

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

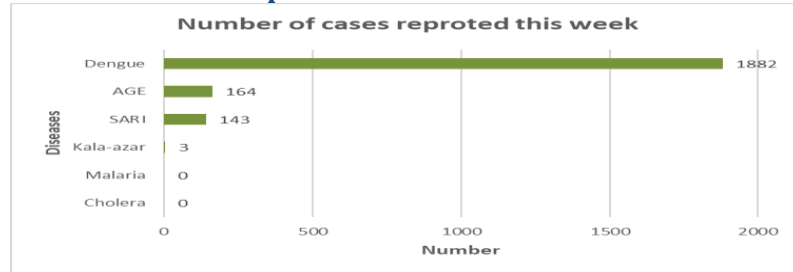
40th Epidemiological Week, 2022

16th October, 2022

Highlights

- 1000151 cases of Coronavirus disease (COVID-19) have been confirmed in Nepal, of which 987445 cases have been recovered so far.
- Of the reported cases, Dengue is the leading cause of morbidity in week 40.

Number of cases reported for each disease this week

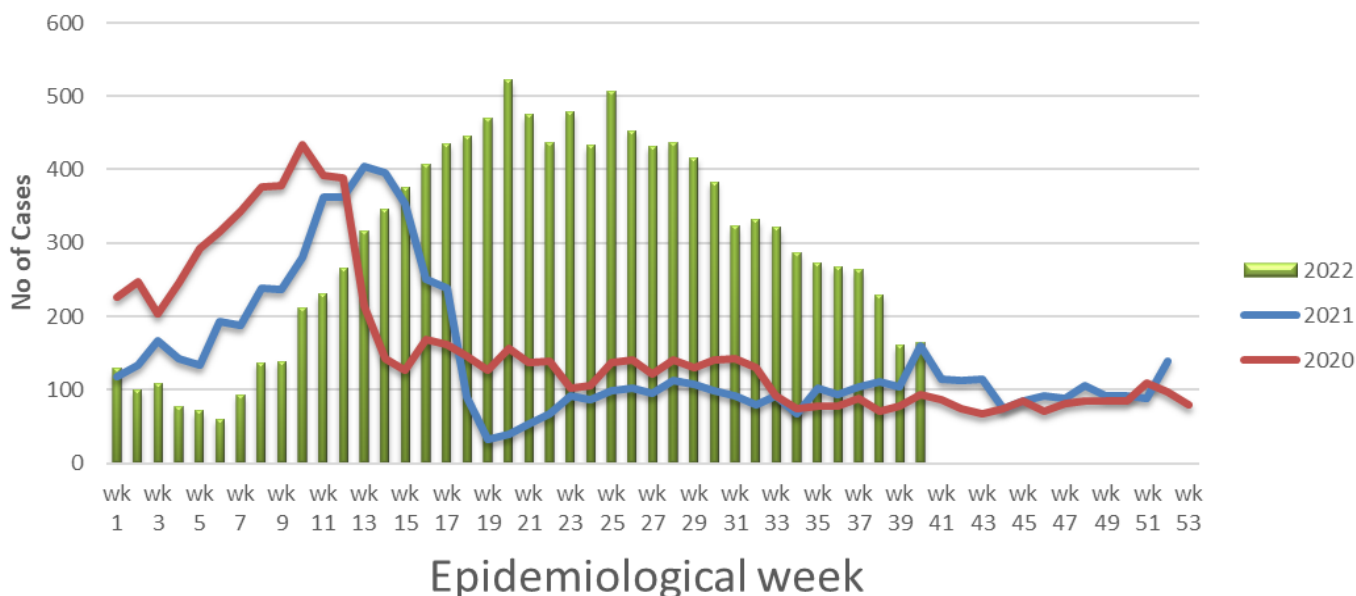


Note: This bulletin includes data since January 2021 till date, including comparison of the same period last two year. Since, May 2019, 36 new sentinel sites (including public hospitals, private hospitals, and medical colleges) were added and were gradually oriented and started reporting, thus increasing the number of reporting sites. The current number of sentinel sites is 118.

