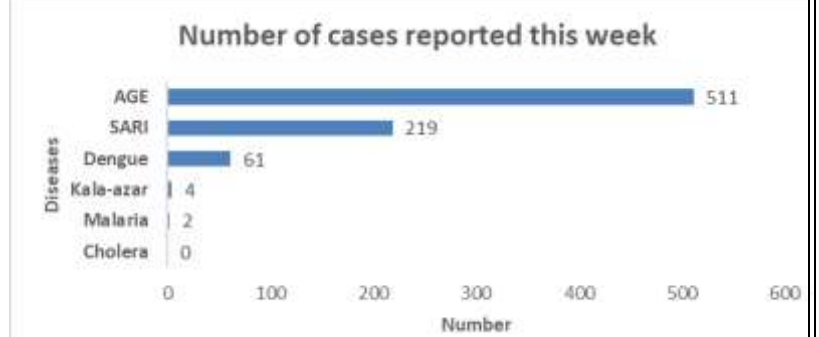


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Highlights

- 1003364 cases of Coronavirus disease (COVID-19) have been confirmed in Nepal, of which 991321 cases have been recovered so far.
- Of the reported cases, AGE is the leading cause of morbidity in week 24.

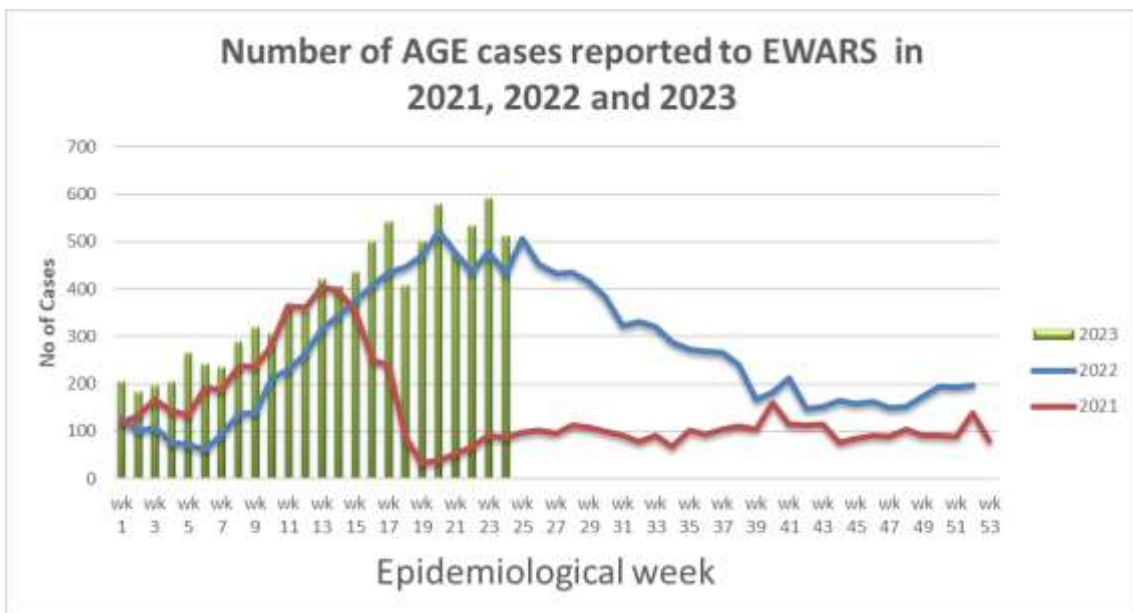
Number of cases reported for each disease this week



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.

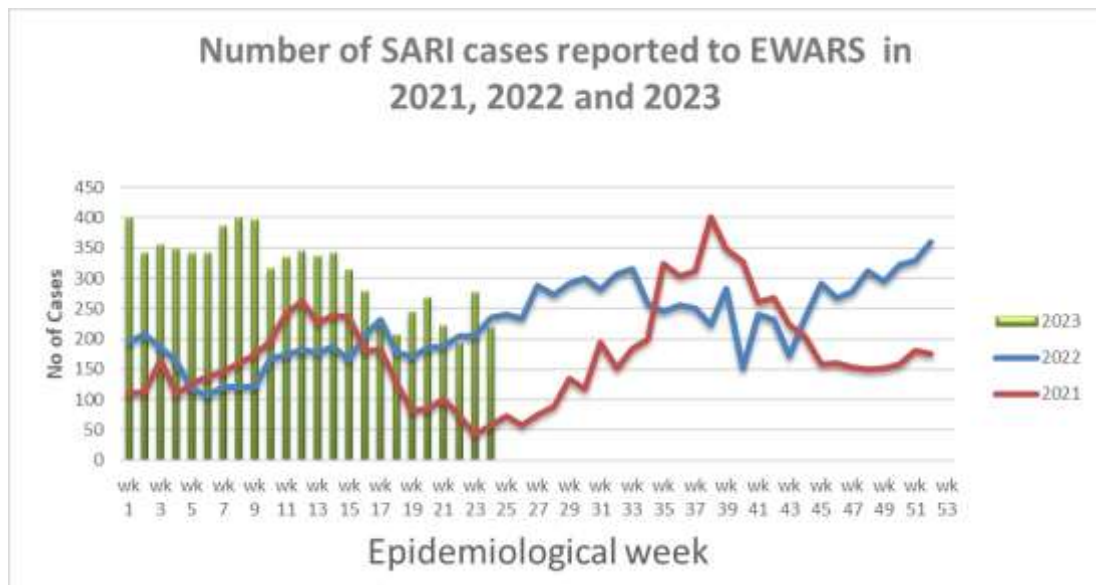
1. Acute Gastro-Enteritis (AGE)

