UR Medicine Virology Laboratory Seasonal Respiratory Virus Report

Week ending 06 May 2017

Report highlights: For the week ending May 6, 2017, 233 respiratory samples were submitted for testing. It appears our local influenza season has diminished to only 2 new cases of influenza A and influenza B. There were no reports of RSV. Rhinovirus/enterovirus was the major respiratory virus to appear in this week's report with 23 new cases. Metapneumovirus was the only other respiratory virus to appear with 7 new cases.

Results from the UR Medicine Virology lab for the previous 8 weeks are shown graphically as described below. The graphs display several components of testing, including changes in positive test results and testing volume with time, and positive test results divided into relevant age groups. The example below describes the different features of the graphs. Graphs will only be shown in the report when there is recent activity (2 or more cases in the current week, or >5 cases in a given week in the reporting period, an exception being made for influenza and respiratory syncytial virus (RSV) which will be graphed when any are detected). Adenovirus reporting includes only respiratory sources.