1. Acute Gastro-Enteritis (AGE)

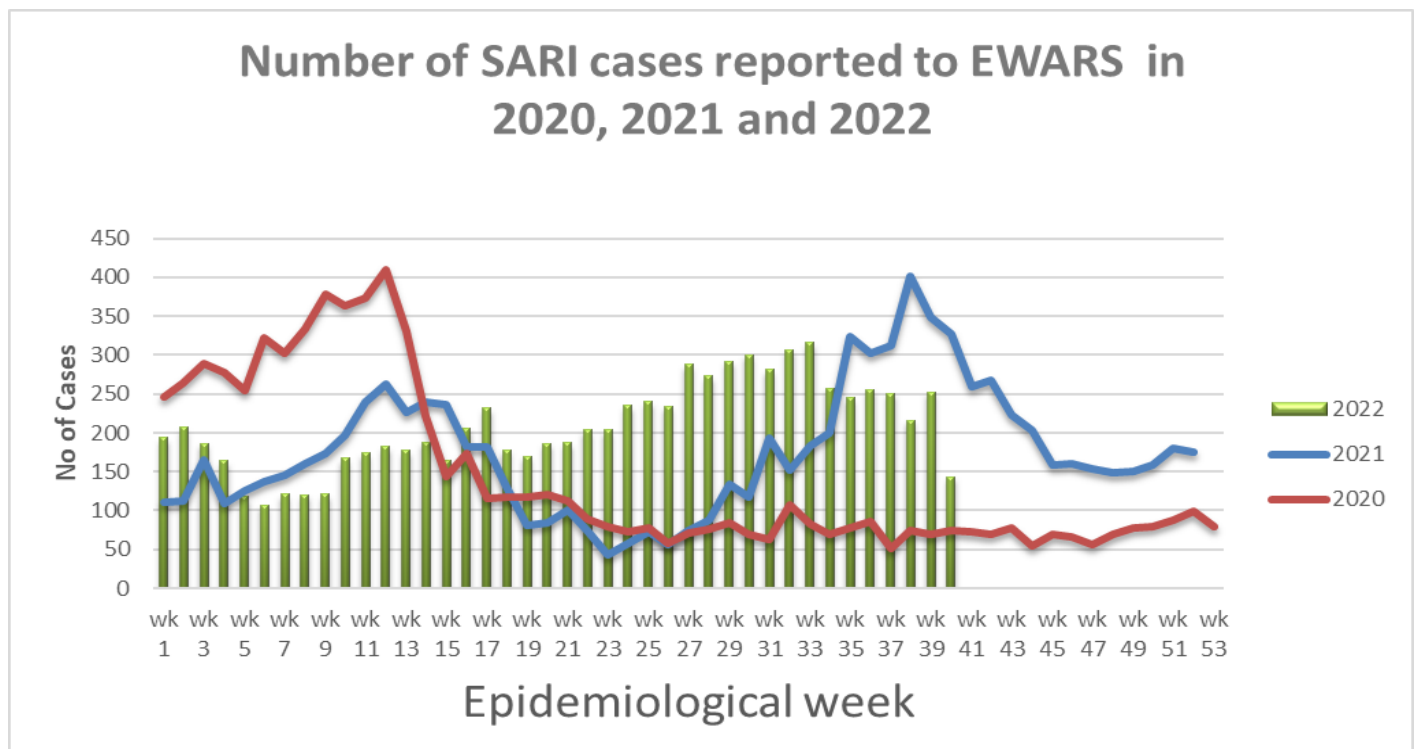
- 164 cases of AGE were reported this week. Most of these cases were reported from Parsa (42 case), Kathmandu (14 case), Kapilbastu, and Bara (12 case from each district), Sunsari (10 case), Rupandehi, and Ilam (7 case from each district), Lalitpur, and Sindhupalchok (5 case from each districts).
- 166 cases of AGE were reported this week in 2021.

Number of AGE cases reported to EWARS in 2020, 2021 and 2022



2. Severe Acute Respiratory Infection (SARI)

- 143 cases of SARI were reported this week. Most of these cases were reported from Morang (17 case), Kathmandu (15 case), Jhapa (13 case), Sunsari (9 case), Nawalparasi West, and Rupandehi (7 case from each district), Sindhupalchok, and Bhaktapur (5 case from each district).
- 331 cases of SARI were reported this week in 2021.



3. Malaria

- Zero case of malaria was reported this week.
- One case of malaria was reported this week in 2021.

