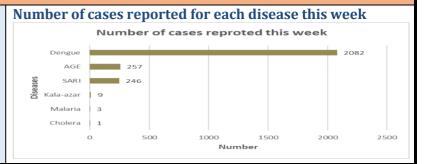
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Highlights

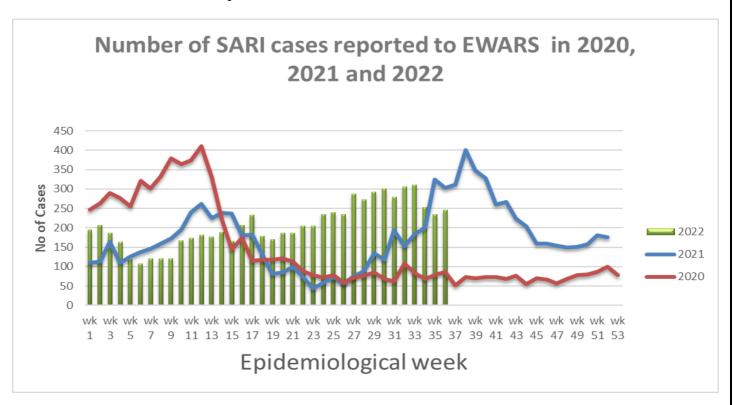
- 999241 cases of Coronavirus disease (COVID-19) have been confirmed in Nepal, of which 985395 cases have been recovered so far.
- Of the reported cases, Dengue is the leading cause of morbidity in week 36.



Note: This bulletin includes data since January 2021 till date, including comparison of the same period last two year. Since, May 2019, 36 new sentinel sites (including public hospitals, private hospitals, and medical colleges) were added and were gradually oriented and started reporting, thus increasing the number of reporting sites. The current number of sentinel sites is 118.

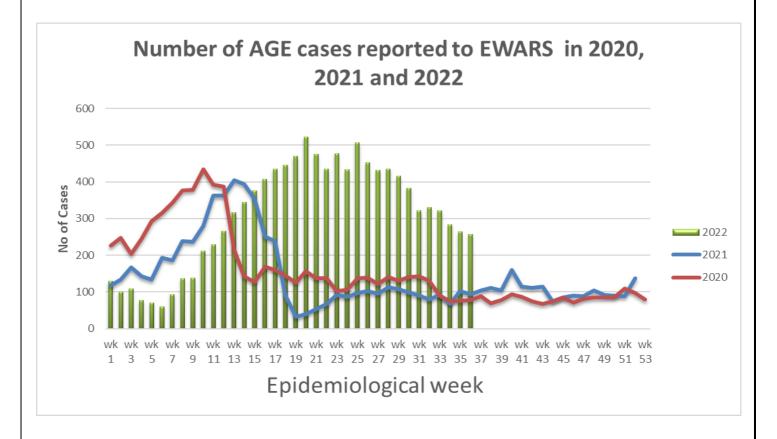
1. Acute Gastro-Enteritis (AGE)

- 257 cases of AGE were reported this week. Most of these cases were reported from Parsa (30 cases), Kathmandu (21 cases), Bara (15 cases), Dolakha (13 cases), Dang (12 cases), Gorkha, and Bhaktapur (11 cases from each district), Kaski, and Ilam (10 cases), Kapilbastu, Sunsari (10 cases from each district), Kapilbastu, Sunsari (9 cases from each district), Okhaldhunga, and Morang (8 cases from each district), Jumla, and Lalitpur (7 cases from each district), Mahottari, Dhanusa, and Dailekh (5 cases from each district).
- 102 cases of AGE were reported this week in 2021.



2. Severe Acute Respiratory Infection (SARI)

- 246 cases of SARI were reported this week. Most of these cases were reported from Jhapa (27 case), Kathmandu, and Rupandehi (18 cases from each district), Morang (15 case), Bhajhang, and Kailali (11 cases from each district), Bara, and Dhankuta (8 cases from each district), Ilam, Baglung, and sindhupalchok (7 cases from each district), Arghakhanchi, Pyuthan, Parsa, Sunari, and Jumla (6 cases from each district), Dolakha, Kapilbastu, and Gulmi (5 cases from each district).
- 332 cases of SARI were reported this week in 2021.



