

Weekly Influenza and COVID-19 Surveillance graphs

UKHSA publishes a weekly national influenza and COVID-19 surveillance report which summaries the information from the surveillance systems which are used to monitor influenza, COVID-19 and other seasonal respiratory viruses in England.

Additional figures based on these surveillance systems are included in this slide set.

The figures presented in this slide set are based on data from week 46 (between 14 November and 20 November 2022).



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Confirmed COVID-19 episodes in England



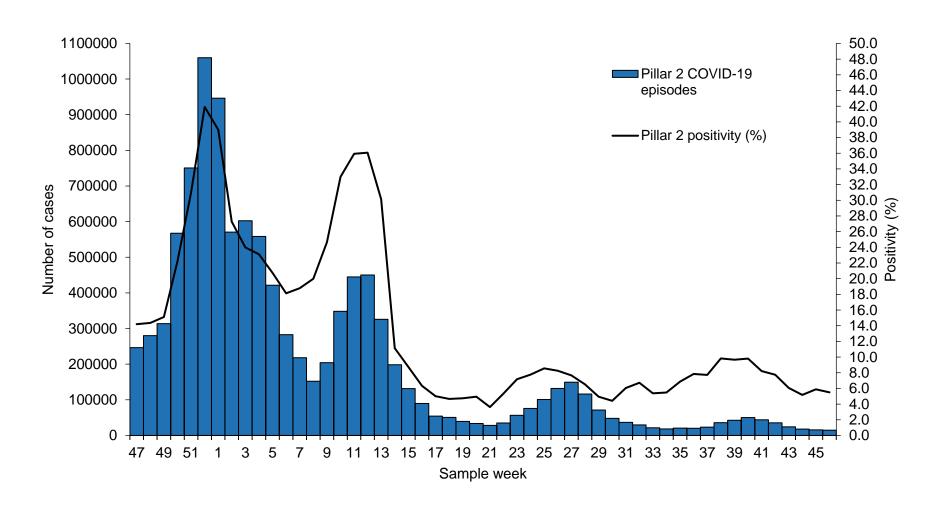
Confirmed COVID-19 episodes in England

Data Information

- From the week 32 report onwards, case rates have been updated to use the latest ONS population estimates for mid-2020. Previously case rates were calculated using the mid-2019 population estimates
- From 11 January 2022 the requirement for <u>confirmatory PCR testing in individuals who test positive using a lateral flow device was temporarily removed</u>.
- Rates by ethnicity and IMD quantile will continue to be presented using the mid-2019 estimates, until the mid-2020 estimates become available.
- From 31 January 2022, UKHSA moved all COVID-19 case reporting in England to use a new episode-based definition which includes possible reinfections. Each infection episode is counted separately if there are at least 91 days between positive test results (PCR or LFD). Each infection episode begins with the earliest positive specimen date. Further information can be found on the UK COVID-19 dashboard.
- Since 1 April 2022, free universal symptomatic and asymptomatic testing for the general public in England is no longer available, as outlined in the plan for living with COVID-19. As such, there will be a reduction in the reporting of data obtained through Pillar 2 from April 2022 onwards. Data in this report should be interpreted in the context of this change to testing. Public health guidance remains in place for cases and their close contacts

