

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

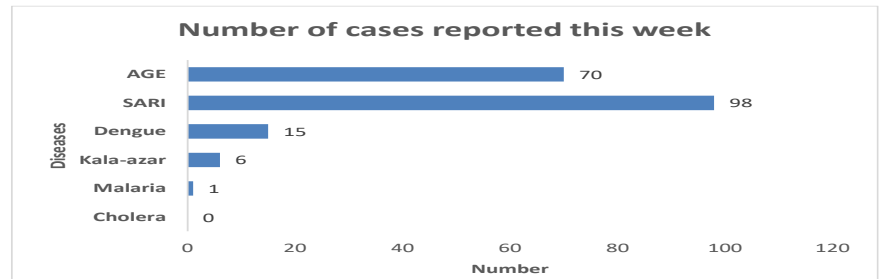
30th Epidemiological Week

8st August, 2021

Highlights

- 714877 Cases of Coronavirus disease (COVID-19) have been confirmed in Nepal, of which 669299 cases have been recovered so far.
- Of the reported cases, Sever Acute Respiratory Infection (SARI) is the leading cause of morbidity in week 30.

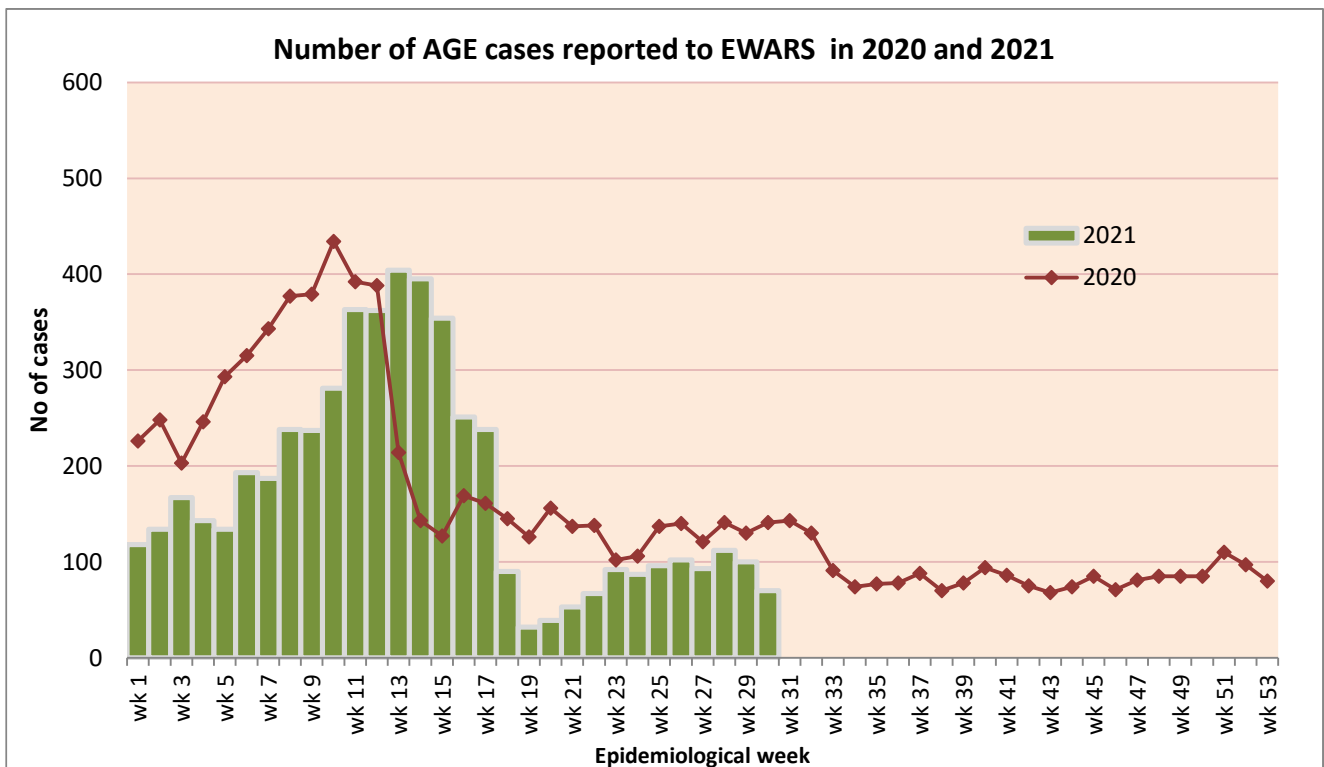
Number of cases reported for each disease this week



Note: This bulletin includes data since January 2021 till date, including comparison of the same period last year. Since, May 2019, 36 new sentinel sites (including public hospitals, private hospitals, and medical colleges) were added and were gradually oriented and started reporting, thus increasing the number of reporting sites. The current number of sentinel sites is 118.

