Swine and Seasonal Flu Monitor



人類豬型流感及季節性流感直擊

Swine and Seasonal Flu Monitor is a weekly report produced by the Respiratory Disease Office of the Centre for Health Protection. It summarizes and monitors the weekly situation of Human Swine Influenza (HSI) and seasonal influenza in Hong Kong.

人類豬型流感及季節性流感直擊是由衞生防護中心呼吸疾病辦事處每星期出版有關人類豬型流感及季節性流感的資訊的總結報告。

Local situation of influenza (as of September 29, 2010)

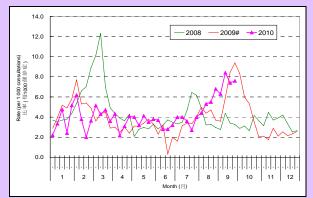
本港流感的流行情況(截至2010年9月29日)

- On May 24, 2010, the Government lowered the pandemic response level from the 'Emergency' to the 'Alert' Response Level under the 3-tiered Framework of Government's Preparedness Plan for Influenza Pandemic.
 - 在二零一零年五月二十四日,香港特別行政區政府把「政府流感大流行應變計劃的架構」中的三級應變級別由「緊急」級別調低至「戒備」級別。
- The latest surveillance data showed that the overall influenza activity (including seasonal influenza and human swine influenza (HSI)) in week 39 (September 19 to 25, 2010) still remained at a high level.
 - 最新的監測數據顯示第39週 (二零一零年九月十九日至二十五日) 整體流感活躍程度 (包括季節性流感及人類豬型流感) 仍保持在高水平。
- There was no new severe HSI case occurring in week 39 (September 19 to 25, 2010). Since May 1, 2009, the Centre for Health Protection (CHP) has recorded a total of 298 severe HSI cases##. These severe cases included 181 males and 117 females with ages ranging from 30 days to 95 years (median: 51 years).
 - 第39週 (二零一零年九月十九日至二十五日) 沒有新的人類豬型流感嚴重個案發生。自二零零九年五月一日,衛生防護中心共錄得298宗人類豬型流感的嚴重個案[#],當中涉及181名男性及117名女性,年齡介平30日至95歲 (中位數: 51歲)。
- There was no new fatal HSI case occurring in week 39 (September 19 to 25, 2010). CHP has recorded a total of 83 fatal cases** since May 1, 2009. These fatal cases included 58 males and 25 females, with ages ranging from 1 to 95 years (median: 55 years).
 - 第39週 (二零一零年九月十九日至二十五日) 沒有新的人類豬型流感死亡個案發生。自二零零九年五月一日,衞生防護中心共錄得83宗人類豬型流感的死亡個案^{##}。 當中涉及58名男性及25名女性,年齡介乎1歲至95歲 (中位數: 55歲)。

^{***}A fatal HSI case, affecting a 54 years old man who died on October 9, 2009, was reported, making a total of 298 severe cases and 83 fatal cases.

本中心最近收到一宗人類豬型流感死亡個案報告,涉及一名54歲男子,他於二零零九年十月九日死亡。嚴重個案總 數及死亡個案總數因而分別更改為298宗及83宗。

Figure 1: Influenza-like illness surveillance among sentinel general outpatient clinics*, 2008-10 圖一: 定點普通科診所的流感樣病例監測*, 2008-10



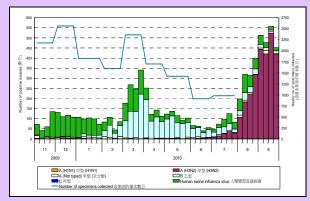
In week 39 (September 19 to 25, 2010), the average consultation rate for influenza-like illness (ILI) among sentinel general outpatient clinics (GOPCs) was 7.6 (per 1,000 consultations) (Figure 1).

在第39週(二零一零年九月十九日至二十五日),定點普通科診所呈報的流感樣病例個案平均數為7.6宗(每千名求診個案計)(圖一)。

During the operation of the 8 Designated Flu Clinics (DFCs) from week 25 of 2009 to week 21 of 2010, statistics from the eight DFCs were not included in the ILI surveillance among sentinel GOPCs.