4. Kala-azar

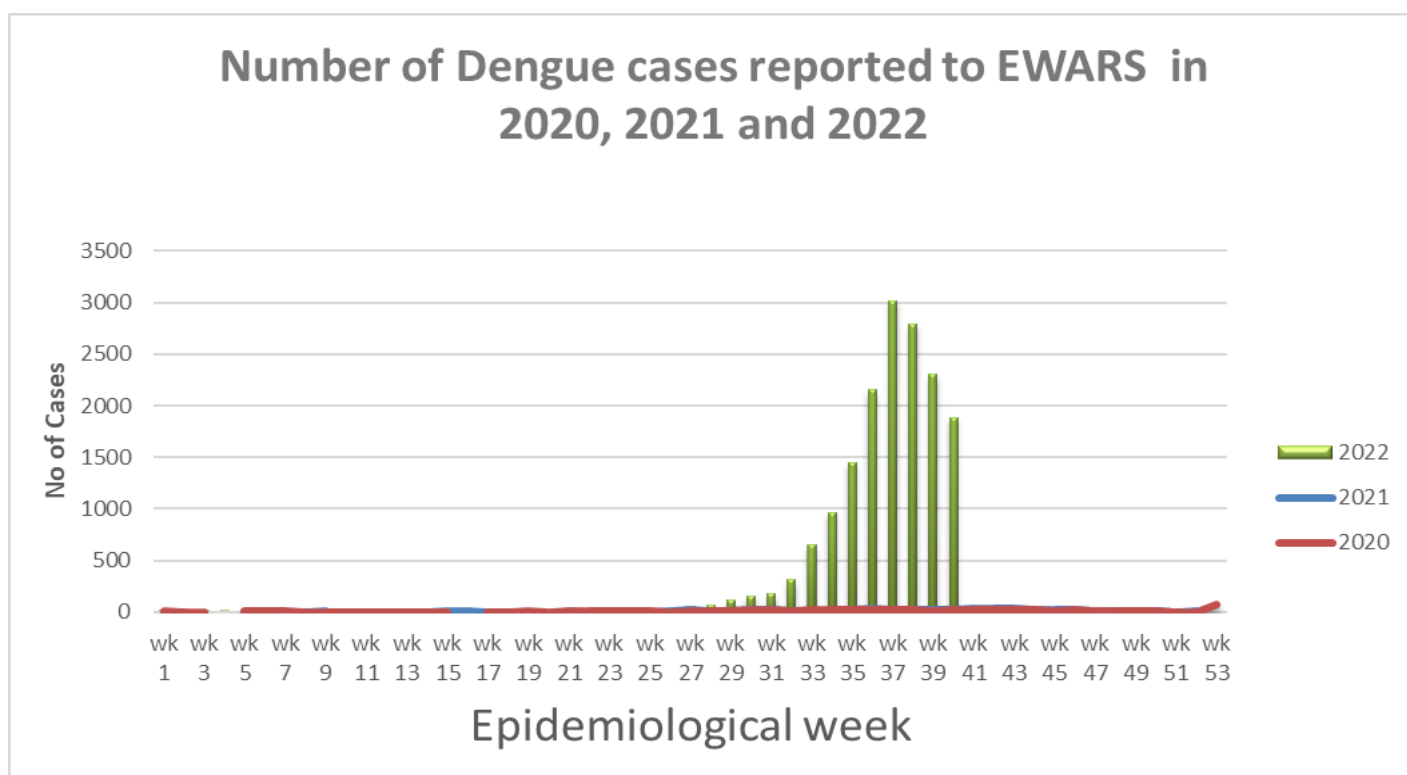
- Three cases of kala-azar were reported this week: one each case from Panchthar, Bardiya, and Morang district.
- Four cases of kala-azar were reported this week in 2021.

5. Cholera

- Zero case of Cholera was reported this week.
- Zero case of Cholera was reported this week in 2021.

6. Dengue

- 1882 cases of dengue were reported this week. Most of these cases were reported from Kathmandu (709 case), Dhading (170 case), Lalitpur (107 case), Udayapur (76 case), Bara (57 case), Tanahu, and Parbat (40 case from each district), Sindhupalchok (38 case), Dang (34 case), Parsa, and Dhankuta (30 case from each district), Ramechhap (29 case), Rupandehi (28 case), Bardiya, Sankhuwasabha (26 case from each district), Ilam (25 case), Bhojpur, Surkhet, and Syangja (22 case from each district), Makwanpur (20 case), Bhaktapur (19 case), Kaski (15 case), Gulmi (14 case), Kapilbastu, Panchthar, and Nawalparasi East (13 case from each district), Kanchanpur (12 case), Baglung, Rukum West, Banke, Kailali, and Sindhuli (11 case from each district), Achham, Terhathum, and Chitawan (9 case from each district), Baitadi, Palpa, Jhapa, Sunsari, Nawalparasi West, Myagdi, and Gorkha (8 case from each district), Darchula, Lamjung, and Sarlahi (7 case from each district), Arghakhanchi, Solukhumbhu, Okhaldhunga, and Morang (6 case from each district).
- 20 cases of dengue were reported this week in 2021.