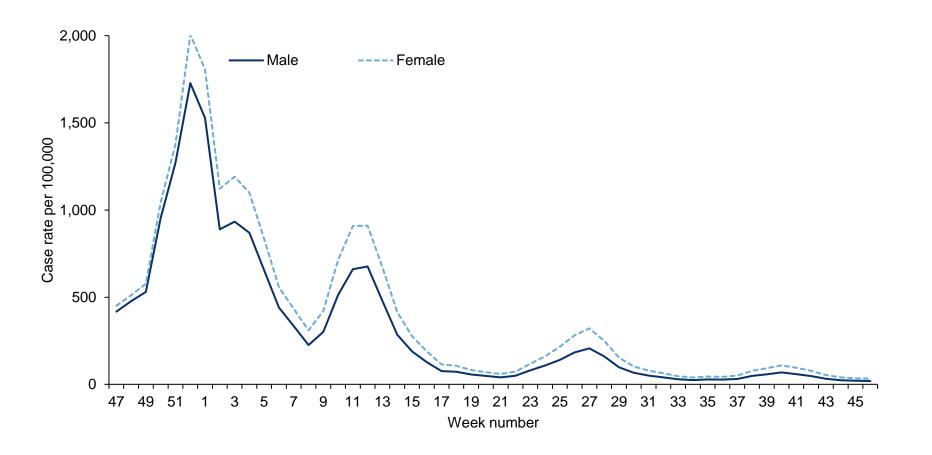


Confirmed COVID-19 episodes tested under Pillar 2, based on sample week with overall weekly PCR positivity for Pillar 2 (%)





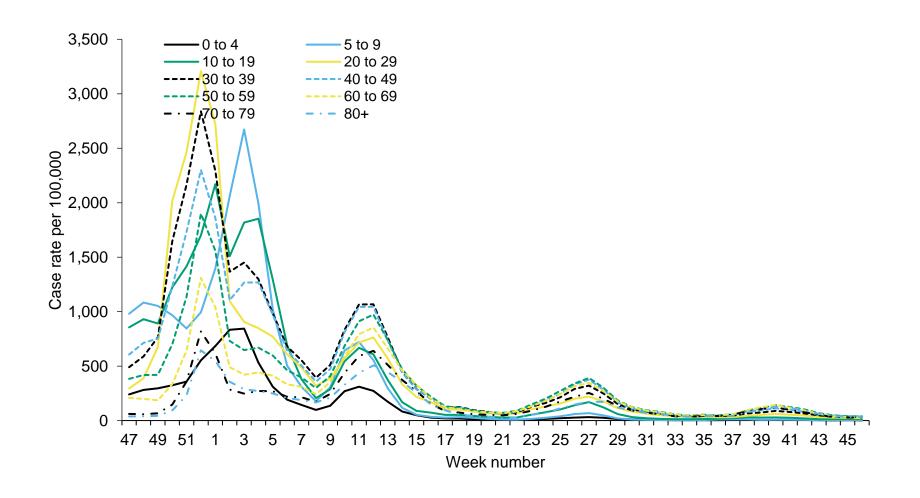
Weekly confirmed COVID-19 case rates per 100,000, by episode, tested under Pillar 2, by sex





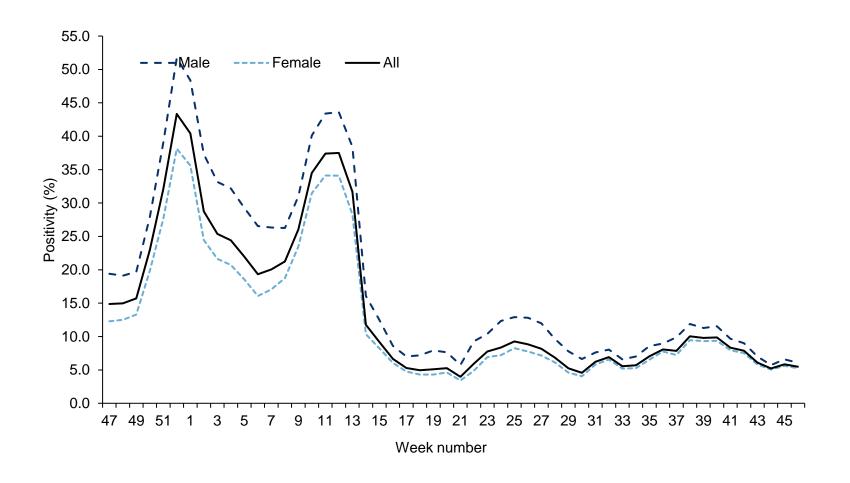
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Weekly confirmed COVID-19 case rates per 100,000, by episode, tested under Pillar 2, by age group



