

Summary

According to the laboratory surveillance¹, Coxsackie A was the predominant virus type in the past 4 weeks (Figure 1). During week 18, the total number of outpatient and ER visits for enterovirus infection was 2,743, which was far below the national baseline (11,000 visits), show as Figure 2.

As of May 10, 2021, no new EVSC² case was confirmed in 2021(Figure 3).

For further information, please visit the Taiwan National Infectious Disease Statistics System (NIDSS) website at https://nidss.cdc.gov.tw/en/Home/Index?op=1

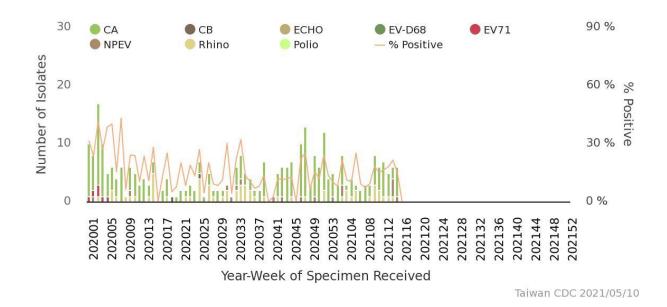


Figure 1. Trend of Enterovirus Isolates, 2020-2021

 In terms of the surveillance systems in Taiwan, please see: Jian, S. W., Chen, C. M., Lee, C. Y., & Liu, D. P. (2017). Real-Time Surveillance of Infectious Diseases: Taiwan's Experience. Health security, 15(2), 144-153.
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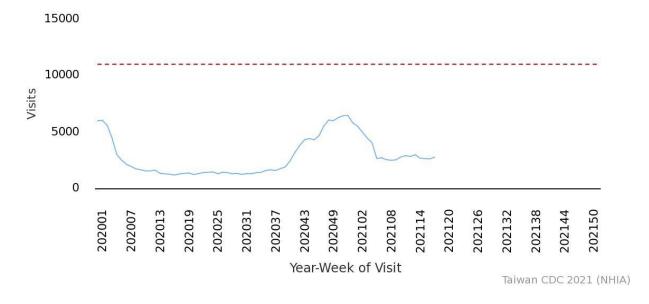


Figure 2. Trend of outpatient and ER visits for enterovirus infection, 2020-2021

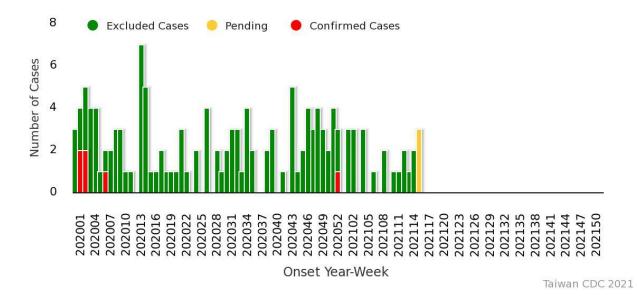


Figure 3. Trend of EVSC, 2020-2021