

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

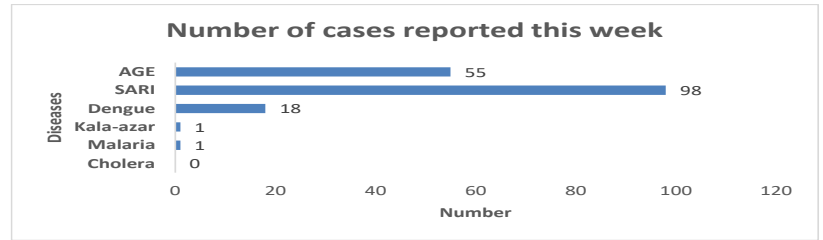
## 45<sup>th</sup> Epidemiological Week

### 21<sup>st</sup> November, 2021

#### Highlights

- 819019 Cases of Coronavirus disease (COVID-19) have been confirmed in Nepal, of which 800359 cases have been recovered so far.
- Of the reported cases, Severe Acute Respiratory Infection (SARI) is the leading cause of morbidity in week 45.

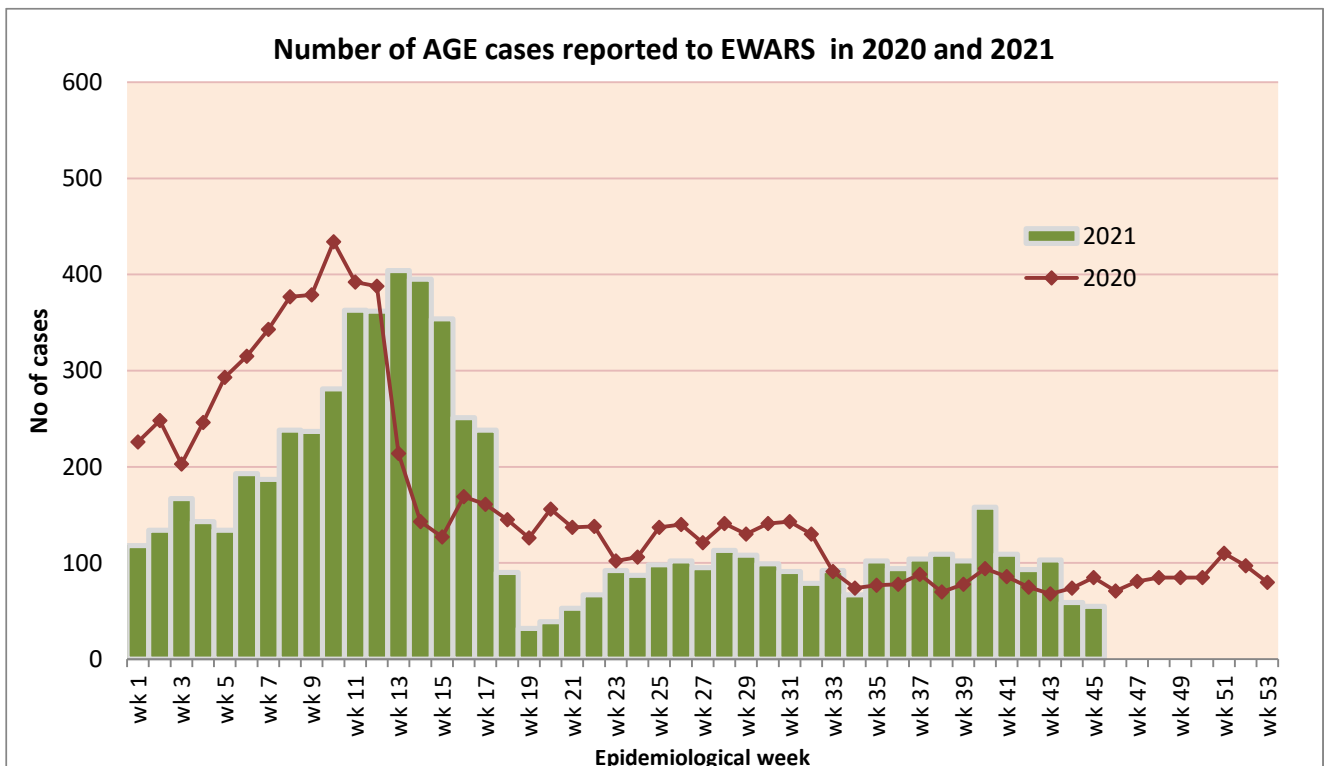
#### Number of cases reported for each disease this week



