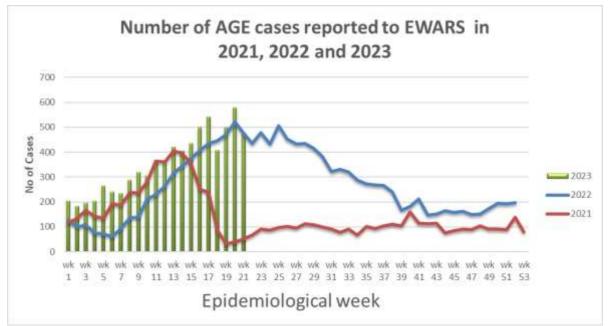
# Early Warning and Reporting System (EWARS)- Weekly Bulletin: Nepal <sup>21th</sup> Epidemiological Week, 2023 Sunday, 4th June , 2023

#### **Highlights** Number of cases reported for each disease this week 1003343 cases of Coronavirus disease . Number of cases reported this week (COVID-19) have been confirmed in Nepal, of which 991294 cases have been AGE 477 223 recovered so far. SARI Dengue 30 Kala-azar 1.3 Of the reported cases, AGE is the leading • Malaria 2 cause of morbidity in week 21. Cholera 100 200 400 500 300 Number

**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.

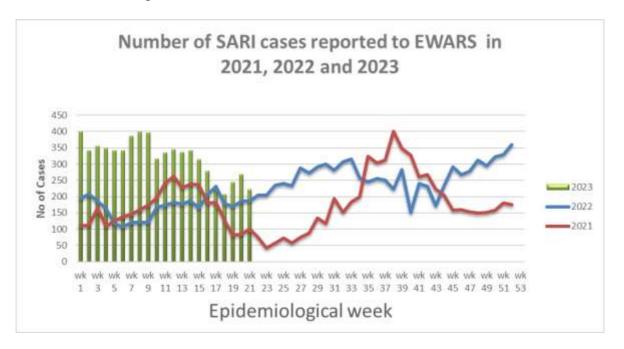
# 1. Acute Gastro-Enteritis (AGE)

- 472 cases of AGE were reported this week. Most of these cases were reported from Kathmandu (40 case), Parsa and Sunsari (28 case from each district), Rukum West (27 case), Rupandehi, Kapilbastu and Bara (21 case from each district), Bardia and Palpa (16 case from each district).
- 482 cases of AGE were reported this week in 2022.



### 2. Severe Acute Respiratory Infection (SARI)

- 223 cases of SARI were reported this week. Most of these cases were reported from Salyan (14 case ), Kanchanpur and Kailali (11 case from each district), Morang (10 case), Palpa, Rupandehi and Kaski (8 case from each district), Bajhang, Kapilvastu, Lalitpur and Syangja (7 case from each district).
- 187 cases of SARI were reported this week in 2022.



### 3. Malaria

- Two Cases of malaria were reported this week. Of which, two cases of malaria vivax were reported from Rukum West and Dailekh.
- Zero malaria was reported this week in 2022.

#### 4. Kala-azar

- Three cases of kala-azar were reported this week. They were from Bhojpur, Doti and Kathmandu.
- Six cases of kala-azar were reported this week in 2022.

#### 5. Cholera

- One case of Cholera was reported this week. The case was reported from Lalitpur.
- Zero case of Cholera was reported this week in 2022.

#### 6. Dengue

- 23 cases of dengue were reported this week. Most of these cases were reported from Kaski (5 case), Arghakhanchi ( 4 case), Darchula and Achham ( 3 case from each district) and Lamjung ( 2 case ) .
- Six cases of dengue were reported this week in 2022.

#### Other diseases Scrub typhus

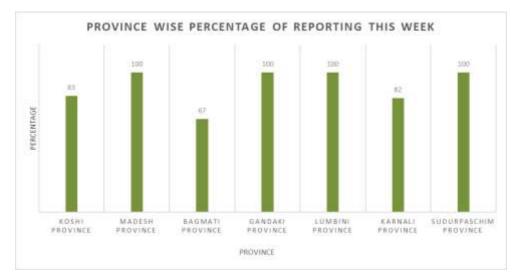
• 22 cases of scrub typhus were reported this week. Most of the cases were reported from Palpa ( 6 case), Dang and Chitwan ( 3 case from each district), Doti (2 case). Single case from other eight districts including Morang and Sunsari.

• 46 cases of scrub typhus were reported this week in 2022.

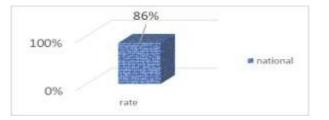
#### Table: Comparison with previous week by diseases, 2023

| Diseases  | Week 21 | Week 20 |
|-----------|---------|---------|
| AGE       | 472     | 525     |
| SARI      | 223     | 253     |
| Malaria   | 2       | 7       |
| Kala-azar | 3       | 4       |
| Dengue    | 30      | 34      |
| Cholera   | 1       | 0       |

#### **Province wise reporting status:**



# National Reporting Status (%):



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