

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

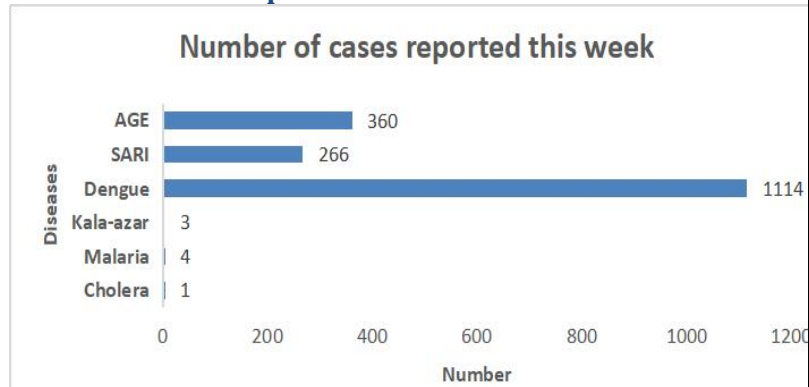
## 33<sup>rd</sup> Epidemiological Week, 2023

### Sunday, 27th August , 2023

#### Highlights

- 1003416 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 33.

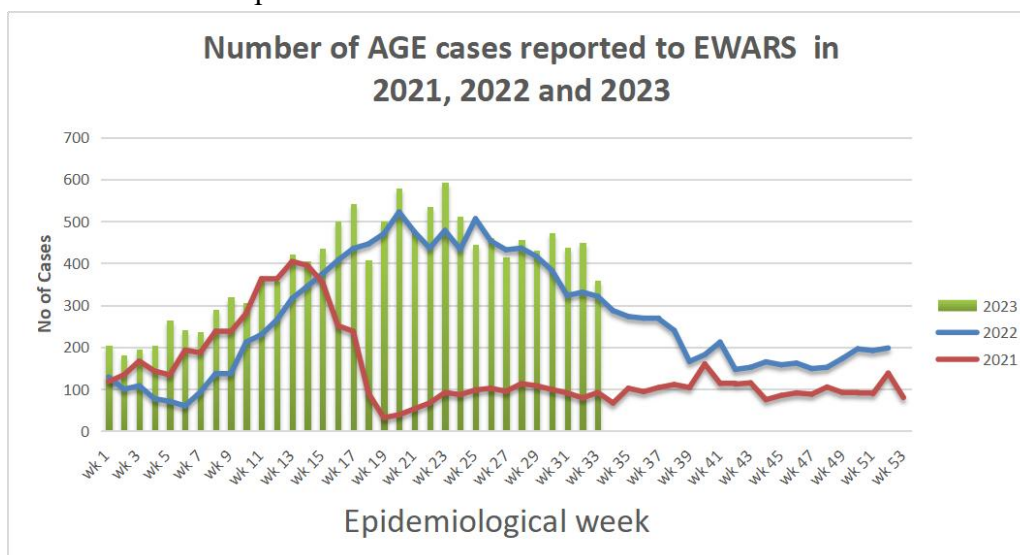
#### Number of cases reported for each disease this week



**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.

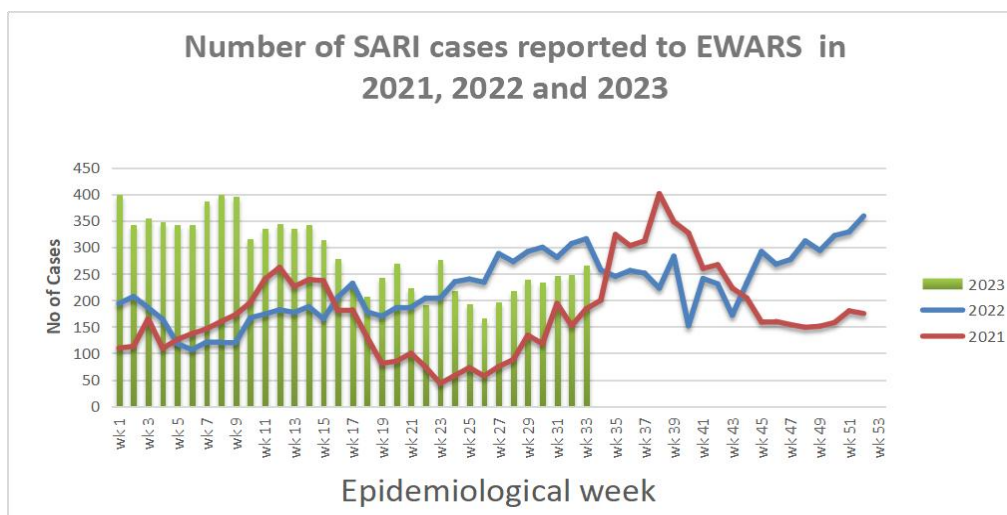
#### 1. Acute Gastro-Enteritis (AGE)

- 360 cases of AGE were reported this week. Most of these cases were reported from Parsa (32 case), Kathmandu (26), Bara (22 case ), Dhanusha (17 case ), and Kapilvastu ( 14 case).
- 322 cases of AGE were reported this week in 2022.