**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.

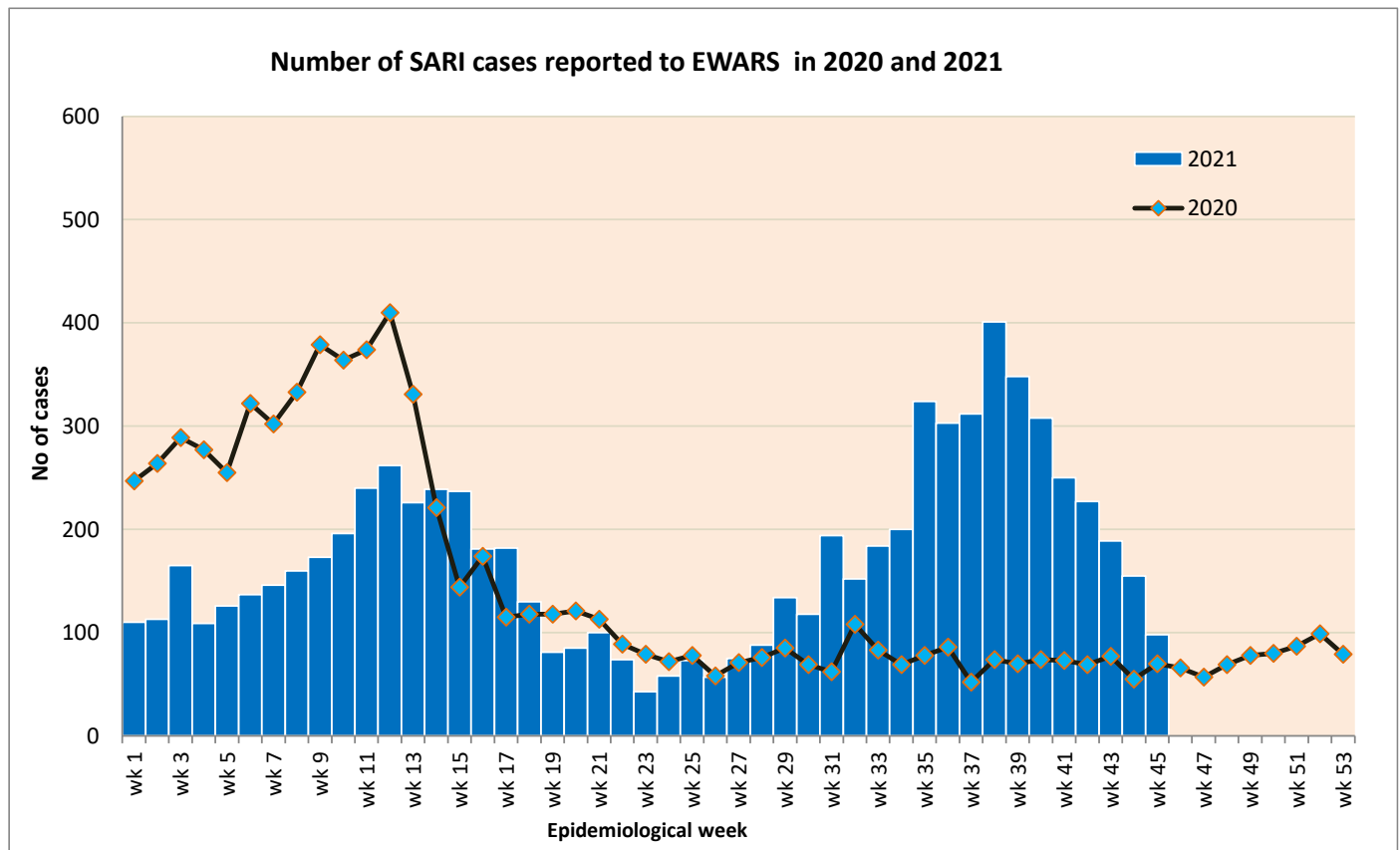
### 1. Acute Gastro-Enteritis (AGE)

- 55 cases of AGE were reported this week. The majority of these cases were reported from Dhanusa (9 cases), Kapilbastu (6 cases), Nawalparasi East (5 cases), Palpa and Jumla (4 cases from each districts).
- 85 cases of AGE were reported this week in 2020.



