

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

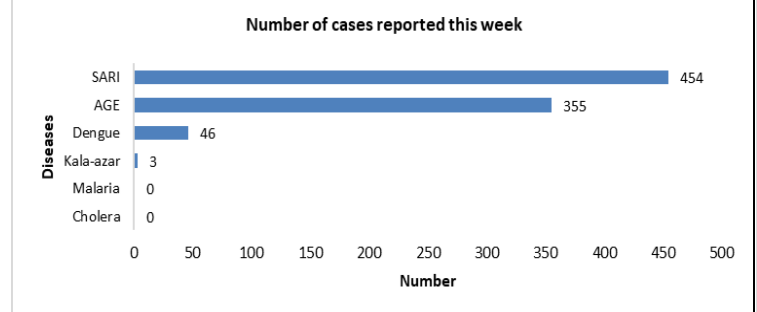
11th Epidemiological Week, 2024

Sunday, 24th March , 2024

Highlights

- 1003528 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 11.

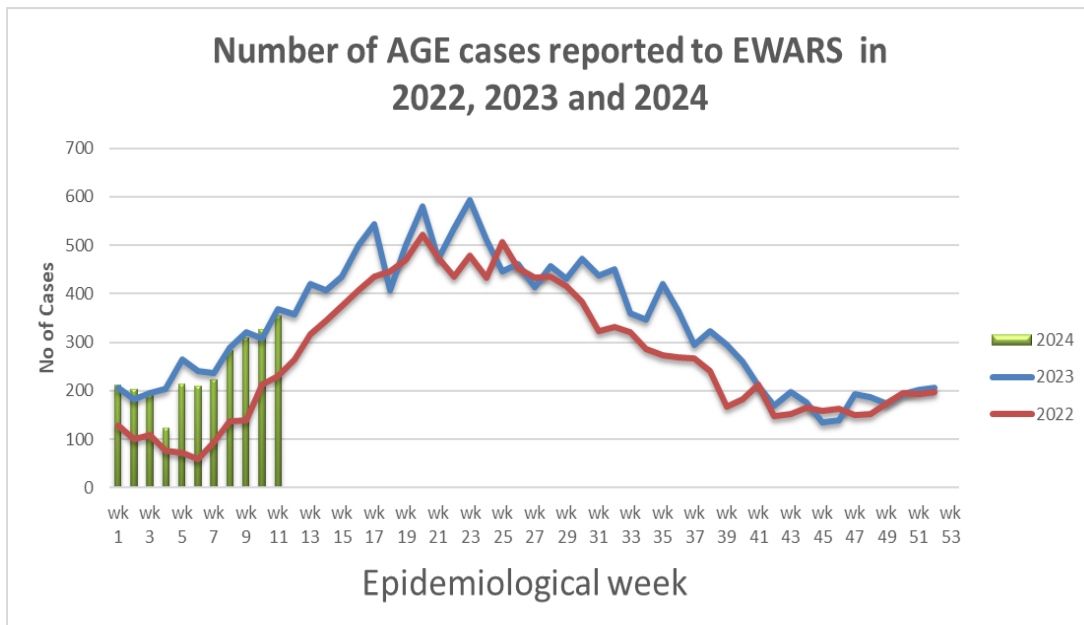
Number of cases reported for each disease this week



Note: This bulletin includes data since January 2022 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)

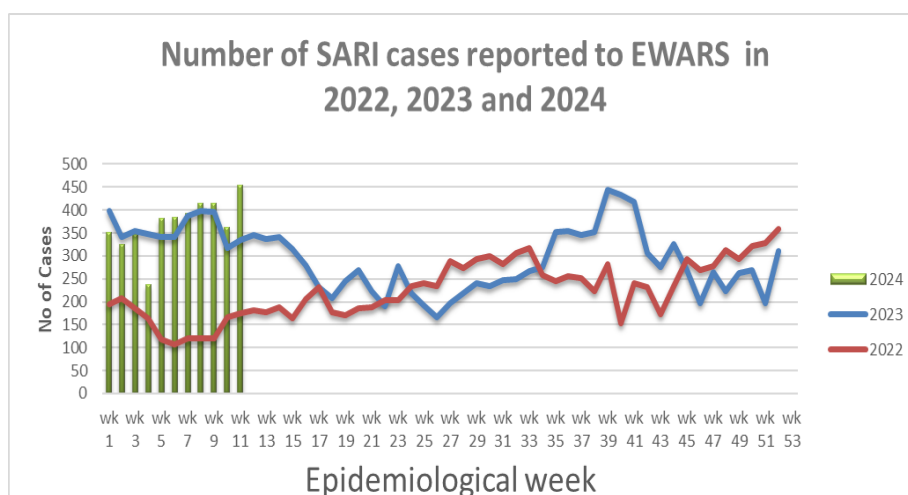
- 355 cases of AGE were reported this week. Most of these cases were reported from Parsa (33 case), Kathmandu(19 case), Bhaktapur and Kailali(16 case from each district), Morang and Saptari (15 case from each district), Sunsari and Bara (14 case from each district).
- 392 cases of AGE were reported this week in 2023.



