

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

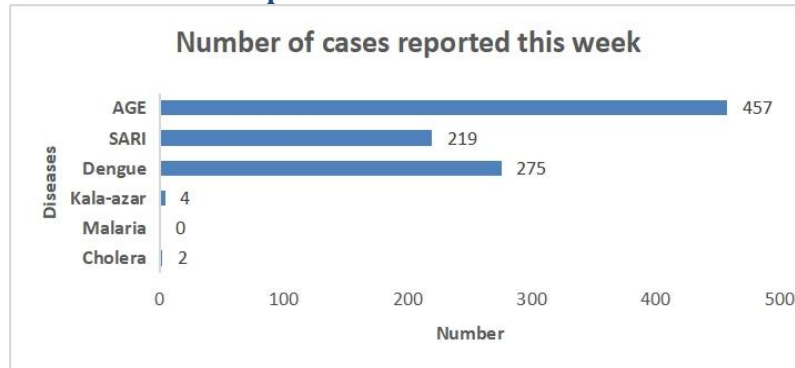
## 28<sup>th</sup> Epidemiological Week, 2023

### Sunday, 23rd July , 2023

#### Highlights

- 1003374 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 28.

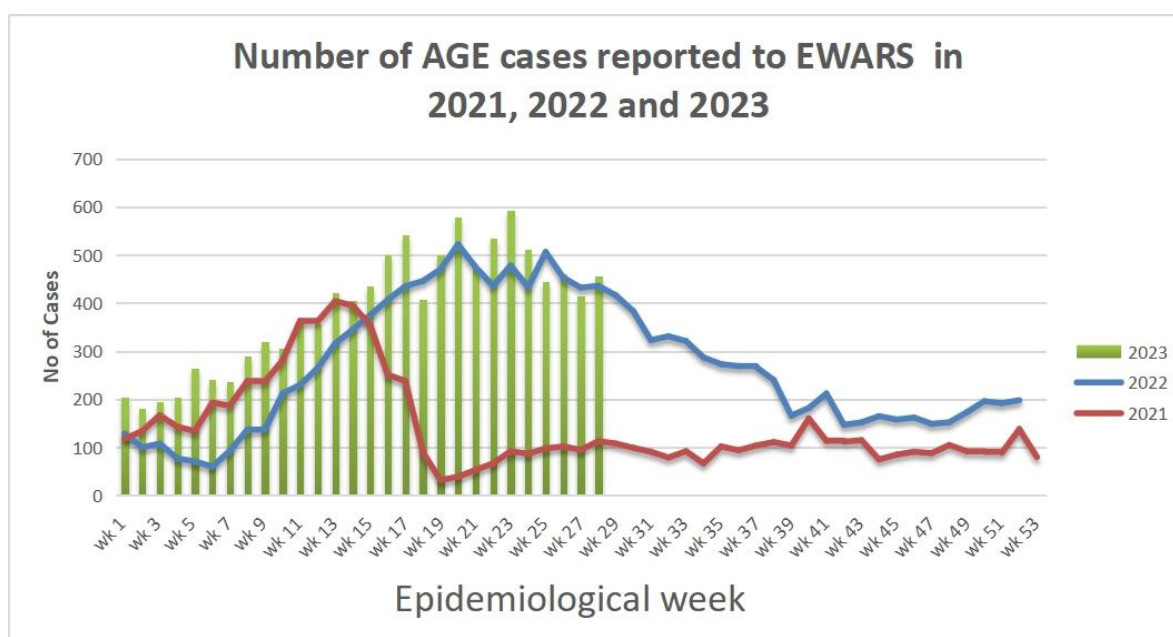
#### Number of cases reported for each disease this week



