2016-2017 Influenza Season Surveillance Report
Everyone 6 months and older should get a flu vaccine

Summary (Week 50: December 11-17, 2016)

Current influenza activity is **INCREASING** in the Peoria Region, with OSF Saint Francis Medical Center, UnityPoint Health Methodist | Proctor, Hopedale Medical Complex, and Pekin Hospital reporting 45 positive influenza tests.

The Illinois Department of Public Health reported state-wide flu activity as **SPORADIC** (Lab confirmed influenza cases OR increase in influenza-like illnesses - ILI).

**Peoria Region Trend**

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*Reporting from only OSF St. Francis Medical Center and Unity Point Methodist | Proctor.

**Reporting to Peoria City County Health Department:**

- 0 influenza w/ ICU hospitalization past 30 days

**State and National Trends**

**State Trends**

For this reporting week there were 517 influenza specimens tested by WHO/NREVSS collaborating Illinois laboratories and IDPH Laboratories; 14 specimens tested positive for Influenza: **2.7% positives**

- **Six (6) influenza-associated Intensive Care Unit** (ICU) admissions were reported in Illinois for this reporting week.
- For this reporting week, **two (2) influenza outbreak** were reported in Illinois.
**National Trends**

- The proportion of outpatient visits within Illinois for influenza-like illness (ILI) was 1.33% which is **below** the national regional 5 baseline.

**Resources**

- Centers for Disease Control and Prevention Influenza Website: [http://www.cdc.gov/flu/](http://www.cdc.gov/flu/)
- IDPH Seasonal Influenza Website: [http://www.dph.illinois.gov/topics-services/diseases-and-conditions/influenza/surveillance](http://www.dph.illinois.gov/topics-services/diseases-and-conditions/influenza/surveillance)
INCREASING

Influenza activity in Peoria - Tazewell Region

PERCENT POSITIVE TESTING

WEEK 50
Total of 254 tests; 45 positive tests
Majority positives were Subtype B

YEAR TO DATE (Reporting began Week 44)
Total of 1262 tests; 179 positive tests
4% Subtype A, 96% Subtype B

INFLUENZA ACTIVITY

SPORADIC

LOW, WITH SLIGHT INCREASE

EVERYONE 6 MONTHS AND OLDER SHOULD GET A FLU VACCINE

FLU SYMPTOMS
- Fever
- Cough, sore throat, runny nose
- Headache
- Muscle Aches
- Fatigue