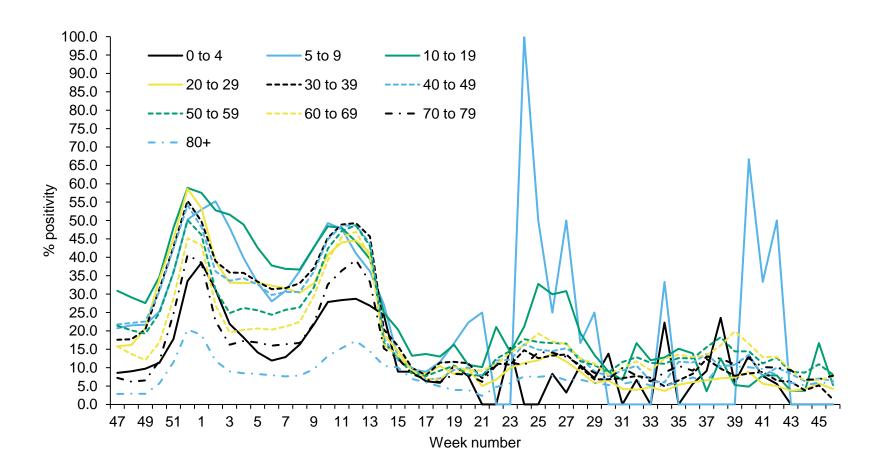


Weekly PCR positivity (%) of confirmed COVID-19 cases tested overall and by sex under Pillar 2



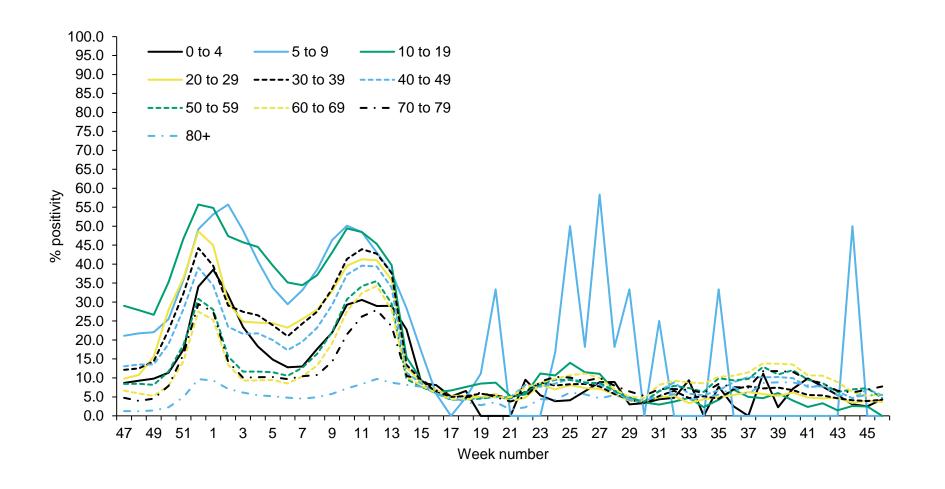


Weekly PCR positivity (%) of confirmed COVID-19 cases tested under Pillar 2, by male and age group



