

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

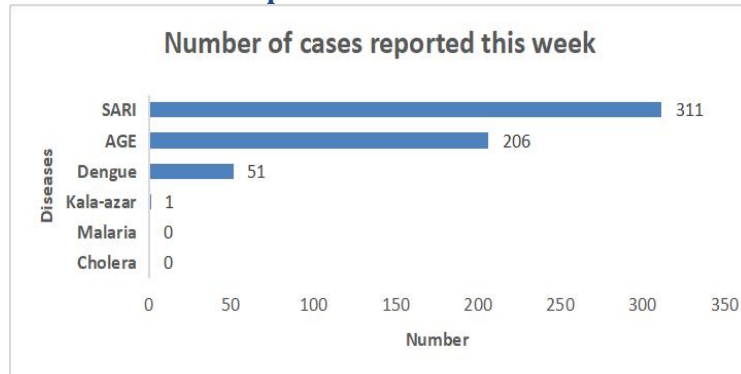
52th Epidemiological Week, 2024

Sunday, 7th January 5, 2024

Highlights

- 1003449 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, SARI is the leading cause of morbidity in week 52.

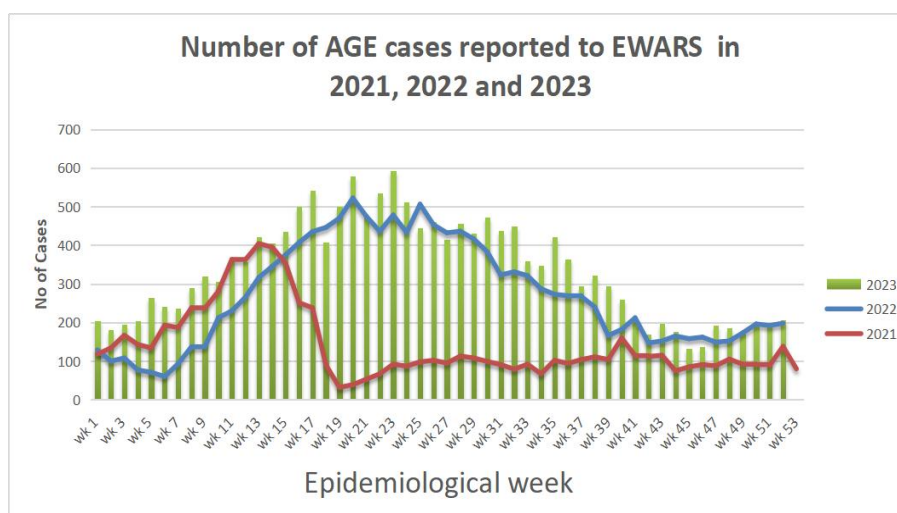
Number of cases reported for each disease this week



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.

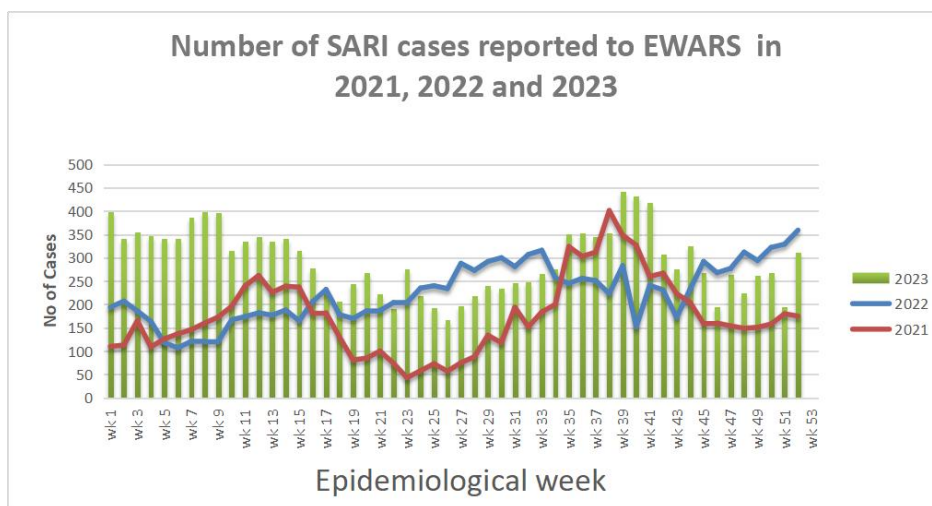
1. Acute Gastro-Enteritis (AGE)

