

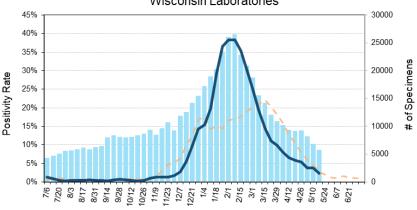
Laboratory Surveillance Report

** For a selection of pathogens, participating Wisconsin clinical laboratories voluntarily report to WSLH on a weekly basis the total number of tests performed, and the number of those tests with positive results.

To Enhance Surveillance Activities, Please Send:

- **All Testing Sites:**
 - Three influenza-related hospitalizations per week
 - **ALL** Influenza A positive specimens:
 - From patients admitted to the ICU
 - With swine, bovine or poultry exposure
 - With international travel history
 - That fail to subtype as H1 or H3 (Ct <35)
 - Up to 5 SARS-CoV-2 positive specimens per week
 - All Enterovirus positive CSF specimens

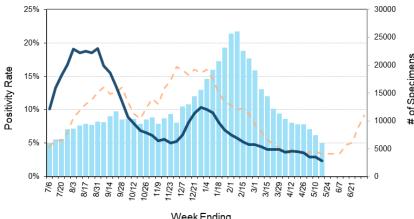
Number Tested and Positivity Rate for Influenza by PCR at Wisconsin Laboratories





Influenza Tested - 2024-25 - - % Positive for Influenza - 2023-24 % Positive for influenza - 2024-25

Number Tested and Positivity Rate for SARS-CoV-2 by PCR at Wisconsin Laboratories



– % Positive for SARS-CoV-2 - 2023-24

% Positive for SARS-CoV-2 - 2024-25

SARS-CoV-2 Tested - 2024-25

Respiratory Snapshot:

- Influenza activity is decreasing in Wisconsin (2.4%) and nationally (3.6%)
 - Influenza B is the dominant strain circulating (72.3%)
- Rhinovirus/Enterovirus (11.4%) and parainfluenza (11.1%) activities are high in Wisconsin

Enteric Snapshot:

Norovirus activity is decreasing (6.0%)

Other:

 Group A Streptococcus activity in Wisconsin is high (17.9%).

* 33rd Annual

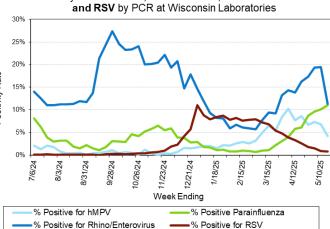


Wisconsin Virology Conference

Wednesday, June 11, 2025

Registration Open!

Positivity Rate of hMPV, Parainfluenza, Rhino/Enterovirus and RSV by PCR at Wisconsin Laboratories





Laboratory Surveillance Report

Enteric Pathogens

Week Ending 5/17/25

	# Tested	% Positive
Norovirus***	483	6.0%
Rotavirus	479	4.0%
Astrovirus	432	3.9%
Salmonella	558	2.7%
Campylobacter	563	2.1%
STEC	558	0.9%
Sapovirus	432	0.9%
Shigella/EIEC	558	0.7%
Cryptosporidium	535	0.7%
Yersinia enterocolitica	520	0.6%
Adenovirus 40/41	432	0.5%
Vibrio	501	0.2%
Cyclospora	451	0.2%
Entamoeba histolytica	512	0.2%
Giardia	535	0.2%
Aeromonas	43	0.0%
E. coli 0157	144	0.0%
Plesiomonas shigelloides	475	0.0%

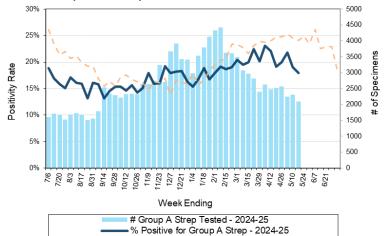
^{***}BioMerieux has announced an increased risk of false positive norovirus results with the BioFire FilmArray GI panel, which may increase the statewide norovirus percent positivity **

Respiratory Pathogens

Week Ending 5/17/25

	# Tested	% Positive
Rhinovirus/Enterovirus	1732	11.4%
Parainfluenza	930	11.1%
Human metapneumovirus	952	4.2%
Influenza	5774	2.4%
SARS-CoV-2	6004	2.4%
Seasonal coronaviruses	860	2.1%
Adenovirus	954	1.5%
RSV	4661	0.8%
Bordetella pertussis	618	0.0%

Number Tested and Positivity Rate for **Group A Streptococcus** by PCR at Wisconsin Laboratories



Additional Information

% Positive for Group A Strep - 2023-24

- Additional Information on avian influenza testing and influenza surveillance at WSLH:
- https://www.slh.wisc.edu/clinical/diseases/h5n1-highly-pathogenic-avian-influenza-update/
- Additional information on respiratory pathogens can be found on the DHS website:

https://www.dhs.wisconsin.gov/disease/respiratory.htm

- Activity graphs for a variety of respiratory pathogens can be found on the DHS Respiratory Illness Dashboard: https://www.dhs.wisconsin.gov/disease/laboratory-based-data.htm
- Activity graphs for a variety of gastrointestinal pathogens can be found on the WSLH website:

http://www.slh.wisc.edu/wcln-surveillance/surveillance/gastropathogen-surveillance/

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