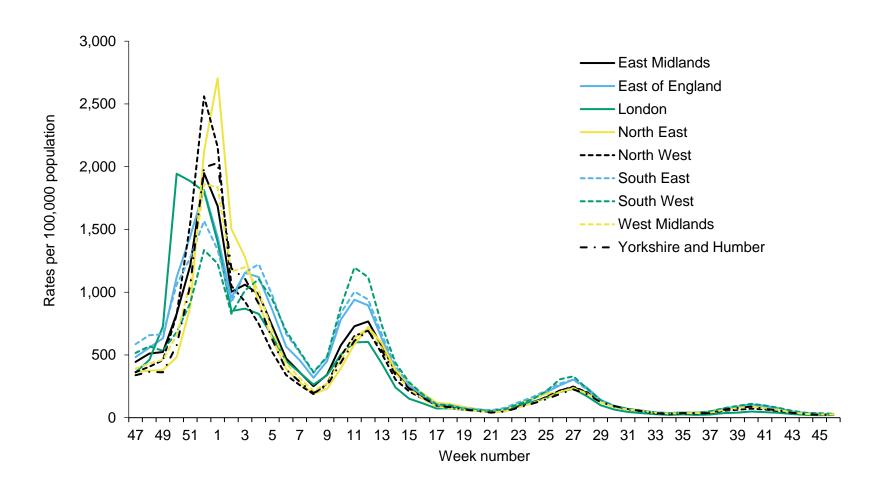


Weekly PCR positivity (%) of confirmed COVID-19 cases tested under Pillar 2, by female and age group



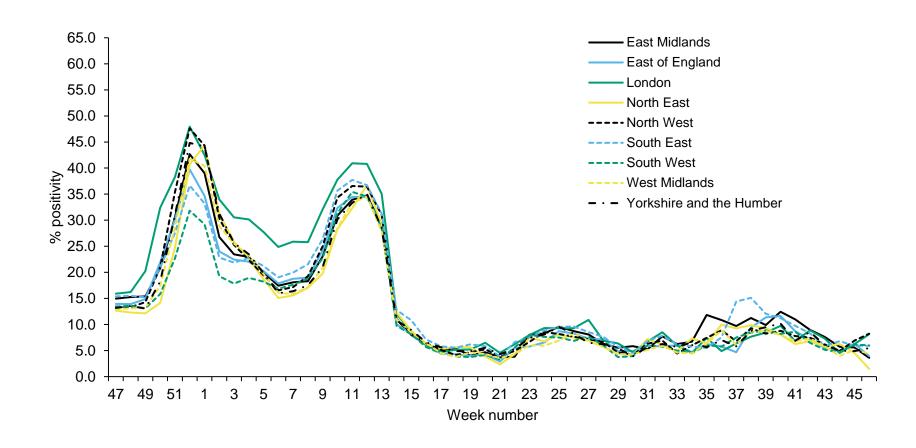


Weekly confirmed COVID-19 case rates by episode, per 100,000 population (Pillar 2), by UKHSA centres and sample week



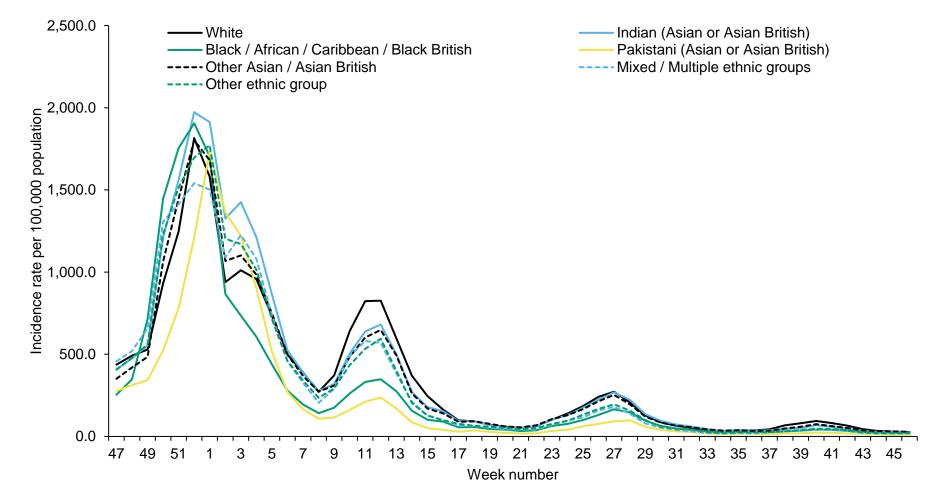


Weekly PCR positivity of confirmed COVID-19 cases tested under Pillar 2 (%) by UKHSA centres and sample week



