Week 33, August 15 - 21, 2021

Summary

According to the laboratory surveillance¹, there were no enterovirus isolates (Figure 1), during the past four weeks (week 28 - week 31). During week 33, the total number of outpatient and ER visits for enterovirus infection was 765, which was far below the national baseline (11,000 visits), show as Figure 2.

As of August 23, 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

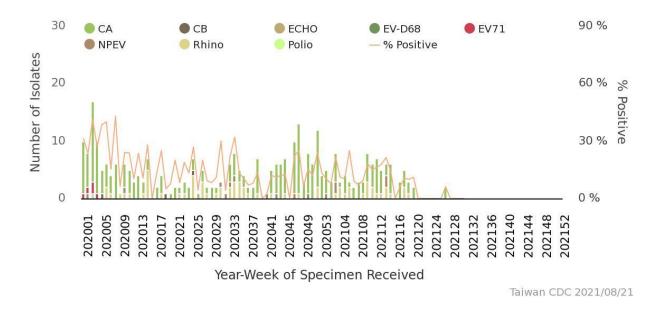


Figure 1. Trend of Enterovirus Isolates, 2020-2021

^{1.} 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. 2. EVSC: Enteroviruses infection with Severe Complications



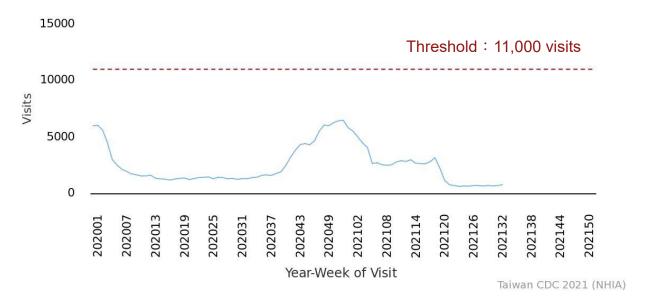


Figure 2. Trend of outpatient and ER visits for enterovirus infection, 2020-2021

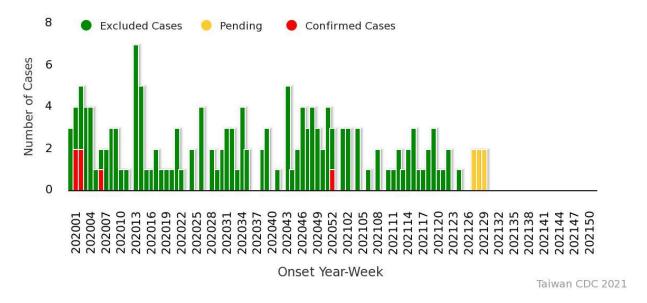


Figure 3. Trend of EVSC, 2020-2021