

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

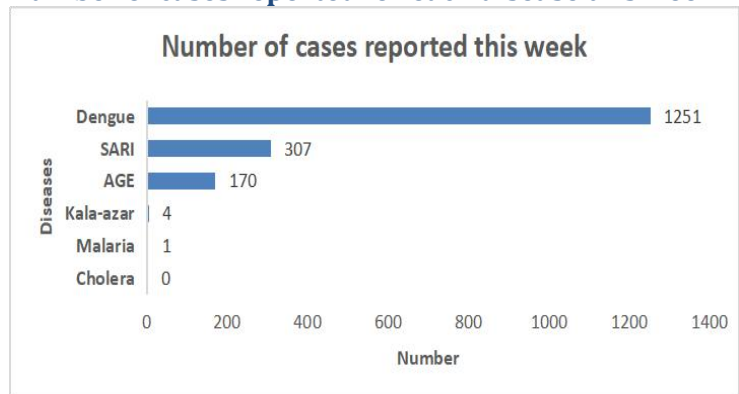
42th Epidemiological Week, 2023

Sunday, 29th October, 2023

Highlights

- 1003440 cases of Corona Virus disease (COVID-19) have been confirmed in Nepal, of which 991350 cases have been recovered so far.
- Of the reported cases, Dengue is the leading cause of morbidity in week 42.

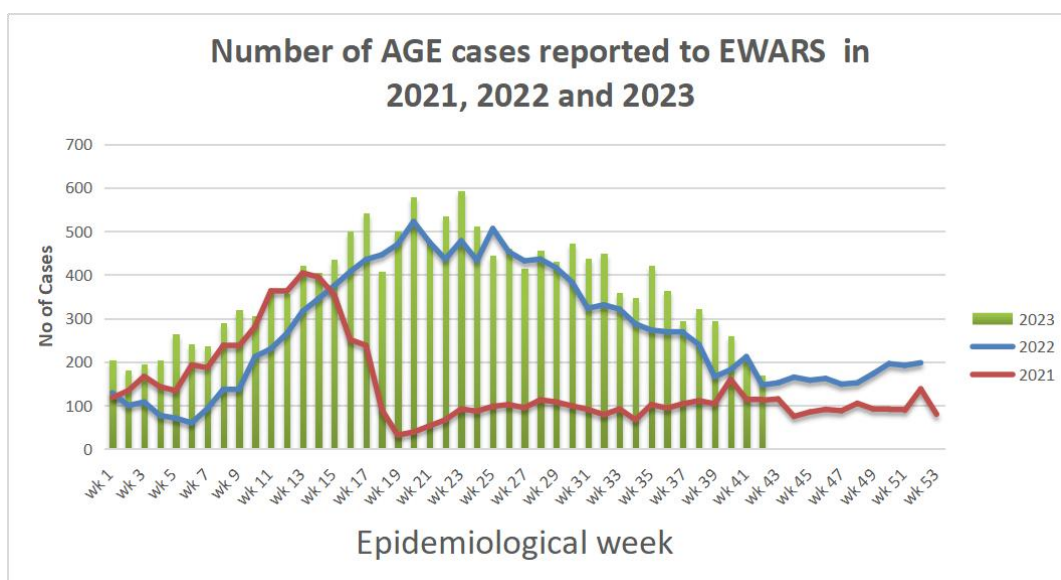
Number of cases reported for each disease this week



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 was gradually oriented and started reporting, thus increasing the number of reporting sites. The current number of sentinel sites is 118.

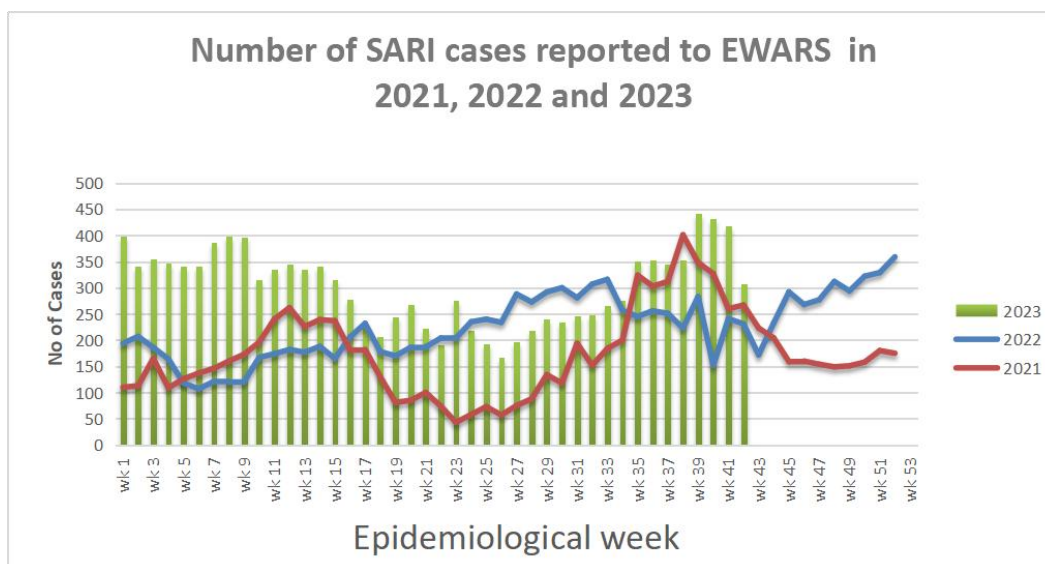
1. Acute Gastro-Enteritis (AGE)