在八間指定流感診所運作期間(由 2009 年的第 25 週至 2010 年的第 21 週),定點普通科診所的流感樣病例監測沒有包括八間指定流感診所的統計數字。

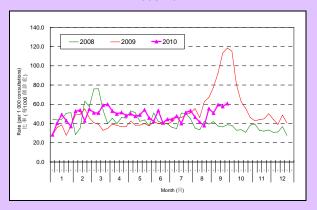
Figure 3: Influenza virus detections (Laboratory surveillance), 2009-10 圖三: 流行性感冒病毒化驗數目 (實驗室監測), 2009-10



In week 39 (September 19 to 25, 2010), 452 influenza viruses were detected in the Public Health Laboratory Centre, including 418 influenza A (H3) viruses, 16 HSI viruses, 5 influenza A viruses and 13 influenza B viruses (Figure 3).

在第 39 週 (二零一零年九月十九日至二十五日),公 共衞生檢測中心共檢測到 452 個流行性感冒病毒的樣 本,當中包括 418 個甲型(H3)流感病毒樣本、16 個人 類豬型流感病毒樣本、5 個甲型流感病毒樣本及 13 個 乙型流行性感冒病毒樣本 (圖三)。

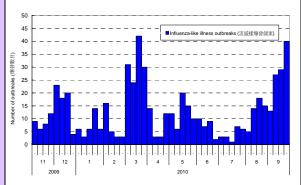
Figure 2: Influenza-like illness surveillance among sentinel private doctors, 2008-10 圖二: 定點私家醫生的流感樣病例監測, 2008-10



In week 39 (September 19 to 25, 2010), the average consultation rate for ILI among sentinel private doctors was 60.8 (per 1,000 consultations) (Figure 2).

在第39週(二零一零年九月十九日至二十五日),定點私家醫生呈報的流感樣病例個案平均數為60.8 宗(每千名求診個案計)(圖二)。

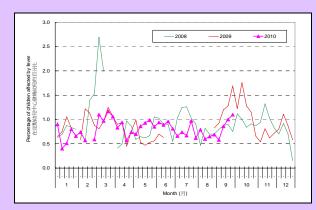
Figure 4: Influenza-like illness outbreak monitoring, 2009-10 圖四: 流感樣爆發監測, 2009-10



In week 39 (September 19 to 25, 2010), 40 ILI outbreaks were recorded. In the first 4 days of week 40 (September 26 to 29, 2010), 17 ILI outbreaks were recorded (Figure 4)

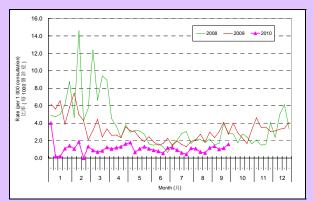
在第 39 週 (二零一零年九月十九日至二十五日),本中心錄得 40 宗流感樣爆發的報告。第 40 週的首 4 天 (二零一零年九月二十六日至二十九日) 有 17 宗流感樣爆發的報告 (圖四)。

Figure 5: Fever surveillance at sentinel child care centres, 2008-10 圖五: 定點幼兒中心的發燒監測, 2008-10



In week 39 (September 19 to 25, 2010), 1.10% of children in the sentinel child care centres had fever (Figure 5). 在第 39 週(二零一零年九月十九日至二十五日),1.10% 定點幼兒中心的幼兒出現發燒徵狀(圖五)。

Figure 7: Influenza-like illness surveillance among sentinel chinese medicine practitioners, 2008-10 圖七: 中醫師的疑似流感監測, 2008-10

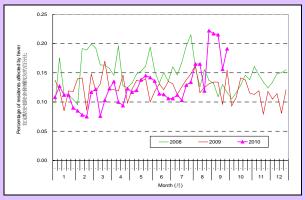


In week 39 (September 19 to 25, 2010), the average consultation rates for ILI among Chinese Medicine Practitioners were 1.58 per 1,000 consultations (Figure 7).