- 511 cases of AGE were reported this week. Most of these cases were reported from Kathmandu (47 case), Parsa (42 case), Sunsari (27 case), Bara (25 case), Kapilvastu (23 case), Rupandehi (21 case Bajhang and Lalitpur (19 case from each district).
- 440 cases of AGE were reported this week in 2022.



2. Severe Acute Respiratory Infection (SARI)

- 219 cases of SARI were reported this week. Most of these cases were reported from Morang (20 case), Jumla (14 case), Rupandehi (13 case), Kathmandu and Kapilvastu (10 case from each district), Jhapa and Salyan (9 case from each district).
- 235 cases of SARI were reported this week in 2022.
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3. Malaria

- Two Cases of malaria were reported this week. Of which, all of malaria cases were of vivax and reported from Kailali and Palpa.
- Five cases of malaria (Falciparum-1 and 4 vivax) were reported this week in 2022.

4. Kala-azar

- Four cases of kala-azar were reported this week. Of them, two were from Udayapur and single cases were from Kalikot and Palpa.
- Three cases of kala-azar were reported this week in 2022.

5. Cholera

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

6. Dengue

- 61 cases of dengue were reported this week. Most of these cases were reported from Sunsari (18 case), Shankhuwasabha (7 case), Dhading (6 case), Dolpa (3 case), and six districts were reported with two cases of dengue each including Banke, Lalitpur and Nuwakot.
- 24 cases of dengue were reported this week in 2022.

Other diseases

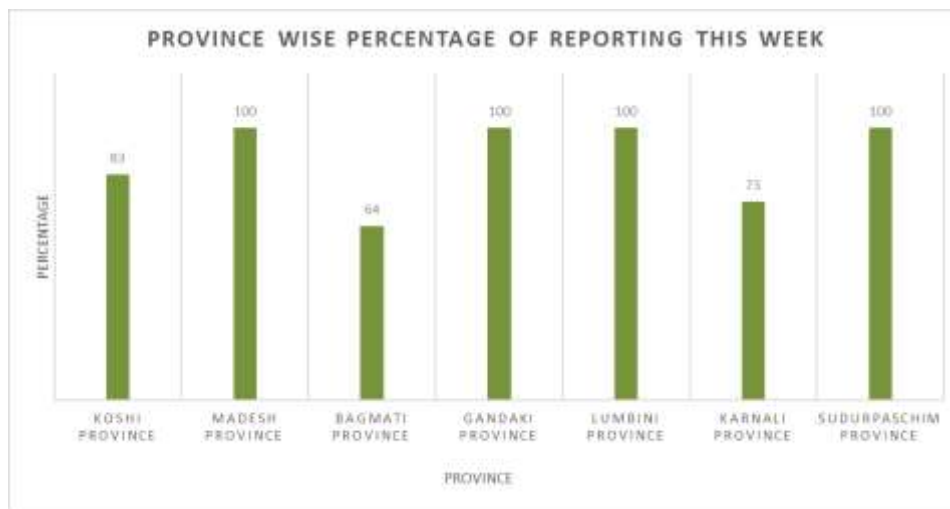
Scrub typhus

- 28 cases of scrub typhus were reported this week. Most of the cases were reported from Gulmi and Palpa (4 case from each district), Dhading (3 case). Four districts were with two cases each of scrub typhus including Arghakhanchi and Chitwan.
- 34 cases of scrub typhus were reported this week in 2022.

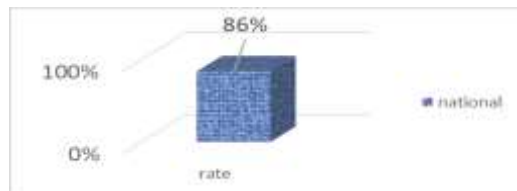
Table: Comparison with previous week by diseases, 2023

Diseases	Week 24	Week 23
AGE	511	601
SARI	219	284
Malaria	2	3
Kala-azar	4	2
Dengue	61	38
Cholera	0	0

Province wise reporting status:



National Reporting Status (%):



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