

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

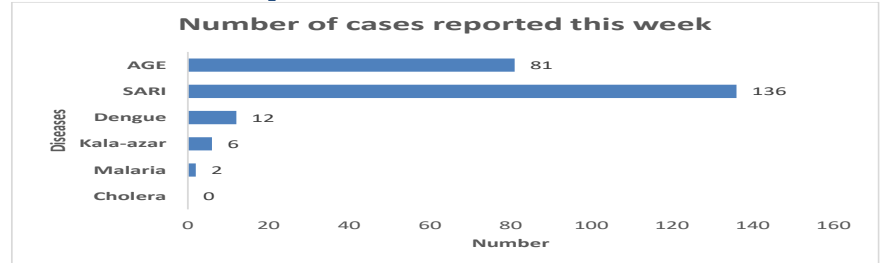
## 31st Epidemiological Week

### 15<sup>th</sup> August, 2021

#### Highlights

- 732272 Cases of Coronavirus disease (COVID-19) have been confirmed in Nepal, of which 682682 cases have been recovered so far.
- Of the reported cases, Sever Acute Respiratory Infection (SARI) is the leading cause of morbidity in week 31.

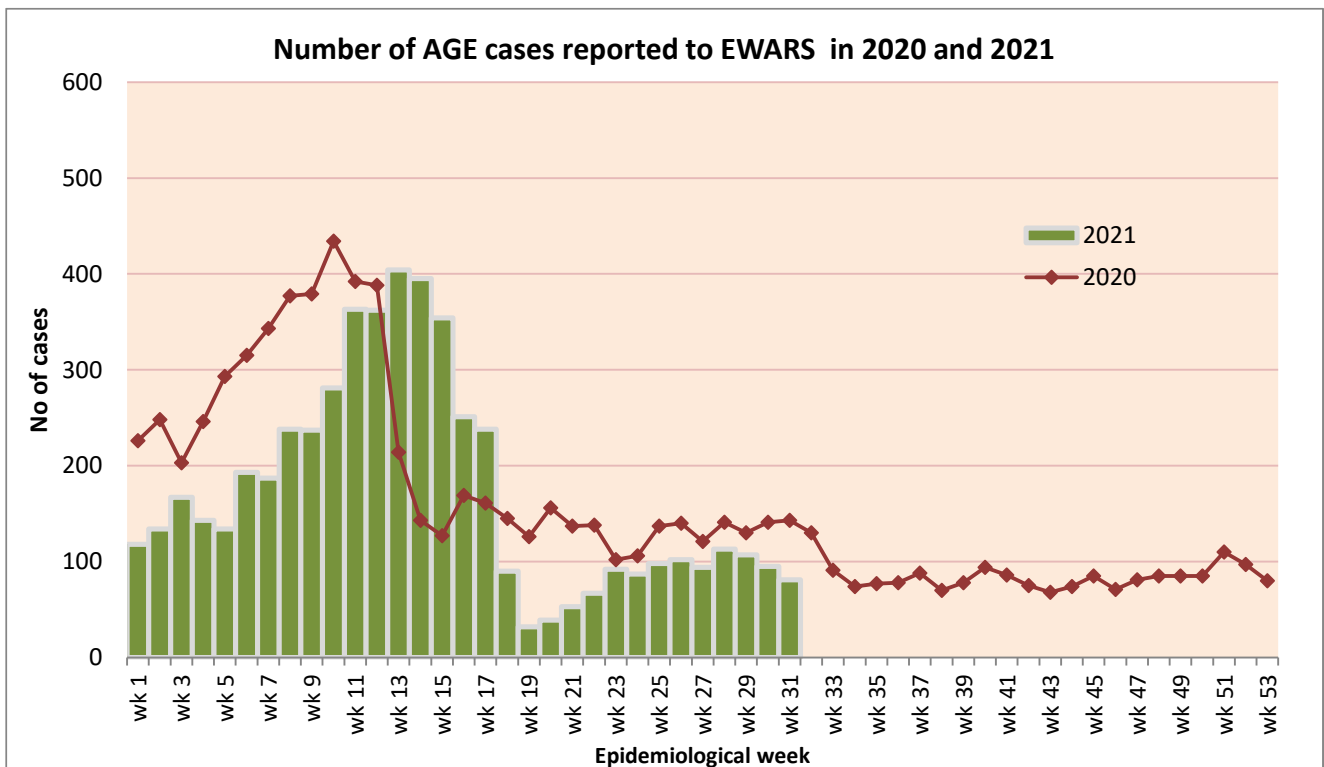
#### Number of cases reported for each disease this week



