

# Respiratory Illness Report

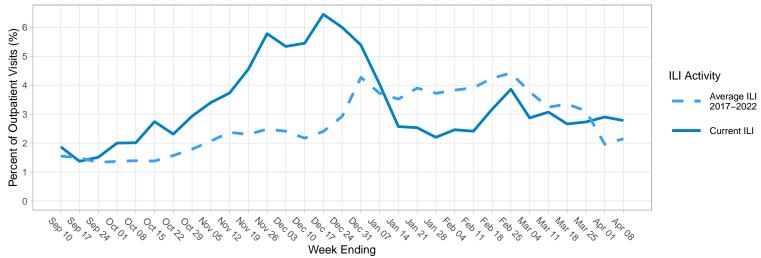
Week Ending April 8, 2023

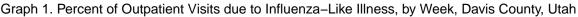
### Weekly Summary

Influenza activity is currently still low in Utah. In Davis County, the influenza-like illness activity level remained at "minimal" this week.

### Influenza-Like Illness

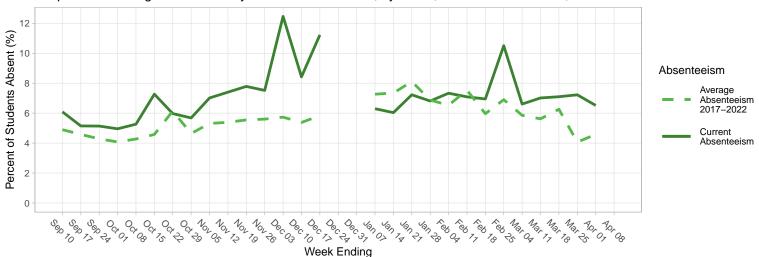
Graph 1 displays the weekly percentage of outpatient visits due to Influenza-like illness (ILI). For comparison, the dashed line shows the previous 5-year average (2017-2022) of ILI activity.





## School Absenteeism

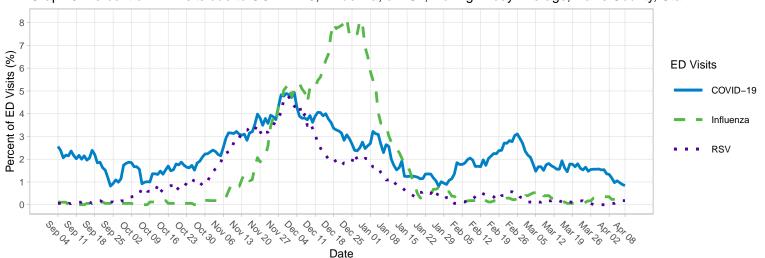
Graph 2 displays the weekly percentage of elementary school absenteeism in Davis School District. For comparison, the dashed line shows the previous 5-year average (2017-2022) of elementary school absenteeism.



Graph 2. Percentage of Elementary School Absenteeism, by Week, Davis School District, Utah

#### **Emergency Department Visits**

Graph 3 displays the rolling 7 day average of the percent of emergency department (ED) visits due to COVID-19, Influenza, and Respiratory Syncytial Virus (RSV). These data are obtained from syndromic surveillance and only consider the diagnosis discharge codes for each condition. Table 1 presents two data points for each virus: the current trend of ED visits for each virus (increasing, decreasing, or no change), and the count of ED visits during that time frame.



Graph 3. Percent of ED Visits due to COVID-19, Influenza, & RSV, Rolling 7-day Average, Davis County, Utah

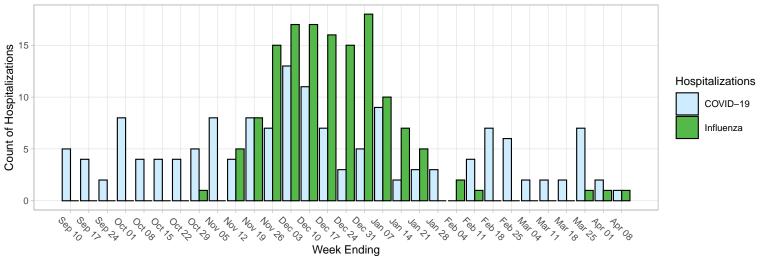
Table 1: Recent Trends of ED Visits, Davis County, Utah, for Week Ending Apr 08, 2023

Virus	Trend	Count of ED Visits
COVID-19	Decreasing (last 14 days)	37 (last 14 days)
Influenza	Plateau/no trend (last 14 days)	10 (last 14 days)
RSV	Increasing (last 14 days)	3 (last 14 days)

#### Hospitalizations

Graph 4 displays the weekly count of hospitalizations due to COVID-19 and Influenza.

Graph 4. Count of Hospitalizations due to COVID-19 & Influenza, Davis County, Utah



#### Vaccine Information

Influenza: Everyone age 6 months and older should receive an Influenza vaccine by the end of October every year.

**COVID-19:** CDC recommends primary vaccines for everyone ages 6 months and over. The bivalent booster is available for ages 5 and over. Children ages 6 months through 5 years may receive a bivalent booster if they complete the Moderna 2-dose primary series; those completing a Pfizer primary series may receive a Pfizer bivalent vaccine as a third primary dose.

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