2. Severe Acute Respiratory Infection (SARI)

- 454 cases of SARI were reported this week. Most of these cases were reported from Morang (36 case), Kailali (31 case), Rupandehi and Kathmandu (29 case from each district), Kapilvastu (19 case), Lalitpur and Bhaktapur (16 case from each district).

- ◆ 367 cases of SARI were reported this week in 2023.



3. Malaria

- Zero case of Malaria were reported this week.
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4. Kala-azar

- Three cases of Kala-azar were reported this week from Palpa, Kalikot and Kapilvastu.
- Two cases of Kala-azar were reported this week in 2023.

5. Cholera

- Zero case of Cholera was reported this week.
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6. Dengue

- 46 cases of dengue were reported this week. Of them, most of the cases were reported from Sindhupalchwok (7 case), Rupandehi and Jhapa (4 case from each district), Palpa, Rukum West and Achham (3 case from each district), six districts with two case each including Doti and Chitwan.
- 42 cases of Dengue were reported this week in 2023.

Other diseases

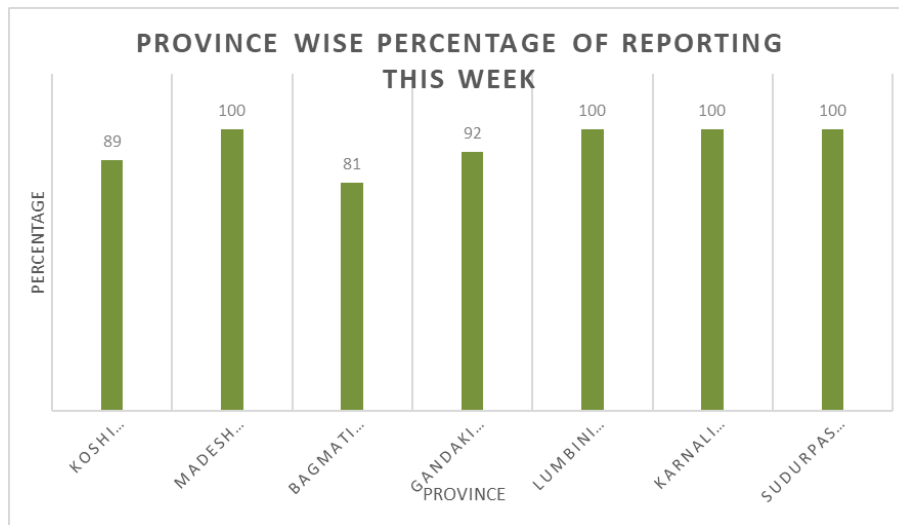
Scrub typhus

- 54 cases of Scrub Typhus were reported this week. Of them, most of the cases were reported from Dadeldhura (18 case), Bardia (8 case), Rolpa and Lamjung (3 case from each district), six districts with two case each including Kailali and Kanchanpur.
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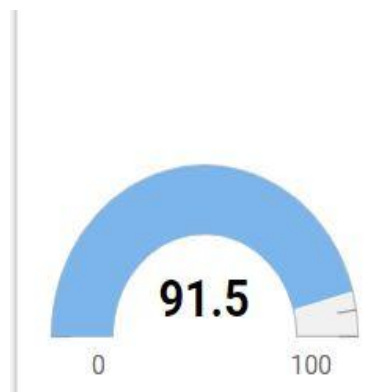
Table: Comparison with previous week by diseases, 2024.

Diseases	Week 11	Week 10
AGE	355	340
SARI	454	388
Malaria	0	5
Kala-azar	3	8
Dengue	46	24
Cholera	0	0

Province wise reporting status:



National Reporting Status (%):



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