**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.

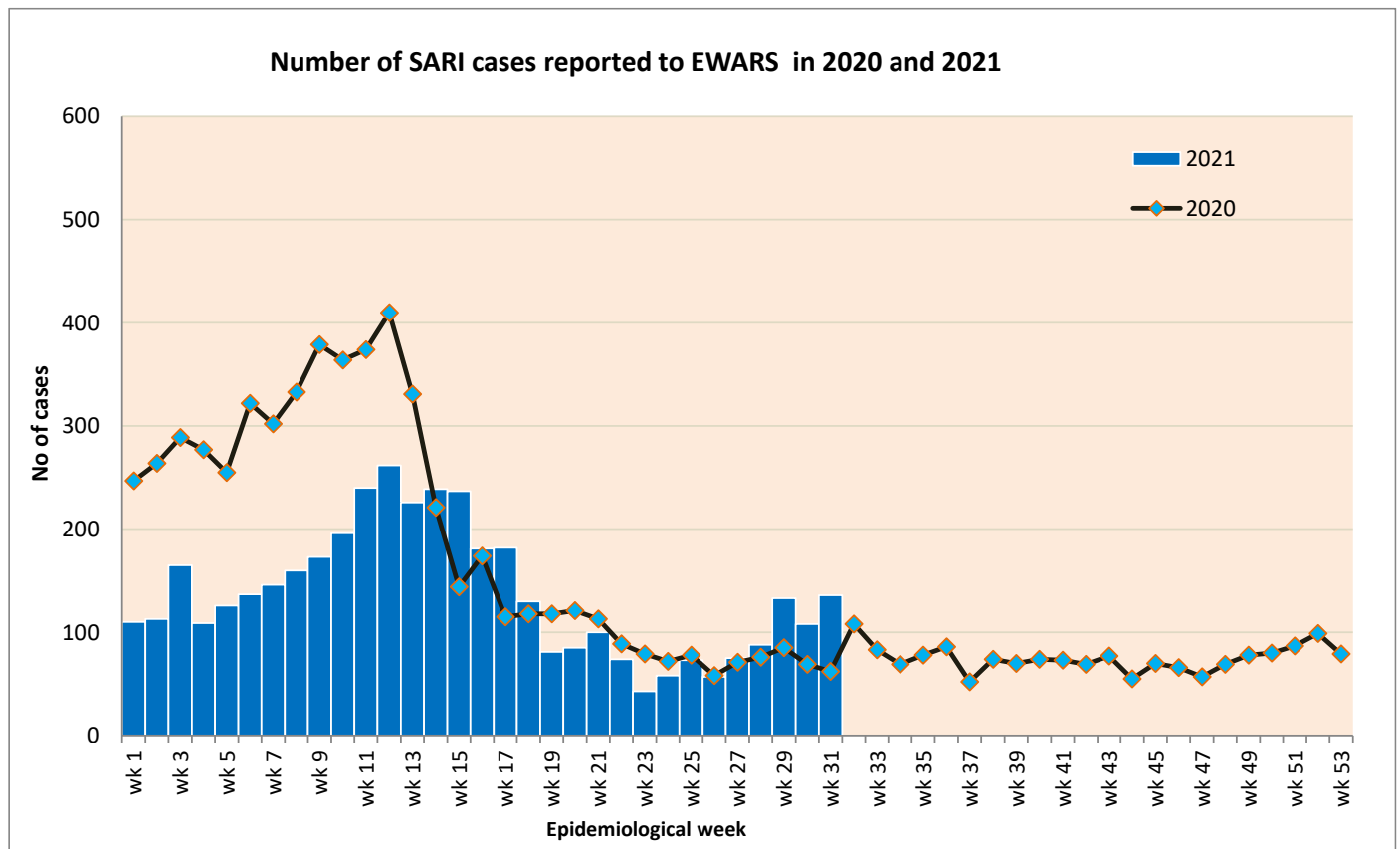
### 1. Acute Gastro-Enteritis (AGE) and Cholera

- 81 cases of AGE are reported this week. Majority of these cases are from Kapilbastu and Lamjung (9 cases from each districts), Bara (6 Cases), Parsa and Achham (5 Cases from each districts).
- 143 cases of AGE were reported this week in 2020.



