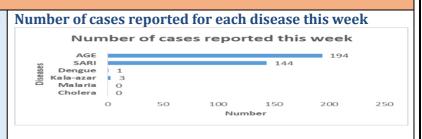
# Early Warning and Reporting System (EWARS)- Weekly Bulletin: Nepal 11<sup>th</sup> Epidemiological Week, 2022 27<sup>th</sup> March, 2022

## **Highlights**

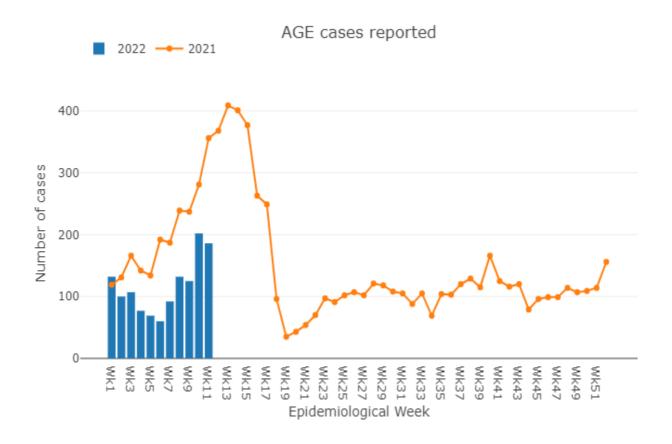
- 978331 cases of Coronavirus disease (COVID-19) have been confirmed in Nepal, of which 964823 cases have been recovered so far.
- Of the reported cases, Acute Gastro-Enteritis (AGE) is the leading cause of morbidity in week 11.



**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.

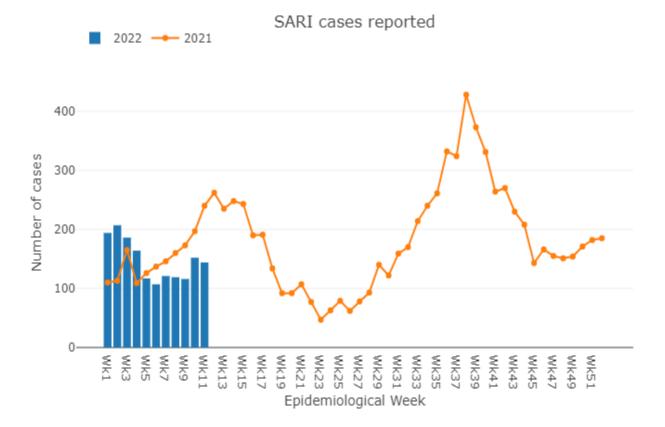
## 1. Acute Gastro-Enteritis (AGE)

- 194 cases of AGE were reported this week. The majority of these cases were reported from Ilam (18 cases), Kancanpur (15 cases), Kathmandu (13 cases), Bajhang (12 cases), Rukum West (9 cases), Pyuthan, Snakhuwasabha, Morang and Okhaldhunga (7 cases from each districts), Dhanusa and Palpa (6 cases from each districts), Gulmi, Jajarkot, and Kapilbastu (5 cases from each districts), Dang, Mahottari,Bhaojpur and Kailali (4 cases).
- 363 cases of AGE were reported this week in 2021.



## 2. Severe Acute Respiratory Infection (SARI)

- 144 cases of SARI were reported this week. The majority of these cases were reported from Jhapa (21 cases), Palpa (12 cases), Surkhet (11 cases), Rupandehi and Dhankuta (8 cases from each districts), Morang (7 cases), Rukum West (6 cases), Sunsari (5 cases), Kalikot and Pyuthan (4 cases from each districts).
- 240 cases of SARI were reported this week in 2021.



#### 3. Malaria

- Zero case of malaria was reported this week.
- One case of malaria was reported this week in 2021.

## 4. Dengue

- One case of dengue was reported this week; and was reported from Rupandehi district
- One cases of dengue was reported this week in 2021.

#### 5. Kala-azar

- Three cases of kala-azar were reported this week; one each cases were reported from Arghakhanchi, Kailali and Doti districts.
- Five cases of kala-azar were reported this week in 2021.

#### 6. Cholera

- Zero case of Cholera was reported this week.
- Zero case of Cholera was reported this week in 2021.

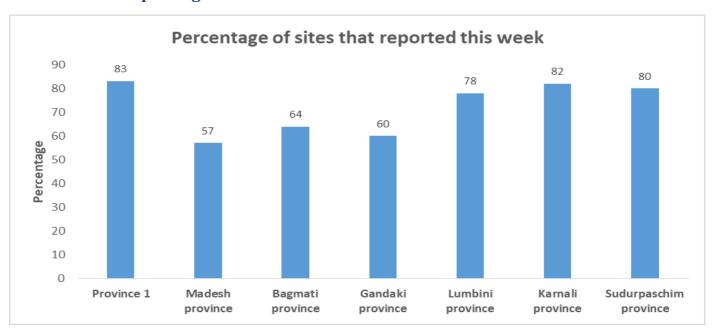
## Other diseases Scrub typhus

- Five cases of scrub typhus were reported this week. The majority of the cases were reported from Palpa (2 cases), and one each cases from Syangja, Darchula and Bajhang districts.
- Eight cases of scrub typhus were reported this week in 2021.

## Table: Comparison with previous week by diseases, 2022

Disease	Week 11	Week 10
AGE	194	209
SARI	144	153
Malaria	0	0
Kala-azar	3	9
Dengue	1	2
Cholera	0	0

## **Province wise reporting status:**



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