

Flu Watch

MMWR Week 32: August 3, 2025 to August 9, 2025

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

Geographic Spread



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

Influenza Indicators

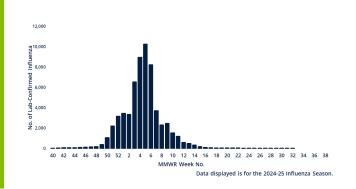
Influenza Indicator	Change from Previous Week
Lab-confirmed tests	Increased
ILI Percent	No Change
Hospitalizations	Decreased

Regional Influenza Activity Increased No Change

No Change

Virologic Surveillance

This week, **9** lab-confirmed tests were reported. In the current flu season, there have been **62,464** lab-confirmed tests reported.

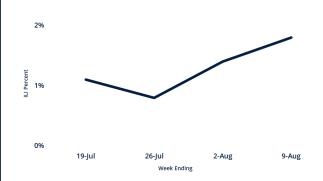


Influenza-Associated Hospitalizations

This week, **4** influenza-associated hospitalizations were reported by **44** hospitals. The cumulative hospitalization rate is **164.3 per 100,000**. In the current flu season, there have been **8346** influenza-associated hospitalizations.

Influenza-Like Illness Surveillance

The percent of patient visits to sentinel providers for an influenza-like illness (ILI) was **1.8%**, which is **below** South Carolina's baseline (**3.2%**). The ILI activity level overall was **minimal**.



Influenza-Associated Deaths

This week, **2** influenza-associated deaths were reported; however, the deaths occurred in previous weeks of the influenza season. The cumulative mortality rate is **7.1 per 100,000**. In the current flu season, there have been **359** 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/fluwatch

For national surveillance, please visit: https://www.cdc.gov/flu/weekly/