

# Early Warning and Reporting System (EWARS)- Weekly Bulletin: Nepal

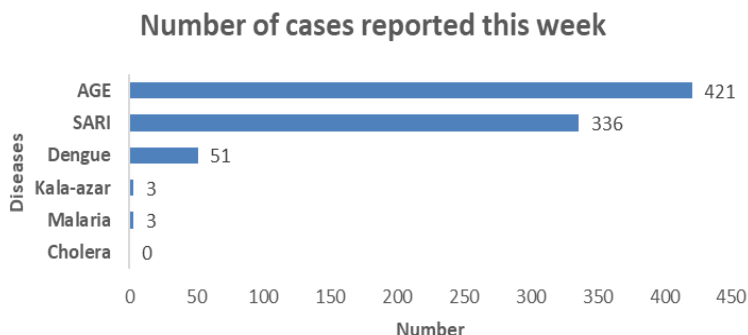
## 13<sup>th</sup> Epidemiological Week, 2023

### Sunday, 9th April , 2023

#### Highlights

- 1001750 cases of Coronavirus disease (COVID-19) have been confirmed in Nepal, of which 989373 cases have been recovered so far.
- Of the reported cases, AGE is the leading cause of morbidity in week 13.

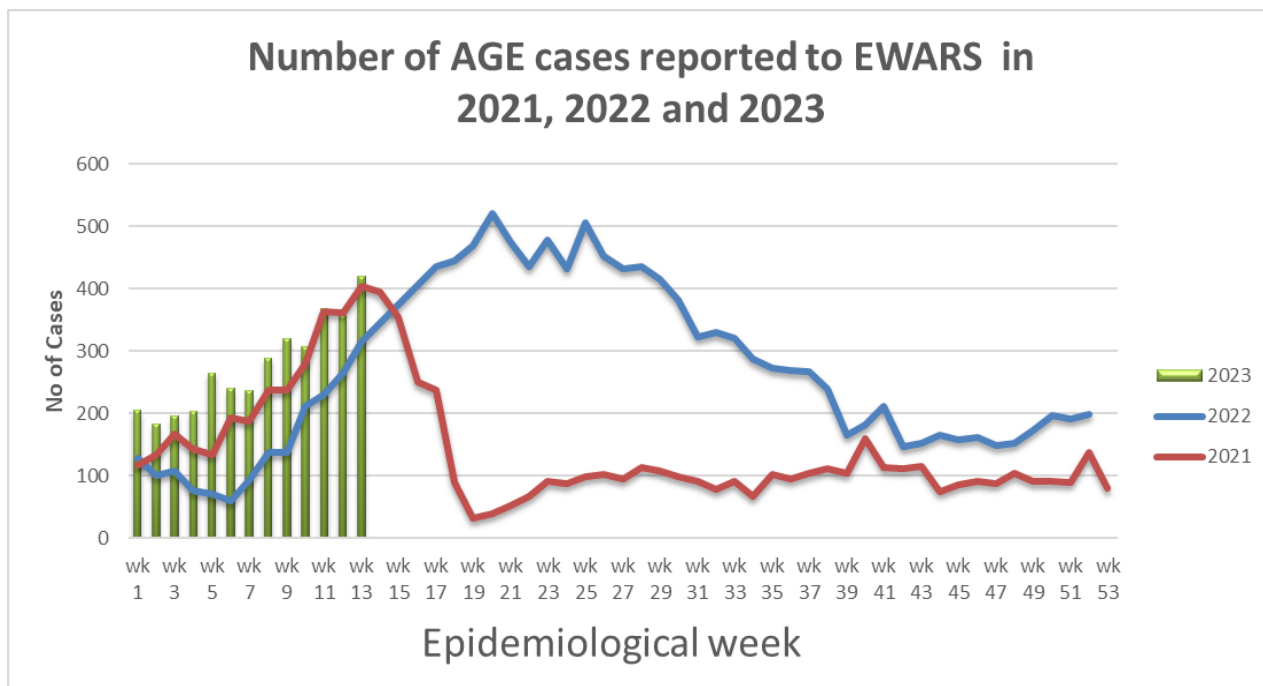
#### Number of cases reported for each disease this week



