

Weekly Interim Report New Zealand

Week ending 15 May 2022

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, 16 May 2022 at 01:11 am and by 08:30 am, Thursday 19 May we had received 37917 responses (38872 last week) from 21855 people responding for themselves and 16062 household members across New Zealand.

Respondent numbers by jurisdiction

State	Respondents	Percentage	
North Island	27,959	73.7%	
South Island	9,958	26.3%	
New Zealand	37,917	100.0%	

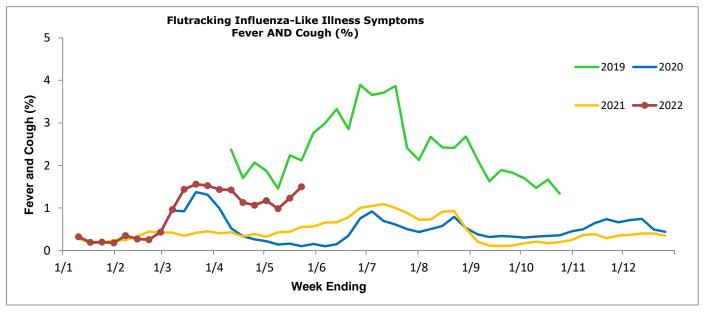
Self-reported COVID-19 and influenza testing

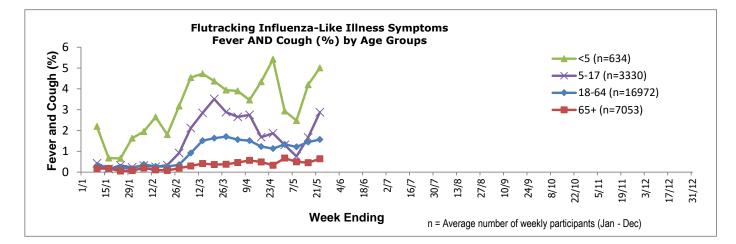
	Week ending 15	Week ending 08	
	May 2022	May 2022	
Tested for influenza	6 (1.1%)	18 (3.8%)	
(% of fever & cough)	0 (1.176)		
Tested for COVID-19	514 (90.5%)	433 (90.2%)	
(% of fever & cough)	514 (90.578)	455 (50.276)	
Result positive for			
influenza	0 (0.0%)	2 (0.4%)	
(% of fever & cough)			
Result positive for			
COVID-19	336 (59.2%)	314 (65.4%)	
(% of fever & cough)			

Across New Zealand, Fever AND Cough was reported by 1.5% participants. Fever, cough and absence from normal duties was reported by 1.2% participants. Fever AND cough was reported by 5.0% of participants aged less than 5 years, 2.9% of participants aged 5-17 years, 1.6% of participants aged 18-64 years, and 0.6% of participants aged 65 years or older.

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COVID-19 Vaccination Rates

Vaccinated participants:	At least 1 dose (%)	At least 2 doses (%)	3 doses (%)
5-17 years	95.8	80.0	5.9
18-64 years	99.6	99.3	94.7
65+ years	99.6	99.4	98.2
Working with patients	99.6	99.3	98.0
Vaccinated overall (%)	97.4	95.4	84.3

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