Other diseases

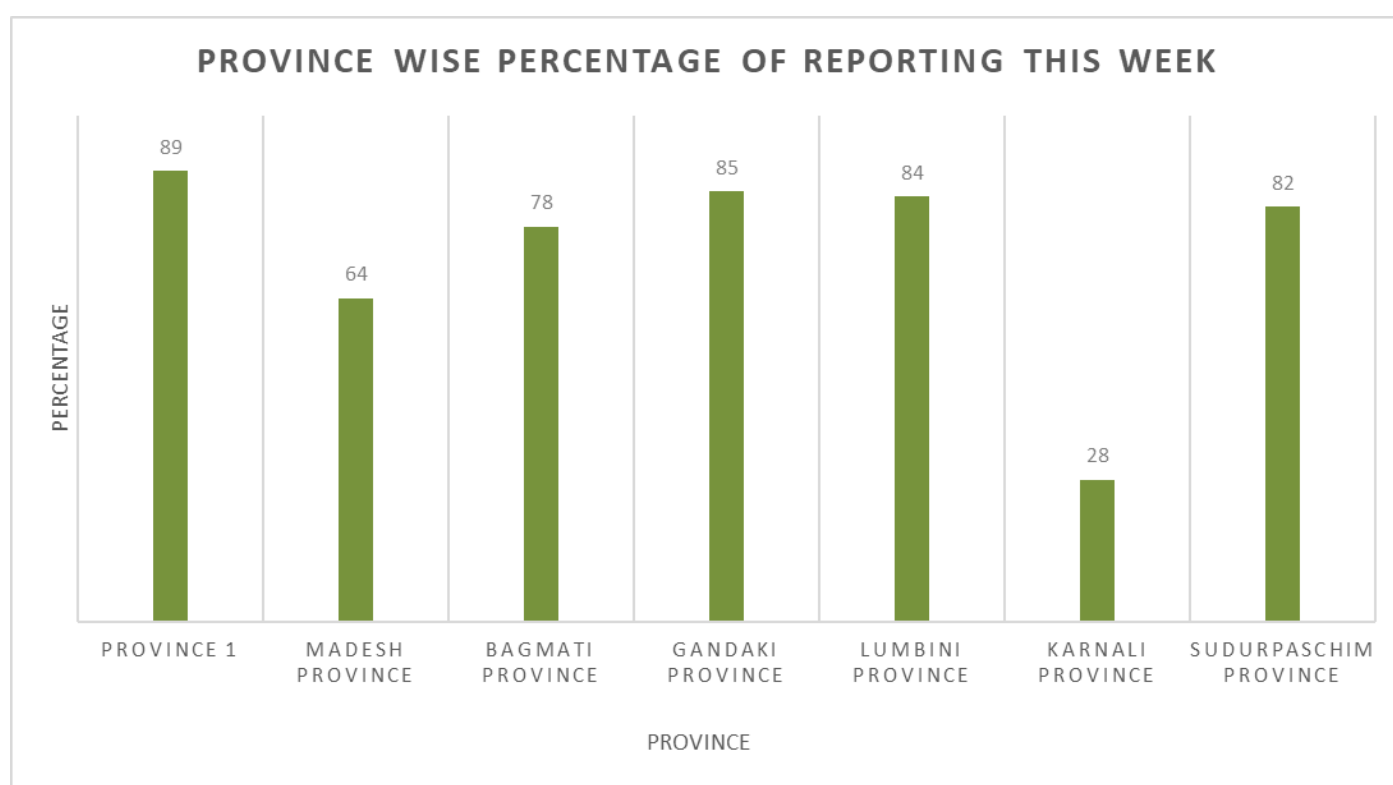
Scrub typhus

- 116 cases of scrub typhus were reported this week. Most of the cases were reported from Achham (17 case), Darchula (11 case), Kailali (9 case), Baitadi, and Sankhuwasabha (8 case from each district), Nawalparasi West (7 case), Dang, Rupandehi, and Gulmi (5 case from each district).
- 64 case of scrub typhus were reported this week in 2021.

Table: Comparison with previous week by diseases, 2022

Disease	Week 40	Week 39
AGE	164	160
SARI	143	252
Malaria	0	1
Kala-azar	3	5
Dengue	1882	2302
Cholera	0	1

Province wise reporting status:



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