

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

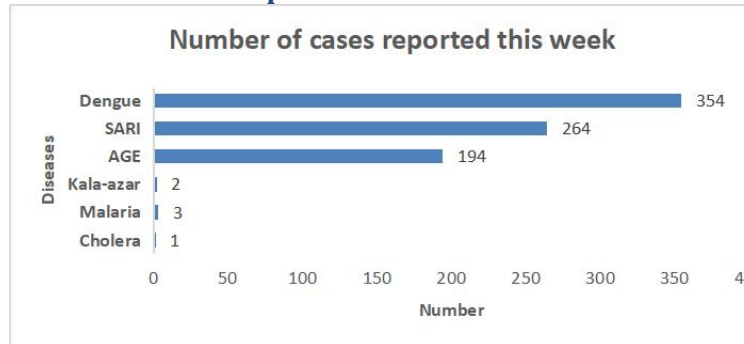
47th Epidemiological Week, 2023

Sunday, 3rd December, 2023

Highlights

- 1003442 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 47.

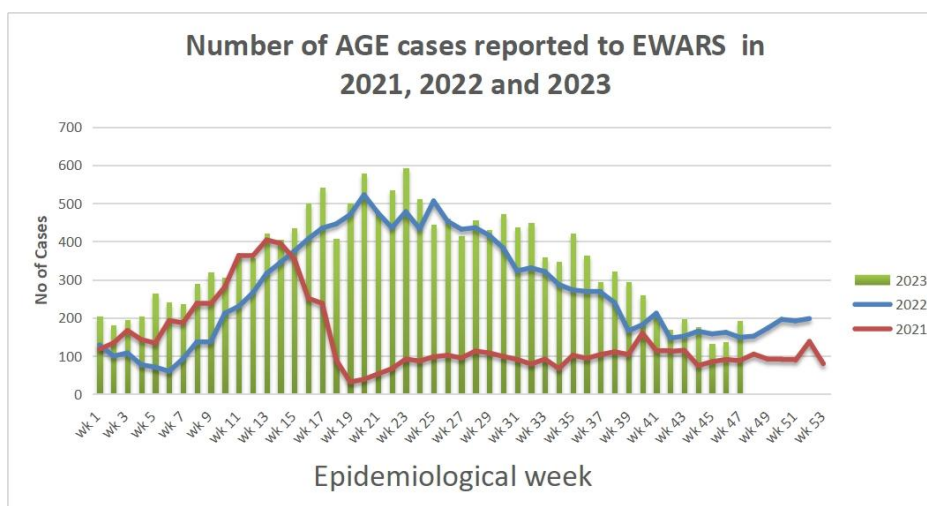
Number of cases reported for each disease this week



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.

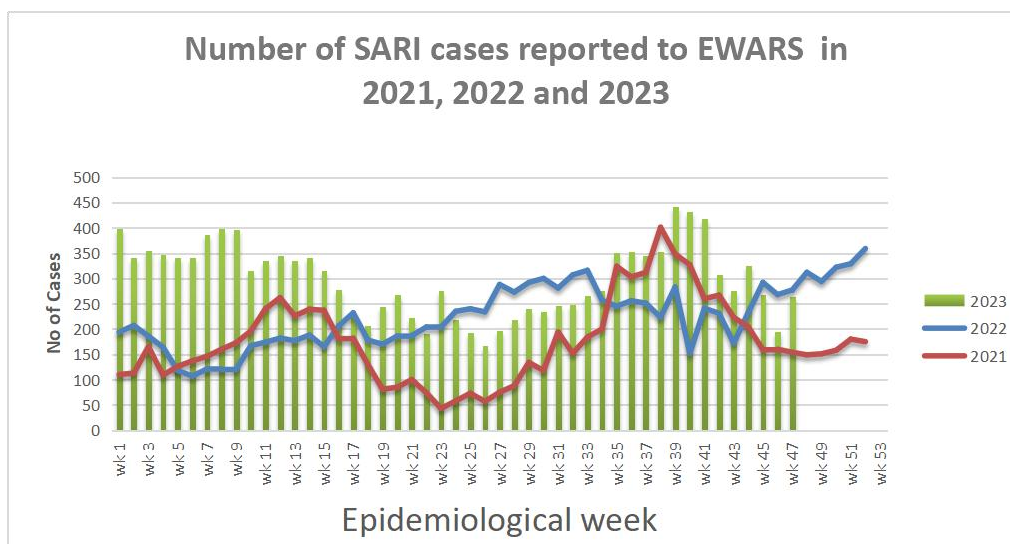
1. Acute Gastro-Enteritis (AGE)

