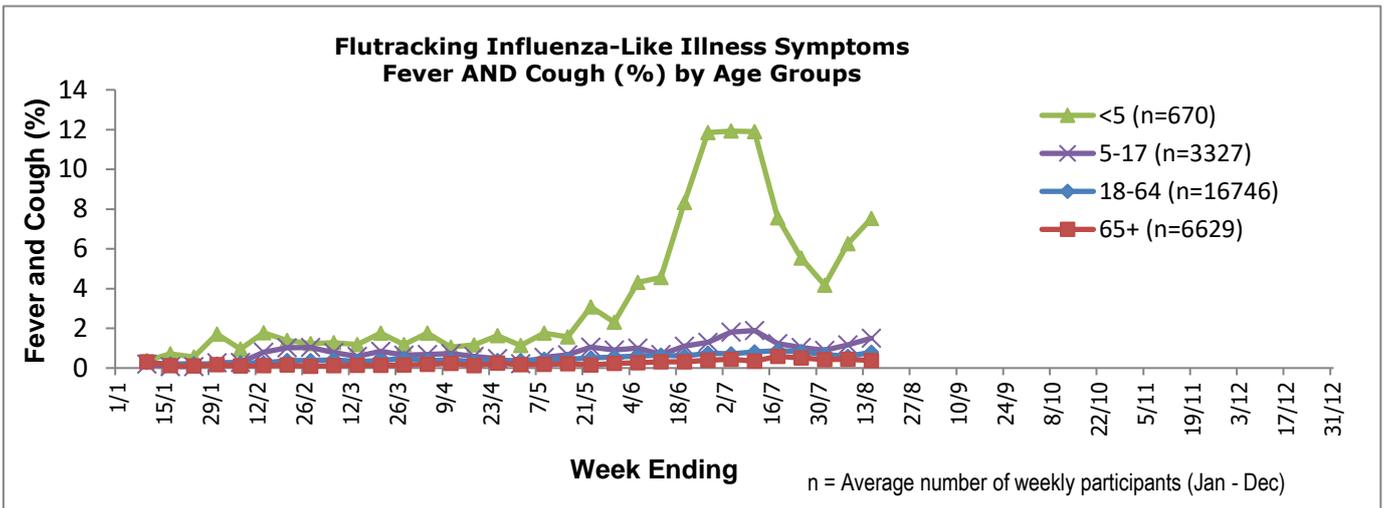
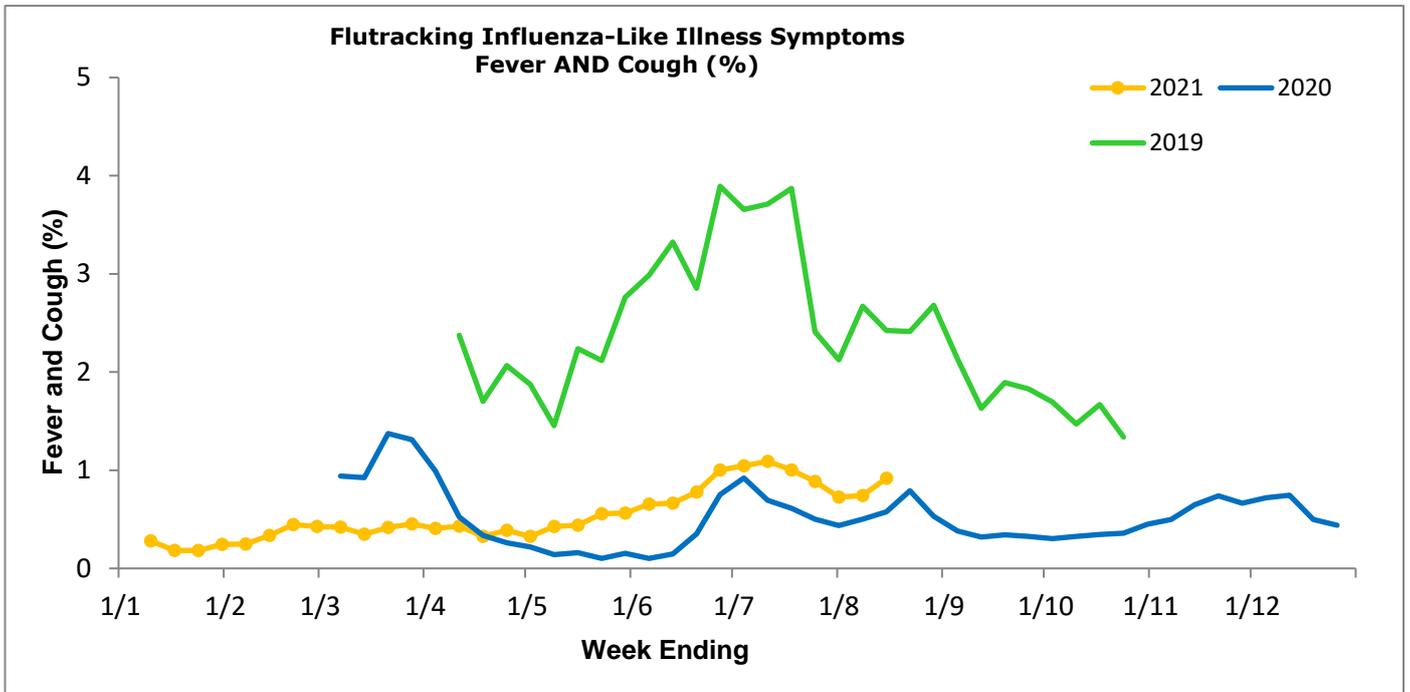
Fever AND cough was reported by 7.5% of participants aged less than 5 years, 1.5% of participants aged 5-17 years, 0.8% of participants aged 18-64 years, and 0.4% of participants aged 65 years or older.

### Self-reported COVID-19 and influenza testing

	Week ending 15 August 2021	Week ending 08 August 2021
Tested for influenza (% of fever & cough)	21 (5.1%)	15 (4.5%)
Tested for COVID-19 (% of fever & cough)	46 (11.2%)	56 (17.0%)
Result positive for influenza (% of fever & cough)	4 (1.0%)	0 (0.0%)
Result positive for COVID-19 (% of fever & cough)	0 (0.0%)	0 (0.0%)

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