- 206 cases of AGE were reported this week. Most of these cases were reported from Kathmandu (20 case), Parsa (15 case), Sunsari and Illam (10 case from each district), Kapilbastu and Bara (9 case from each district) and Lalitpur (8 case).
- 210 cases of AGE were reported this week in 2022.



2. Severe Acute Respiratory Infection (SARI)

- 311 cases of SARI were reported this week. Most of these cases were reported from Morang (28 case), Sunsari (22 case) and Kaski (21 case), Rupandehi (18 case), Parsa and Bara (16 case from each district).
- 368 cases of SARI were reported this week in 2022.



3. Malaria

- Zero case of Malaria was reported this week.
- Three cases of Malaria were reported this week in 2022.

4. Kala-azar

- One case of Kala-azar was reported this week.
- Three cases of Kala-azar were reported this week in 2022.

5. Cholera

- No case of Cholera was reported this week.
- No case of Cholera was reported this week in 2022.

6. Dengue

- ◆ 51 cases of Dengue were reported this week. Most of these cases were reported from Chitawan (8 case), Kathmandu (5 case), Dang and Jhapa (3 case from each district), 11 districts were reported two cases each including Kailali and Kanchanpur.
- 72 cases of Dengue were reported this week in 2022.

Other diseases

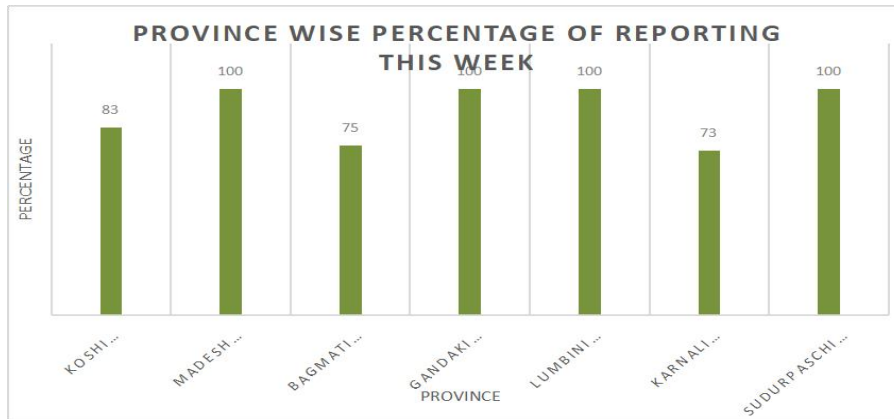
Scrub typhus

- 32 case of Scrub Typhus were reported this week. Of them, most of the cases were reported from Syanja (5 case), Kailali (3 case), and five districts were reported with 2 cases each including Lamjung and Kaski.
- 24 cases of Scrub Typhus were reported this week in 2022.

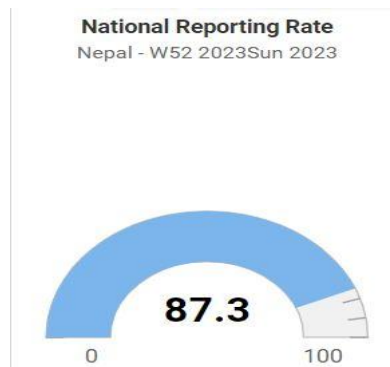
Table: Comparison with previous week by diseases, 2023

Diseases	Week 52	Week 51
AGE	206	201
SARI	311	270
Malaria	0	2
Kala-azar	1	2
Dengue	51	109
Cholera	0	0

Province wise reporting status:



National Reporting Status (%):



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