在第 39 週 (二零一零年九月十九日至二十五日),定 點中醫師呈報的疑似流感個案平均數為 1.58 (每千名 求診個案計)(圖七)。

Figure 6: Fever surveillance at sentinel residential care homes for the elderly, 2008-10

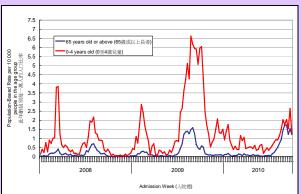
圖六: 定點安老院舍的發燒監測, 2008-10



In week 39 (September 19 to 25, 2010), 0.19% of residents in the sentinel residential care homes for the elderly had fever (Figure 6).

在第39週 (二零一零年九月十九日至二十五日),0.19% 定點安老院舍的院友出現發燒徵狀(圖六)。

Figure 8: Hospital admission rates with principal diagnosis of influenza*, 2008-10 圖八: 主要診斷為流感的病人入院率*, 2008-10



In week 39 (September 19 to 25, 2010), hospital admission rate due to influenza for the elderly 65 years old or above was 1.21 (per 10,000 people in the age group) (blue line in Figure 8) and that for children aged 0 to 4 years was 1.28 (per 10,000 people in the age group) (red line in Figure 8).

在第 39 週 (二零一零年九月十九日至二十五日), 65 歲或以上人士因流感而入院的比率為 1.21 (此年齡組別每一萬人的人口) (圖八:藍色線)。0 至 4 歲小童因流感而入院的比率為 1.28 (此年齡組別每一萬人的人口) (圖八:紅色線)。

Note: The data reported are provisional figures and subject to further revision. 註:現時報告的是臨時數據,可能會因資料的更新而作出修訂。

Report of severe paediatric influenza-associated complication/death 兒童流咸相關之嚴重併發症/死亡個案的呈報

In week 39 (September 19 to 25, 2010), one case of severe paediatric influenza-associated complication involving a 7-year-old girl was reported. Her sample was tested positive for influenza A. She recovered and was discharged. In the first 4 days of week 40 (September 26 to 29, 2010), there was no new report of severe paediatric influenza-associated complication/death.

第39週(二零一零年九月十九日至二十五日)有1宗兒童流感相關之嚴重併發症的報告: 涉及一名7歲女童。她的樣本化驗結果顯示對甲型流感呈陽性反應。她已康復出院。第40 週的首4天 (二零一零年九月二十六日至二十九日) 沒有新的兒童流感相關之嚴重併發症 /死亡個案的報告。

Global Situation of Influenza

世界各地的流感情況

On August 10, 2010, the World Health Organization declared that the world has moved into the post-pandemic period. The pandemic H1N1 (2009) virus is expected to continue to circulate for some years to come, taking on the behaviour of a seasonal influenza virus. 世界衛生組織於二零一零年八月十日宣布世界已進入大流行後時期,而流感大流行 H1N1(2009) 病毒預料會在未來數年傳播成為季節性流感病毒。

Northern hemisphere

北半球

In Singapore (week ending September 25, 2010), the influenza activity remained below the warning level.

新加坡的流感活躍程度保持在警戒水平以下(截至二零一零年九月二十五日的一週)。

- In UK (week ending September 19, 2010), influenza activity was very low and stable. 英國的流感活躍程度處於非常低水平及平穩(截至二零一零年九月十九日的一週)。
- In Europe (week ending September 19, 2010), influenza activity was at a very low level. 歐洲的流感活躍程度處於非常低水平(截至二零一零年九月十九日的一週)。

Southern hemisphere

南半球

In Australia (week ending September 17, 2010), the level of influenza-like illness continued to

澳洲的流感樣病例水平持續上升(截至二零一零年九月十七日的一週)。

In New Zealand (week ending September 26, 2010), influenza activity has been decreasing since the last week of August and has already dropped below the baseline.

新西蘭的流感活躍程度自八月最後一週開始下降,並已下降至低於基線水平(截至二零-零年九月二十六日的一週)。

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Source of data:

CDC FLUVIEW; Public Health Agency of Canada FluWatch and WHO/Europe EuropeFlu.

Hospital Authority(*); ILI consultations in Sentinel Private Doctors and General Outpatient Clinics; positive influenza detections from Virology Division of Public Health Laboratory Services Branch; notifications of influenza outbreaks received from the Centre for Health Protection; Sentinel Surveillance Systems at Residential Care Homes for the Elderly (RCHE).