Middlesex-London Respiratory Surveillance Report

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Respiratory Transmission Risk Assessment

Middlesex-London region is in a High Risk Period for Respiratory Illness

Indicator	Activity Level
1. New outbreaks (COVID-19, influenza and RSV) in health care facilities	High
2. New hospitalizations (COVID-19, influenza and RSV)	High
3a. Percent test positivity for COVID-19	Low
3b. Percent test positivity for influenza	High
4. Emergency department visits due to influenza-like illness syndrome	High

Note: Please refer to the *Technical notes* for the definition of activity level of each indicator.

COVID-19 Summary				
	Week 06 (Feb 02 - Feb 08, 2025)	Season to date (Aug 25, 2024 - Feb 08, 2025)	Trend (compared to previous week)	
	Deaths	Deaths		
<u>Local</u> metrics	3	41		
	New outbreaks	Outbreaks		
	1	98		
	Percent positivity	Percent positivity		
	6.2%	16.6%		
Provincial metrics	Week 05 (Jan 26 - Feb 01, 2025)			
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Provincial weekly indicator change: Lower

Influenza Summary

Local metrics	Week 06 (Feb 02 - Feb 08, 2025)	Season to date (Aug 25, 2024 - Feb 08, 2025)	Trend (compared to previous week)
	Cases	Cases	
	158	682	
	Deaths	Deaths	
	1	8	
	New outbreaks	Outbreaks	
	3	11	
	Percent positivity	Percent positivity	
	25.1%	7.9%	
	Week 05 (Jan 26 - Feb 01, 2025)		
<u>Provincial</u> metrics	Provincial weekly indicator change: Higher		

Weekly ED visits due to influenza-like illness (ILI) syndrome in Middlesex-London ▶Number of ED visits - - - 4-week moving average - - - 4-week moving average+2 standard deviations 400 Number of ED visits 300 200

Week start Date

Emergency Department Visits

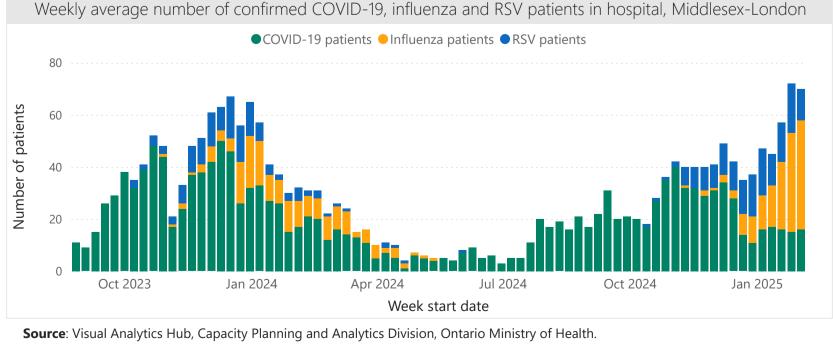
other and unknown origin), J10 (Influenza due to identified seasonal influenza virus) and J11 (Influenza, virus not identified).

Source: Acute Care Enhanced Surveillance (ACES), KFL&A Public Health.

Note: Influenza-like illness (ILI) syndrome includes fever, myalgia, undifferentiated flu according to ICD-10 codes of R50 (Fever of



Hospital Bed Occupancy



Provincial and national reports:

The latest Ontario Respiratory Virus Tool, issued by PHO, is available at: Ontario Respiratory Virus Tool. The latest Flu Watch report, issued by the Public Health Agency of Canada (PHAC), is available at: Weekly influenza reports. Emergency department visits due to respiratory syndrome, is available at: Viral Respiratory Mapper.