## 2. Severe Acute Respiratory Infection (SARI)

- 98 cases of SARI were reported this week. The majority of these cases were reported from Jhapa (17 cases), Dhankuta (10 cases), Morang and Surkhet (7 cases from each districts), Palpa and Kailali (6 cases from each districts).
- 70 cases of SARI were reported this week in 2020.



## 3. Malaria

- One cases of malaria was reported this week and was reported from Kailali districts.
- Zero case of malaria was reported this week in 2020.

## 4. Dengue

- 18 cases of dengue were reported this week. The majority of these case were reported from Kathmandu (8 cases), Pyuthan and Palpa (2 cases from each districts).
- 16 cases of dengue were reported this week in 2020.

## 5. Kala-azar

- One cases of kala-azar was reported this week and the case was reported from Bhaktapur district.
- Four case of kala-azar was reported this week in 2020.

## Other diseases

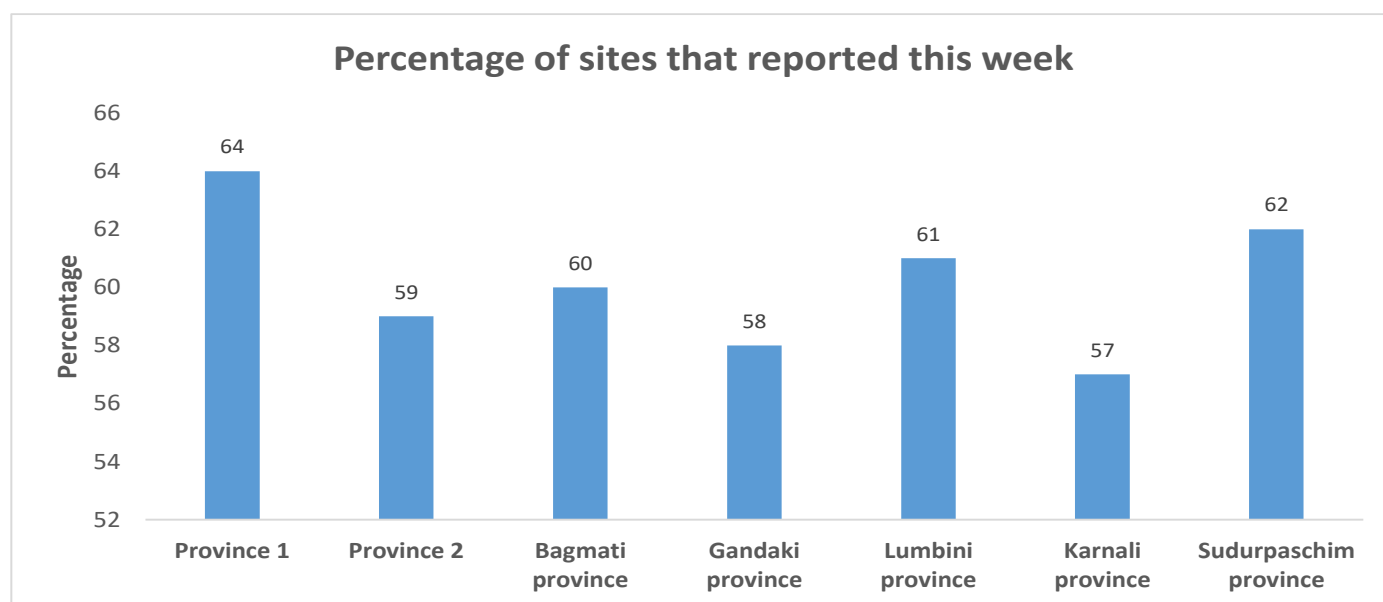
### Scrub typhus

- 29 cases of scrub typhus were reported this week. The majority of the cases were reported from Kailali (8 cases), Rupandehi (4 cases).
- 35 cases of scrub typhus were reported this week in 2020.

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

Disease	Week 45	Week 44
AGE	55	59
SARI	98	155
Malaria	1	2
Kala-azar	1	12
Dengue	18	25
Cholera	0	1

### Province wise reporting status



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