3. Malaria

- Three case of malaria (M. Falciparum 1 and M. Vivax 2) was reported this week; one each case was reported from Palpa, Surkhet, and Kapilbastu district.
- Zero cases of malaria were reported this week in 2021.

4. Kala-azar

- Nine cases of kala-azar were reported this week. Most of these cases were reported from Achham, and Kailali (2 cases from each district), and one each case from Dhankuta, Surkhet, Khotang, Rupandhi, and Kalikot district.).
- Six cases of kala-azar were reported this week in 2021.

5. Cholera

- One cases of Cholera were reported this week; one case was reported from Kathmandu district.
- Zero case of Cholera was reported this week in 2021.

6. Dengue

- 2082 cases of dengue were reported this week. Most of these cases were reported from Kathmandu (1024 cases), Lalitpur (183 cases), Bhaktapur (91 cases), Rupandehi (66 cases), Darchula (44 cases), Kavrepalanchok (42 cases), Chitawan (37 cases), Kanchanpur (25 cases), Dang, and Ramechhap (24 cases from each district), Bardiya (23 cases), Gorkha (22 cases), Kailali (20 cases), Makwanpur (19 cases), Baitadi, Surkhet, Arghakhanchi, Dhading, Nuwakot (16 cases from each district), Palpa, Doti, and Dolakha (15 cases from each district), Sindhupalchok, Siraha (14 cases from each district), Terhathum, and kaski (13 cases from each district), Parbat (11 cases), Okhaldhunga, and Gulmi (10 cases from each district), Nawalparasi East, Salyan, Jhapa, Sindhuli, Rautaht, and Baglung (9 cases from each district), Syangja, Bara, Saptari, and Banke (8 cases from each district), Mahottari, Morang, Nawalparasi West, Dadeldhura, and Sunsari (7 cases from each district), Kapilbastu, Khotang, and Parsa (6 cases form each district), Pyuthan, Bhojpur, and Udayapur (5 cases from each district).
- 29 cases of dengue were reported this week in 2021.

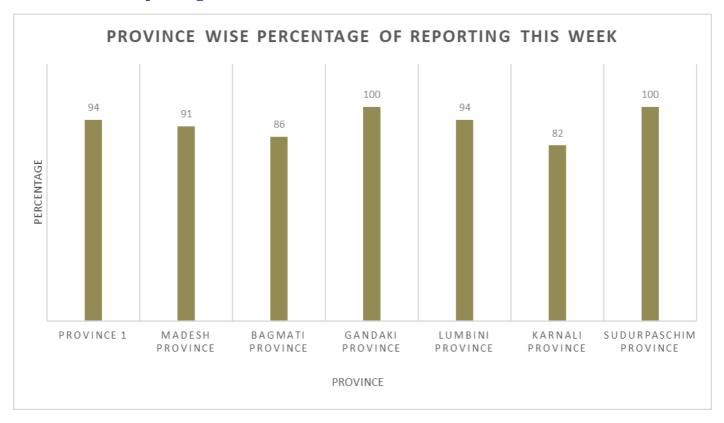
Other diseases Scrub typhus

- 189 cases of scrub typhus were reported this week. Most of the cases were reported from Baitadi (23 cases), Darchula (20 cases), Kanchanpur (14 cases), Kailali (13 cases), Kavrepalanchok (10 cases), Banke (9 case), Bhojpur, Palpa, and Arghakhanchi (7 cases from each district), Sindhuli, and Doti (5 cases from each district).
- 146 case of scrub typhus were reported this week in 2021.

Table: Comparison with previous week by diseases, 2022

Disease	Week 36	Week 35
AGE	257	264
SARI	246	234
Malaria	3	5
Kala-azar	9	7
Dengue	2082	1434
Cholera	1	0

Province wise reporting status:



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