

Weekly Interim Report New Zealand

Week ending 29 August 2021

Low levels of influenza-like illness activity
(FluTracking is an online self-reporting ILI surveillance system.
Care should be taken when interpreting this report)

This survey was sent on Monday, 30 August 2021 at 01:11 am and by 08:00 am, Thursday 02 September we had received 46662 responses (46015 last week) from 26080 people responding for themselves and 20582 household members across New Zealand.

Respondent numbers by jurisdiction

State	Respondents	Percentage
North Island	34,456	73.8%
South Island	12,206	26.2%
New Zealand	46,662	100.0%

Self-reported COVID-19 and influenza testing

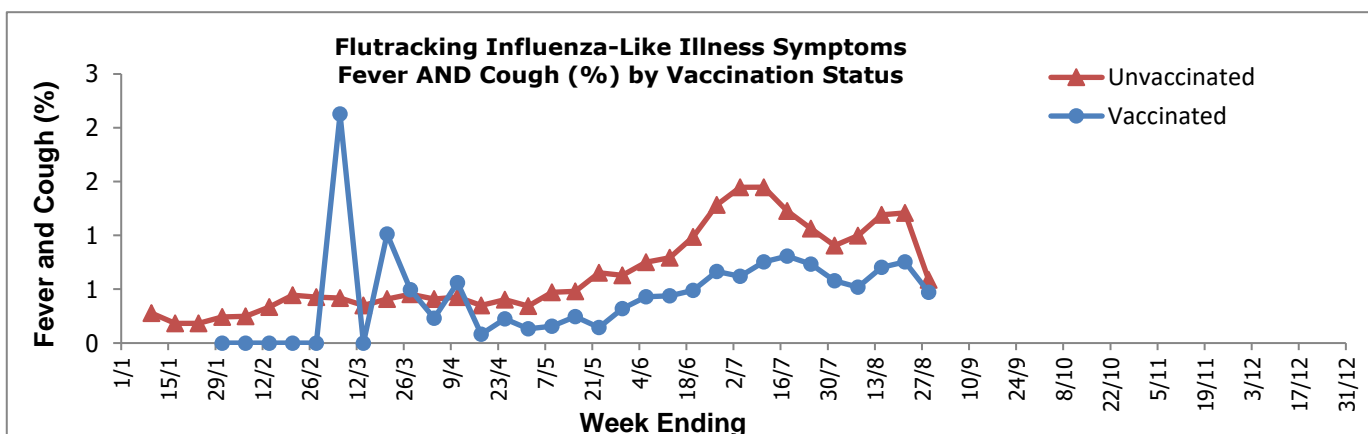
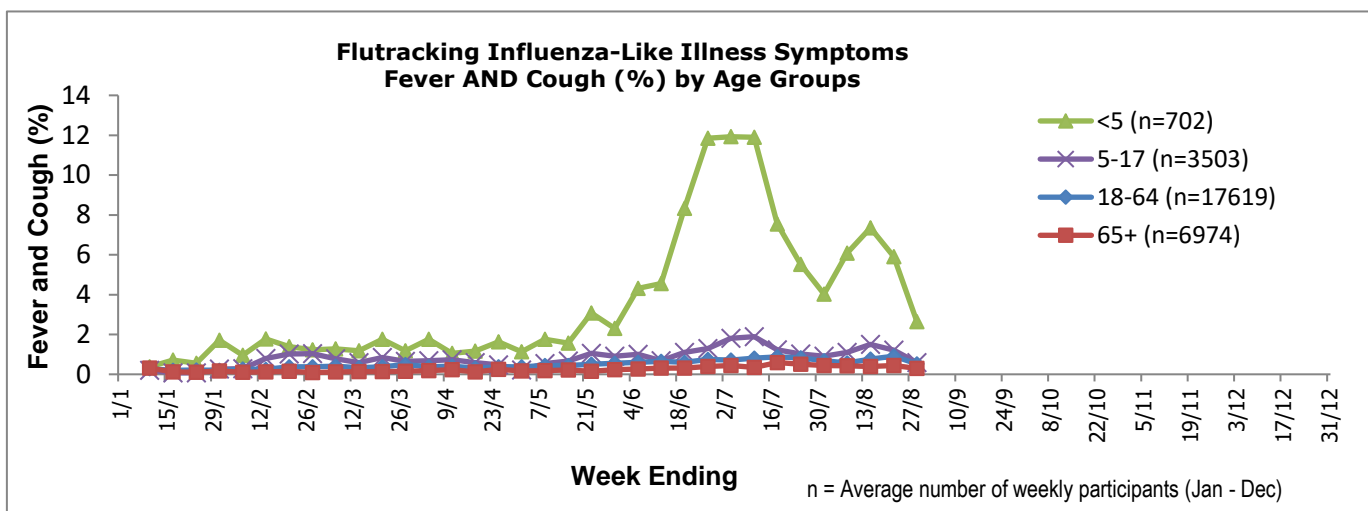
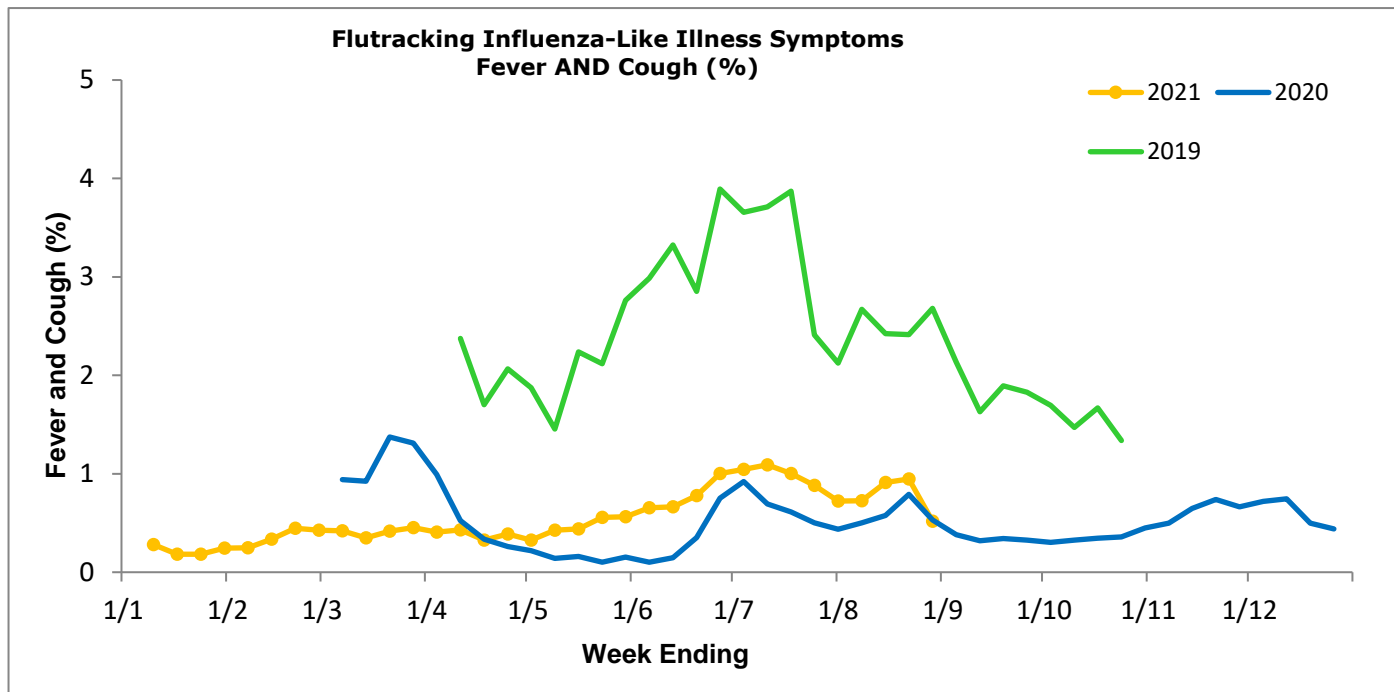
	Week ending 29 August 2021	Week ending 22 August 2021
Tested for influenza (% of fever & cough)	15 (6.2%)	46 (10.7%)
Tested for COVID-19 (% of fever & cough)	96 (39.7%)	244 (56.7%)
Result positive for influenza (% of fever & cough)	0 (0.0%)	3 (0.7%)
Result positive for COVID-19 (% of fever & cough)	0 (0.0%)	0 (0.0%)

Across New Zealand, Fever AND Cough was reported by 0.5% participants. Fever, cough and absence from normal duties was reported by 0.3% participants.

Fever AND cough was reported by 2.6% of participants aged less than 5 years, 0.6% of participants aged 5-17 years, 0.5% of participants aged 18-64 years, and 0.3% of participants aged 65 years or older.

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[New Zealand Influenza Intelligence Report](#)



COVID-19 Vaccination Rates

Vaccinated participants:	At least 1 dose (%)	2 doses (%)
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12-17 years	19.4	1.1
18-64 years	72.8	35.6
65+ years	95.7	74.6
Working with patients	95.3	86.7
Vaccinated overall (%)	70.6	40.6

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