



PHE Syndromic Surveillance Summary

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Year: 2019 Week: 21

Syndromic surveillance national summary:

Reporting week: 20 May to 26 May 2019

During week 21, GP consultations for mumps remained stable but above baseline levels and consistent with periodic increases in mumps activity observed over recent years.

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Remote Health Advice:

Nothing new to report during week 21.

[Click to access the Remote Health Advice bulletin](#)

GP In Hours:

During week 21 GP consultations for mumps remained above baseline levels and stable, consistent with periodic increases in mumps activity observed over recent years (figure 12). Rates are highest in the 15-44 years age group (figure 12a).

[Click to access the GP In Hours bulletin](#)

Emergency Department:

Nothing new to report during week 21.

[Click to access the EDSSS bulletin](#)

GP Out of Hours:

Nothing new to report during week 21.

[Click to access the GPOOHSS bulletin](#)

RCGP Weekly Returns Service:

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Syndromic surveillance summary notes

- Key messages are provided from each individual system.
- The different syndromic surveillance systems in operation within PHE access data from different areas of the national health care system.
- Each system is able to monitor a different selection of syndromic indicators based upon a different case mix of patients.
- Access to the full version of each syndromic surveillance bulletin is available through the Syndromic Surveillance website found at: (<https://www.gov.uk/government/collections/syndromic-surveillance-systems-and-analyses>); reports will be made available on Thursday afternoons.
- Further weekly and annual reports are available from the RCGP Research and Surveillance web pages: <http://www.rcgp.org.uk/clinical-and-research/our-programmes/research-and-surveillance-centre.aspx>

Syndromic surveillance systems

Remote Health Advice

A remote health advice syndromic surveillance system that monitors syndromic calls from remote health advice services e.g. NHS 111 each day across England

GP In-Hours Syndromic Surveillance System

A large UK-based general practitioner surveillance system monitoring daily consultations for a range of clinical syndromic indicators

Emergency Department Syndromic Surveillance System (EDSSS)

A national ED network across England monitoring daily attendances and presenting symptoms/diagnoses

GP Out-of-Hours Syndromic Surveillance System (GPOOHS)

A syndromic surveillance system monitoring daily GP out-of hours activity and unscheduled care across England using a range of clinical syndromic indicators

RCGP Weekly Returns Service (RCGP WRS)

A sentinel GP surveillance network covering England and Wales monitoring weekly consultations for a range of clinical indicators. This surveillance system is coordinated by the RCGP Research and Surveillance Centre

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