- 170 cases of AGE were reported this week. Most of these cases were reported from Illam (23 case), Parsa (14 case), Bajura and Kathamndu (10 case from each district), Rautahat (9 case) and Bara and Sunsari (8 case from each district).
- 151 cases of AGE were reported this week in 2022.



2. Severe Acute Respiratory Infection (SARI)

- 307 cases of SARI were reported this week. Most of these cases were reported from Morang (34 case), Rupandehi (26 case), Kaski (17 case), Kapilbastu (14 case), Salyan and Saptari (12 case from each district).
- 246 cases of SARI were reported this week in 2022.



3. Malaria

- One case of Malaria Vivax was reported this week. The case was from Pyuthan.
- Four cases of Malaria were reported this week in 2022.

4. Kala-azar

- Four cases of Kala-azar were reported this week. They were from Kanchanpur, Palpa, Pyuthan and Nawalparasi East.
- Four cases of Kala-azar were reported this week in 2022.

5. Cholera

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

6. Dengue

- ◆ 1251 cases of Dengue were reported this week. Most of these cases were reported from Tanahun (259 case), Kathmandu (167 case), Kaski (155 case), Bhaktapur (73 case), Lalitpur and Gorkha (60 case from each district).
- 1885 cases of Dengue were reported this week in 2022.

Other diseases

Scrub typhus

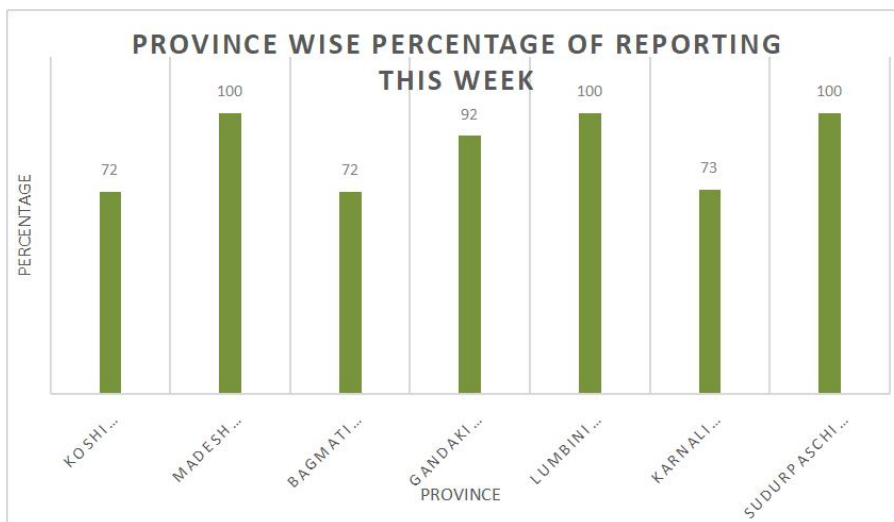
- 129 case of Scrub Typhus were reported this week. Of them, most of the cases were reported from Palpa (20 case), Okhaldhunga and Sankhuwasabha (9 case each district), Myagdi (7 case), Kailali and Chitwan (6 case from each district), Gulmi, Pyuthan and Syangja (5 case from each district).
- 119 cases of Scrub Typhus were reported this week in 2022.

SHAPU: 7 cases of SHAPU were reported this week. Of them, Kathmandu (2 case), and single case of SHAPU were reported from five districts including Nuwakot, Rolpa and Pyuthan.

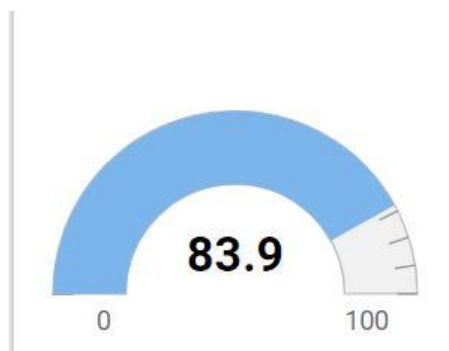
Table: Comparison with previous week by diseases, 2023

Diseases	Week 42	Week 41
AGE	170	213
SARI	307	419
Malaria	1	1
Kala-azar	4	4
Dengue	1251	1653
Cholera	0	0

Province wise reporting status:



National Reporting Status (%):



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