**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.

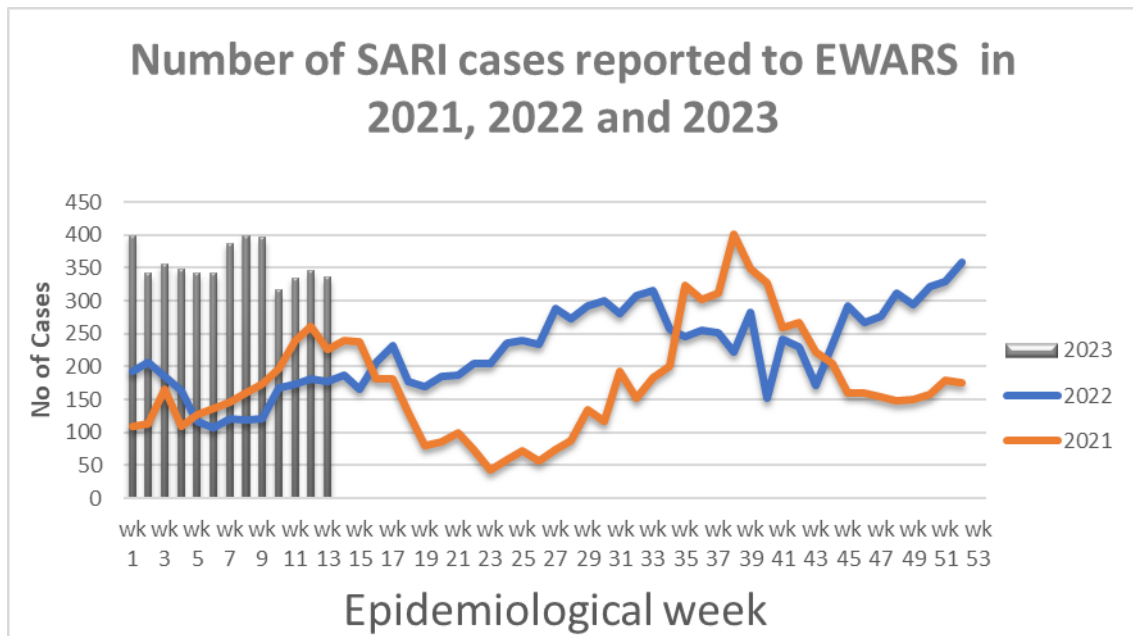
#### 1. Acute Gastro-Enteritis (AGE)

- 421 cases of AGE were reported this week. Most of these cases were reported from Kathmandu (47 case), Parsa (27 case), Bara (26 case), Sunsari (24 case) and Rupandehi (22 case) .
- 332 cases of AGE were reported this week in 2022.



## 2. Severe Acute Respiratory Infection (SARI)

- ◆ 336 cases of SARI were reported this week. Most of these cases were reported from Rupandehi (28 case), Parsa (23 case), Jhapa (22 case), Sunsari (18 case), Udayapur and Kapilbastu (12 case from each district).
- ◆ 192 cases of SARI were reported this week in 2022.



## 3. Malaria

- Zero case of malaria was reported this week.
- One case of malaria vivax were reported this week in 2022.

## 4. Kala-azar

- Three cases of kala-azar were reported this week; which of them were from three districts namely Pyuthan, Arghakhanchi and Kalikot.
- 14 cases of kala-azar were reported this week in 2022.

## 5. Cholera

- Zero case of Cholera was reported this week.
- Zero case of Cholera was reported this week in 2022.

## 6. Dengue

- 51 cases of dengue were reported this week. Most of these cases were reported from Darchula (25 case), Dhading (6 case), Bhaktapur (5 case), Myagdi (4 case), Siraha and Sindhuli (2 case from each district).
- Two cases of dengue were reported this week in 2022.

## Other diseases

### Scrub typhus

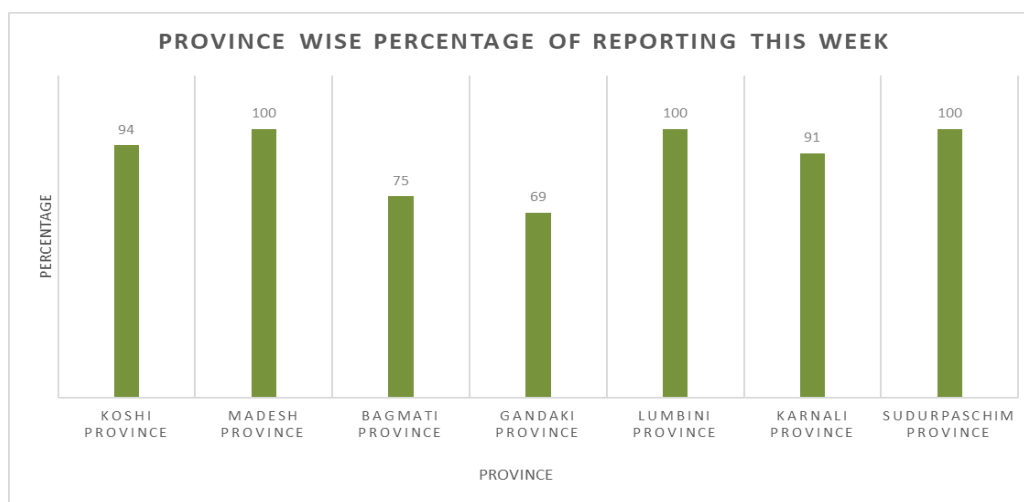
- 56 cases of scrub typhus were reported this week. Most of the cases were reported from Kanchanpur (15 case), Darchula (14 case), Bardiya (7 case), Rupandehi (5 case), Sindhuli (4 case) and Nawalparasi West (2 case).

- 30 cases of scrub typhus were reported this week in 2022.

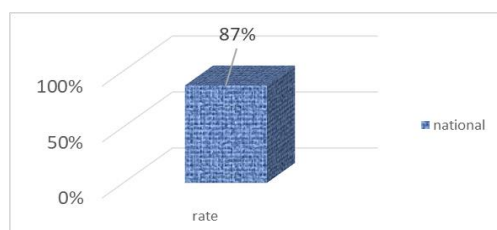
**Table: Comparison with previous week by diseases, 2023**

Disease	Week 12	Week 12
AGE	421	364
SARI	336	348
Malaria	3	0
Kala-azar	3	2
Dengue	51	31
Cholera	0	0

**Province wise reporting status:**



**National Reporting Status(%):**



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