## 2. Severe Acute Respiratory Infection (SARI)

- 136 cases of SARI are reported this week. Majority of these cases are from Kathmandu (17 cases), Jhapa (13 cases), Udayapur (9 cases), Bajura (8 Cases).
- 63 cases of SARI were reported this week in 2020.



## 3. Malaria

- Two case of malaria were reported this week and one each cases were from Achham and Pyuthan districts.
- Two case of malaria were reported this week in 2020.

## 4. Dengue

- 12 case of dengue was reported this week. The majority of the case were reported from Sankhuwasabha (3 Cases), Udayapur and Dhading (2 cases from each districts).
- 21 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 Kailali and Mahottari (2 Cases from each districts) and one each cases from Baitadi and Palpa district.
- Two cases of kala-azar were reported this week in 2020.

## Other diseases

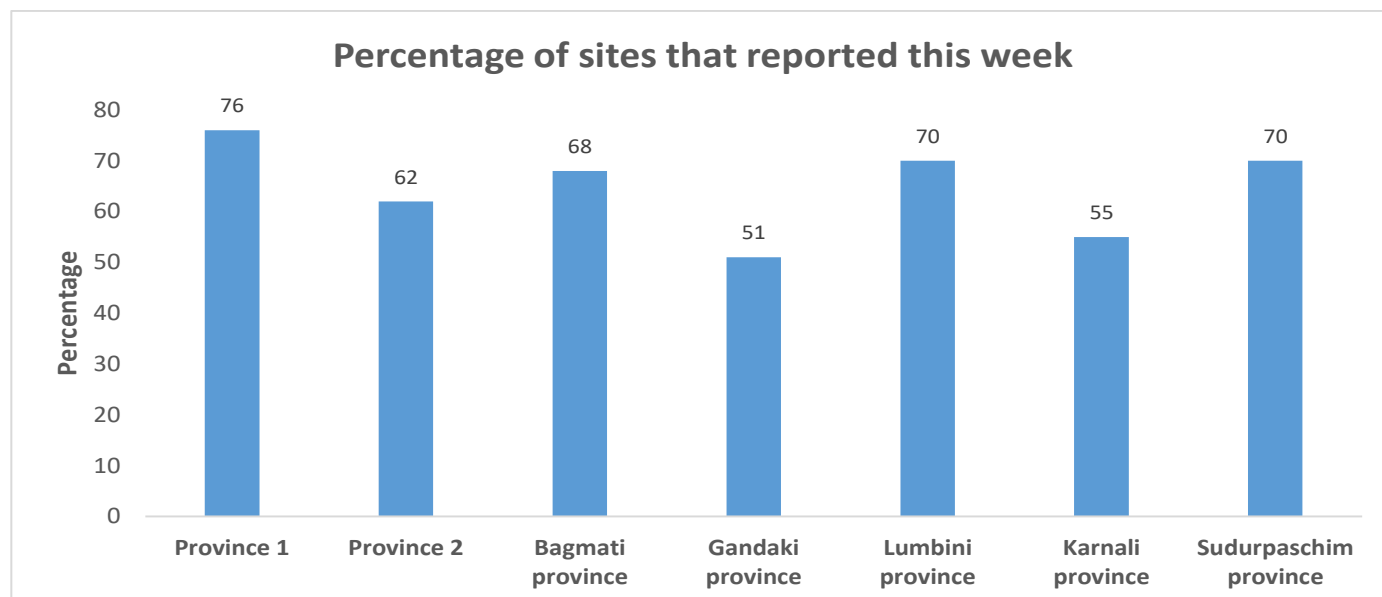
### Scrub typhus

- 59 cases of scrub typhus were reported this week. The majority of the cases were reported from Palpa, (13 cases), Bhojpur, Gulmi, Darchula, and Pyuthan (5 cases from each districts).
- 73 cases of scrub typhus were reported this week in 2020.

**Table: Comparison with previous week by diseases, 2021**

Disease	Week 31	Week 30
AGE	81	95
SARI	136	108
Cholera	0	0
Malaria	2	1
Dengue	12	15
Kala-azar	6	6

### Province wise reporting status



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