

**Novel Influenza A Virus
Case Status Summary**

Jurisdiction: _____ **Report for*** ____/____/____

Confirmed cases**

	New Cases	Cumulative total
Outpatient - ill		
Hospitalized		
Dead		
Recovered		
Unknown		
TOTAL		

Probable cases**

	New Cases	Cumulative Total
Outpatient - ill		
Hospitalized		
Dead		
Recovered		
Unknown		
TOTAL		

Suspect cases**

	New Cases	Current Total Under Investigation
Outpatient - ill		
Hospitalized		
Dead		
Recovered		
Unknown		
TOTAL		

Non-ill contacts under observation

Previous total (A)	New (B)	Reclassified due to illness (C)	Released after 7 days of observation and no illness (D)	Current total under observation (A + B - C - D)

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** Case definitions:

Confirmed: Influenza virus infection with laboratory confirmation by:

- Genetic sequencing performed at the CDC Influenza Division Laboratory

OR

- Results consistent with novel influenza A using the CDC Flu rRT-PCR Dx Panel.

OR

- A 4-fold rise in strain specific serum antibodies with specimens drawn 2 weeks apart.

Probable: A case meeting clinical criteria* and criteria for epidemiologic linkage†, but for which no confirmatory laboratory testing for influenza virus infection has been performed, or for which test results do not provide a sufficient level of detail to confirm novel influenza A virus infection.

Case Under Investigation: A case meeting the clinical criteria* but not criteria for epidemiologic linkage† and is pending laboratory confirmation.

* Clinical criteria: Illness compatible with influenza virus infection: fever $\geq 100^{\circ}\text{F}$ with cough and/or sore throat.

† Criteria for Epidemiologic Linkage:

- Contact with one or more confirmed cases of novel influenza A virus infection or attendance at an event where confirmed cases have been identified.

AND

- Transmission of novel influenza A virus by the usual modes of respiratory pathogen transmission is plausible.

A case may be considered epidemiologically linked to a laboratory-confirmed case if at least one case in the chain of transmission is laboratory-confirmed.