- 194 cases of AGE were reported this week. Most of these cases were reported from Parsa (22 case), Rukum West and Kathmandu (12 case from each district), Bara (11 case), Makawanpur (9 case), Mahottari and Illam (7 case from each district).
- 151 cases of AGE were reported this week in 2022.



2. Severe Acute Respiratory Infection (SARI)

- 264 cases of SARI were reported this week. Most of these cases were reported from Morang (32 case), , Rupandehi (20 case), Sunsari (19 case), Kathmandu and Parsa (15 case from each district), Kapilbastu (13 case).
- 279 cases of SARI were reported this week in 2022.



3. Malaria

- Three cases of Malaria were reported this week. Of them, two cases of malaria falciparum were reported from Kailali and Surkhet and one case of malaria vivax was from Pyuthan.
- One case of Malaria were reported this week in 2022.

4. Kala-azar

- Two cases of Kala-azar were reported this week. They were from Kailali and Baitadi.
- Six cases of Kala-azar were reported this week in 2022.

5. Cholera

- One case of Cholera was reported this week. The cholera case was from Palpa.
- Zero case of Cholera was reported this week in 2022.

6. Dengue

- ◆ 354 cases of Dengue were reported this week. Most of these cases were reported from Kaski (49 case), Kathmandu (37 case), Tanahun (31 case), Kavre (26 case) and Jhapa (17 case).
- 310 cases of Dengue were reported this week in 2022.

Other diseases

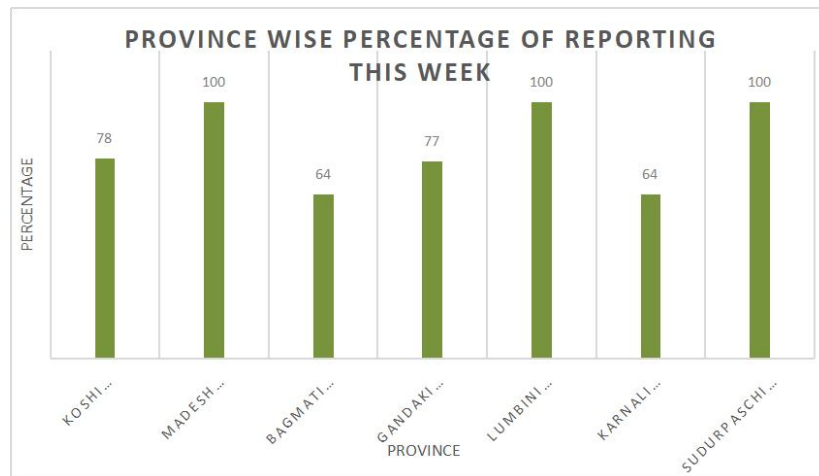
Scrub typhus

- 78 case of Scrub Typhus were reported this week. Of them, most of the cases were reported from Banke (12 case), Tanahu and Sankhuwasabha (6 case from each district), Kanchanpur and Okhaldhunga (5 case from each district), Kailali and Lamjung (4 case from each district) .
- 76 cases of Scrub Typhus were reported this week in 2022.

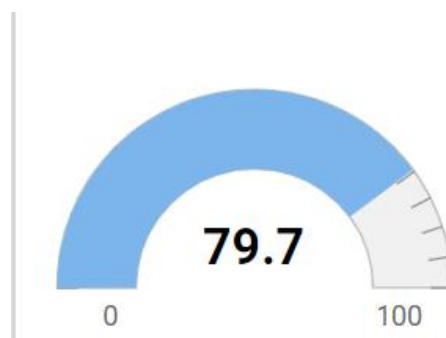
Table: Comparison with previous week by diseases, 2023

Diseases	Week 47	Week 46
AGE	194	149
SARI	264	212
Malaria	3	0
Kala-azar	2	4
Dengue	354	380
Cholera	1	0

Province wise reporting status:



National Reporting Status (%):



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