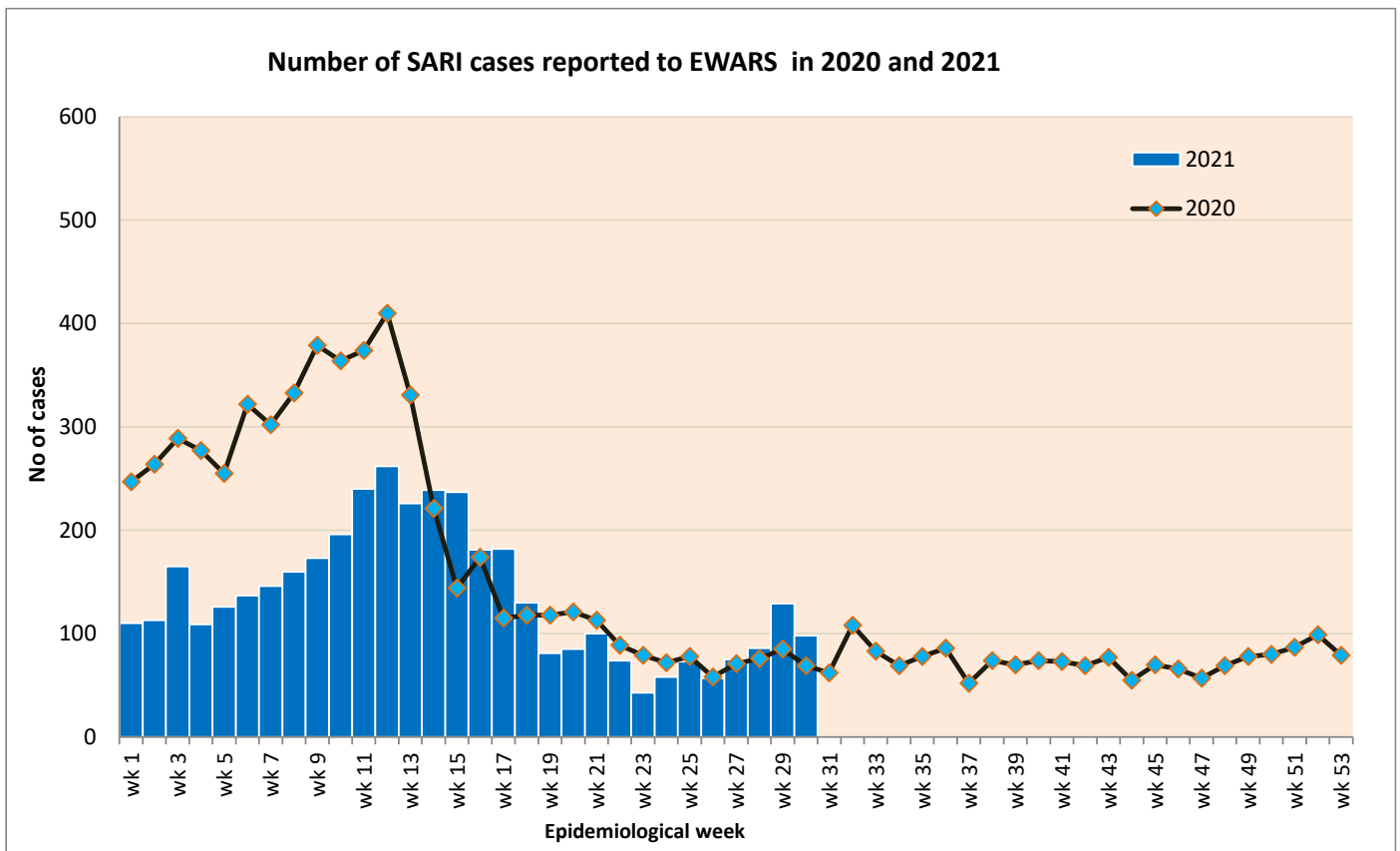
1. Acute Gastro-Enteritis (AGE) and Cholera

- 70 cases of AGE are reported this week. Majority of these cases are from Bajura (9 cases), Kapilbastu (6 Cases), Lamjung and Pyuthan (4 Cases from each districts).
- 141 cases of AGE were reported this week in 2020.



