Week 26, June 27 - July 3, 2021

## Summary

According to the laboratory surveillance<sup>1</sup>, during the past four weeks (week 21 - week 24), there were no enterovirus isolates (Figure 1). During week 26, the total number of outpatient and ER visits for enterovirus infection was 621, which was far below the national baseline (11,000 visits), show as Figure 2.

As of July 5, 2021, no new EVSC<sup>2</sup> case was confirmed in 2021(Figure 3).

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

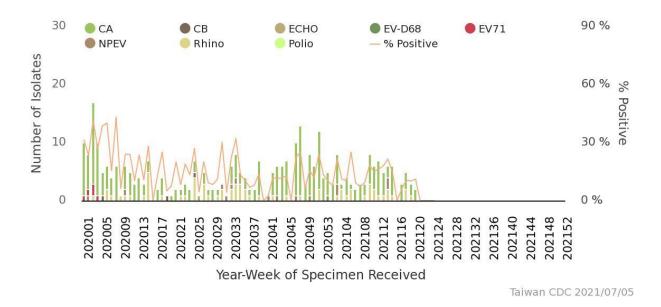


Figure 1. Trend of Enterovirus Isolates, 2020-2021

<sup>1.</sup> 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



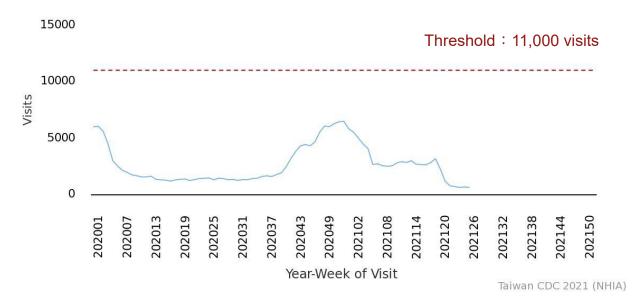


Figure 2. Trend of outpatient and ER visits for enterovirus infection, 2020-2021

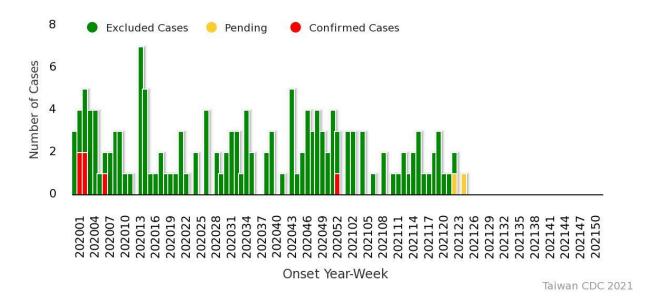


Figure 3. Trend of EVSC, 2020-2021