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

- 266 cases of SARI were reported this week. Most of these cases were reported from Kathmandu (29 case), Kaski (23 case), Parsa and Dhankuta (13 case from each district), Sunsari (12 case ), and Lalitpur (9 case).
- 318 cases of SARI were reported this week in 2022.



### 3. Malaria

- Four cases of Malaria were reported this week. Of them, two cases of malaria vivax from Kanchanpur and Kailali, and two cases of malaria falciparum from Bajura and Udayapur.
- Two cases of Malaria ( vivax-1, falciparum-1) were reported this week in 2022.

### 4. Kala-azar

- Three cases of Kala-azar were reported this week. Of them, Baitadi, Dhanusha and Tehrathum were reported with single case each.
- Seven cases of Kala-azar were reported this week in 2022.

### 5. Cholera

- One case of Cholera was reported this week. It was reported from Kathmandu.
- Six cases of Cholera was reported this week in 2022.

### 6. Dengue

- 1114 cases of Dengue were reported this week. Most of these cases were reported from Dhading (249 Case), Sunsari (242 Case), Kathmandu (60 Case), Jhapa (48 case ), and Sankhuwasabha ( 47 cae ).
- 652 cases of Dengue were reported this week in 2022.

### Other diseases

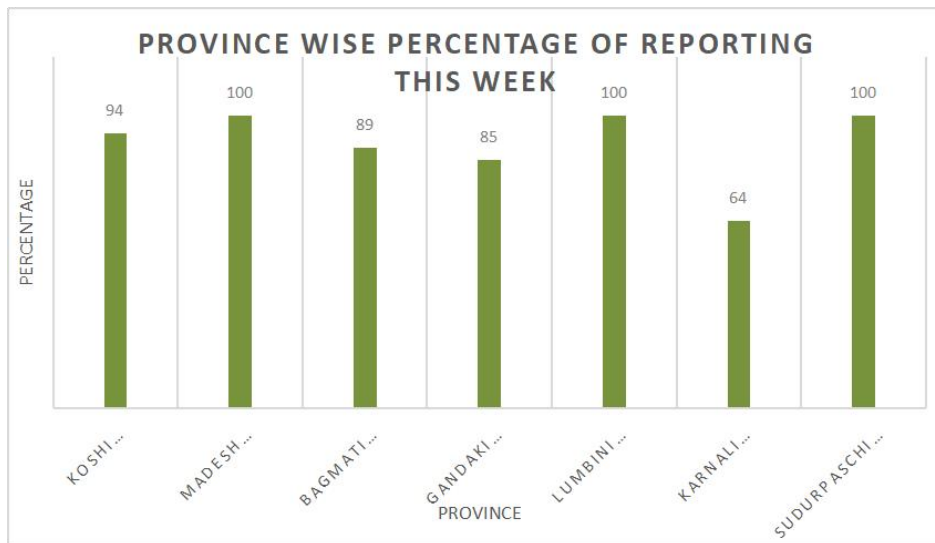
#### Scrub typhus

- 224 cases of Scrub Typhus were reported this week. Most of the cases were reported from Achham and Dhading (23 case from each district), Doti ( 16 case), Kanchanpur (14 case), Ramechhap (11 case) and Bajhang ( 9 case).
- 111 cases of Scrub Typhus were reported this week in 2022.

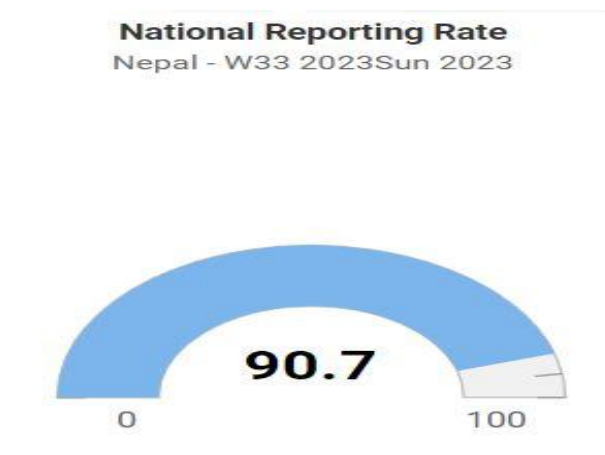
**Table: Comparison with previous week by diseases, 2023**

Diseases	Week 33	Week 32
<b>AGE</b>	<b>360</b>	<b>463</b>
<b>SARI</b>	<b>266</b>	<b>255</b>
<b>Malaria</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>4</b>
<b>Kala-azar</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>3</b>
<b>Dengue</b>	<b>1114</b>	<b>1324</b>
<b>Cholera</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>1</b>

## Province wise reporting status:



## National Reporting Status (%):



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