



# Flu Watch

MMWR Week 31: July 27, 2025 to August 2, 2025

All data are provisional and subject to change as more reports are received.

## Geographic Spread



South Carolina reported **sporadic activity** this week.

## Influenza Indicators

| Influenza Indicator | Change from Previous Week |
|---------------------|---------------------------|
| Lab-confirmed tests | Decreased                 |
| ILI Percent         | Increased                 |
| Hospitalizations    | No Change                 |

## Regional Influenza Activity



No Change



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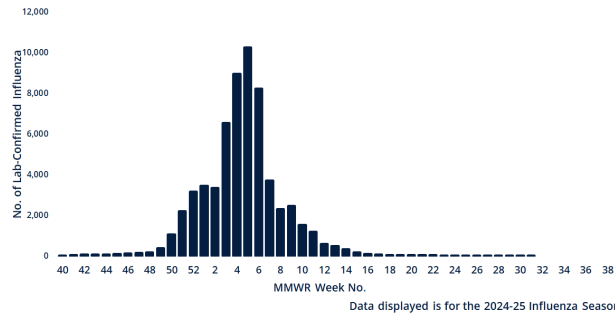
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## Virologic Surveillance

This week, **4** lab-confirmed tests were reported. In the current flu season, there have been **62,451** lab-confirmed tests reported.

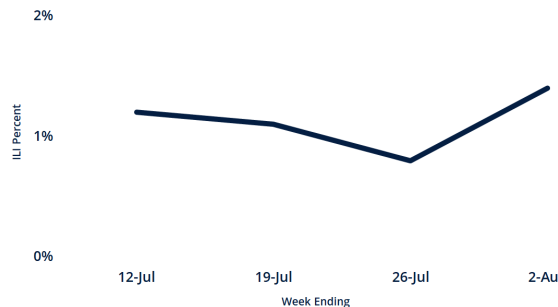


## Influenza-Associated Hospitalizations

This week, **6** influenza-associated hospitalizations were reported by **54** hospitals. The cumulative hospitalization rate is **164.2 per 100,000**. In the current flu season, there have been **8342** influenza-associated hospitalizations.

## Influenza-Like Illness Surveillance

The percent of patient visits to sentinel providers for an influenza-like illness (ILI) was **1.4%**, which is **below** South Carolina's baseline (**3.2%**). The ILI activity level overall was **minimal**.



## Influenza-Associated Deaths

This week, **7** influenza-associated deaths were reported; however, all the deaths occurred in previous weeks of the influenza season. The cumulative mortality rate is **7.0 per 100,000**. In the current flu season, there have been **357** influenza-associated deaths.

For a description of South Carolina's influenza surveillance components and definitions go to:

<https://dph.sc.gov/professionals/public-health-data/flu-watch>

For national surveillance, please visit:

<https://www.cdc.gov/flu/weekly/>