**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.

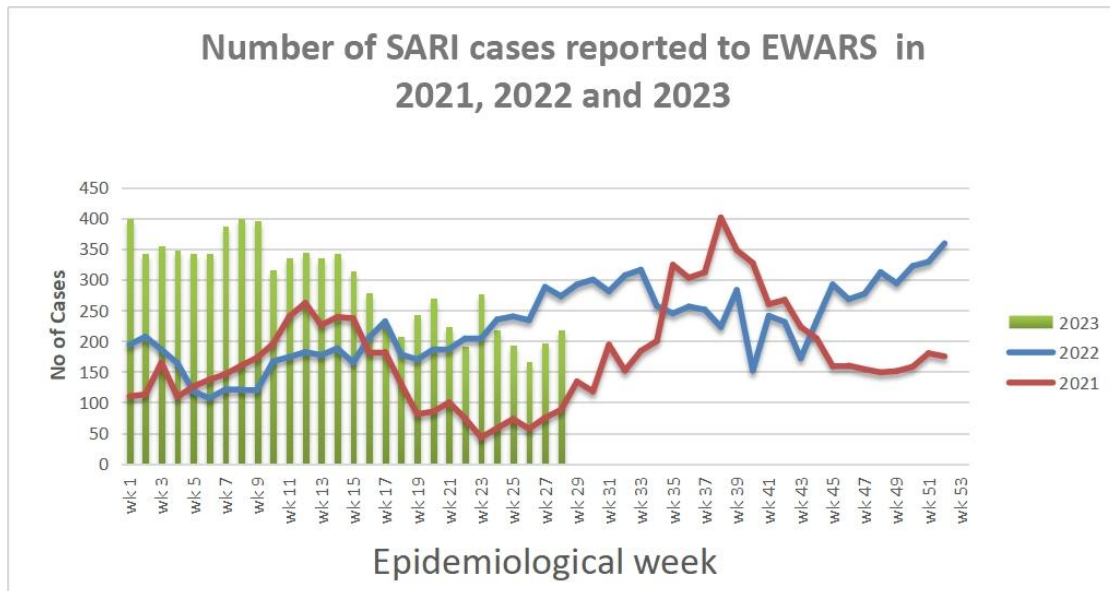
#### 1. Acute Gastro-Enteritis (AGE)

- 457 cases of AGE were reported this week. Most of these cases were reported from Kathmandu (38 case), Parsa (31 case ), Rukum West (18 case), Bajhang and Morang (15 case from each district), Lalitpur (14 case), Chitwan (13 case).
- 438 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 Kaski (17 case), Kathmandu and Sunsari (16 case from each district), Morang (10 case), Parsa (9 case) and Jhapa (8 case).
- 275 cases of SARI were reported this week in 2022.



## 3. Malaria

- Zero case of malaria reported this week.
- Five cases of malaria were reported this week in 2022.

## 4. Kala-azar

- Four cases of kala-azar were reported this week. They were from Banke, Palpa, Pyuthan and Okhaldhunga.
- 12 cases of kala-azar were reported this week in 2022.

## 5. Cholera

- Two case of Cholera were reported this week. They were reported from Kailali and Kathmandu.
- Two cases of Cholera were reported this week in 2022.

## 6. Dengue

- 275 cases of dengue were reported this week. Most of these cases were reported from Dhading (94 case), Sunsari (54 case), Kaski (46 case), Kanchanpur (8 case) and Achham (6 case).
- 63 cases of dengue were reported this week in 2022.

## Other diseases

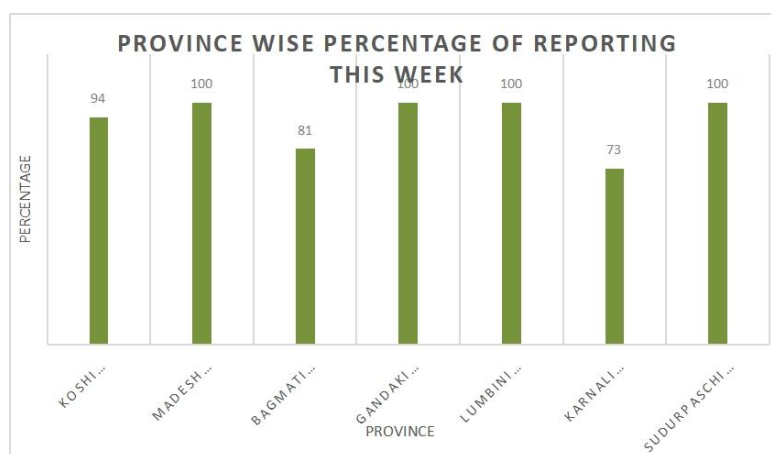
### Scrub typhus

- 32 cases of scrub typhus were reported this week. Most of the cases were reported from Achham (6 case), Dang, Nawalparasi East and Gorkha (2 case from each district). They were reported in single number from 20 districts including Illam and Bara.
- 54 cases of scrub typhus were reported this week in 2022.

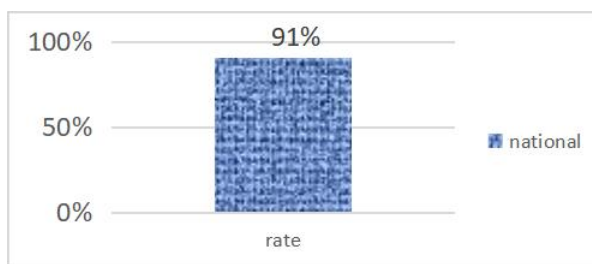
**Table: Comparison with previous week by diseases, 2023**

Diseases	Week 28	Week 27
AGE	457	442
SARI	219	203
Malaria	0	2
Kala-azar	4	4
Dengue	275	205
Cholera	2	0

**Province wise reporting status:**



**National Reporting Status (%):**



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