2. Severe Acute Respiratory Infection (SARI)

- 98 cases of SARI are reported this week. Majority of these cases are from Jhapa (18 cases), Kathmandu (9 cases), Dhankuta and Morang (7 cases from each districts).
- 69 cases of SARI were reported this week in 2020.



3. Malaria

- One case of malaria was reported this week and which was reported from Kailali district.
- Six case of malaria were reported this week in 2020.

4. Dengue

- 15 case of dengue was reported this week. The majority of the case were reported from Sankhuwasabha (9 Case), Kailali and Chitawan (2 cases from each districts).
- 16 cases of dengue were reported this week in 2020.

5. Kala-azar

- Six case of kala-azar were reported this week and one each cases were reported from Surkhet, Doti, Bajura, Mahottari, Okhaldhunga and kalikot districts.
- Two cases of kala-azar were reported this week in 2020.

Other diseases

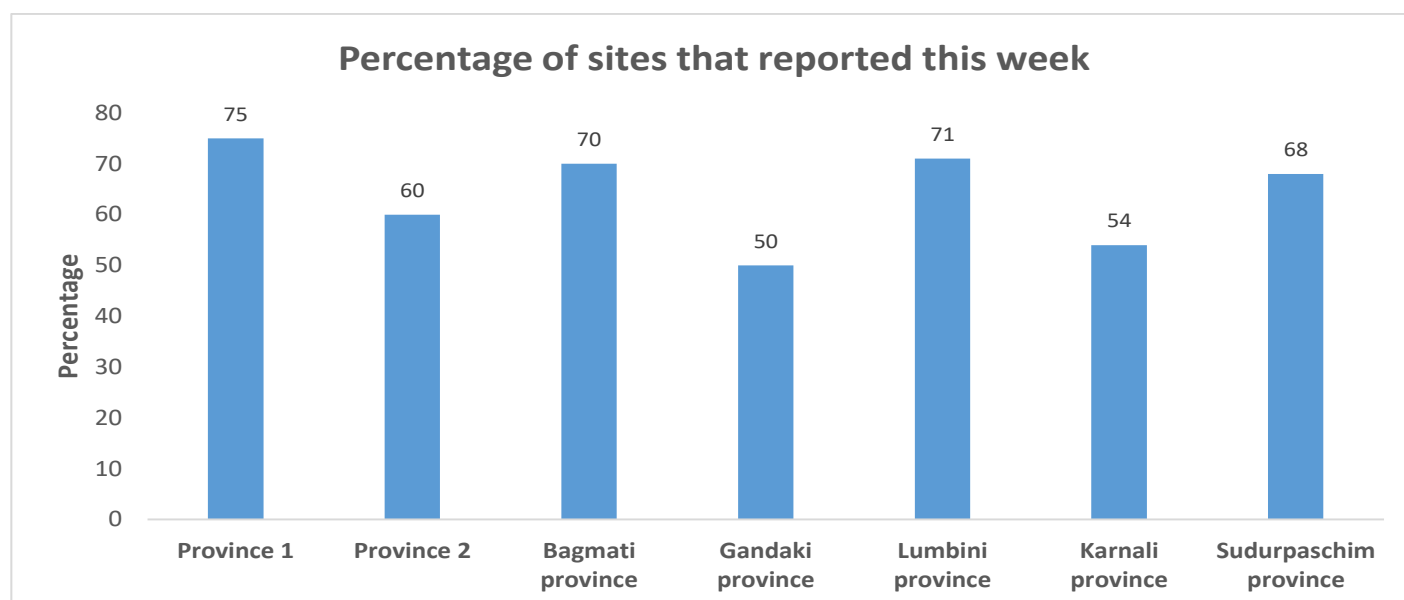
Scrub typhus

- 34 cases of scrub typhus were reported this week. The majority of the cases were reported from Palpa, Gulmi, and Syangja (5 cases from each district), Sankhuwasabha (3 cases).
- 45 cases of scrub typhus were reported this week in 2020.

Table: Comparison with previous week by diseases, 2021

Disease	Week 30	Week 29
AGE	70	100
SARI	98	129
Cholera	0	0
Malaria	1	1
Dengue	15	7
Kala-azar	6	6

Province wise reporting status



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