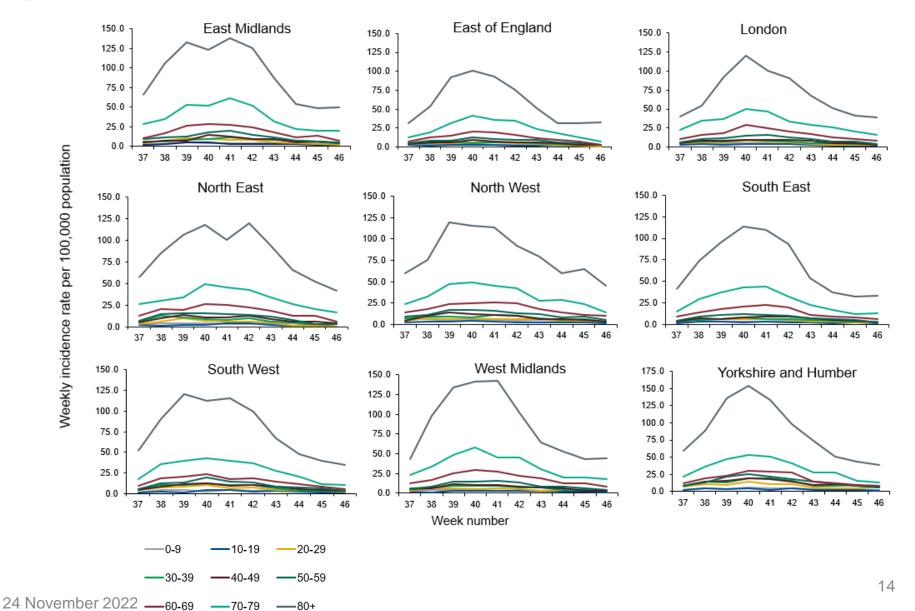


Weekly incidence per 100,000 population by ethnicity (Pillar 2), England



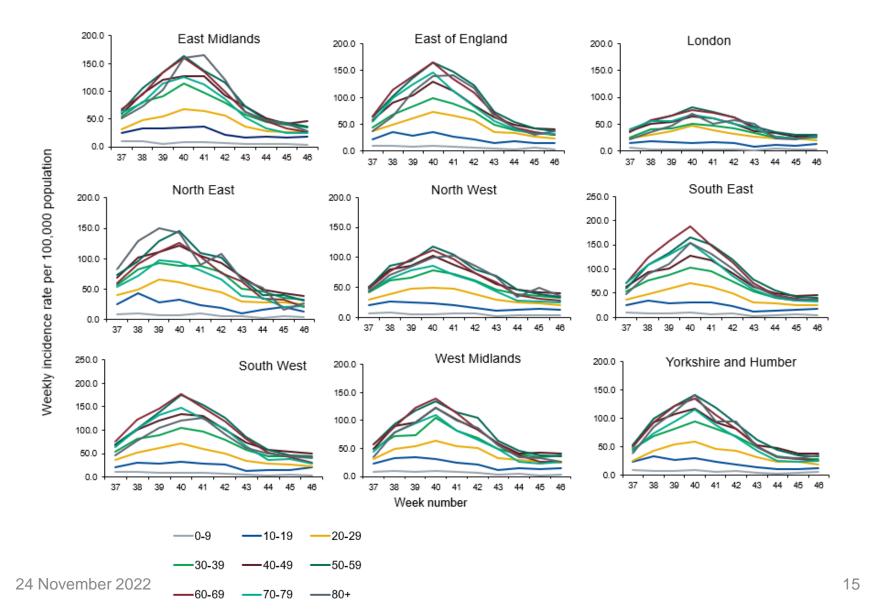


Weekly COVID-19 episodes tested under Pillar 1, per 100,000 population by age group and region, weeks 37 to 46



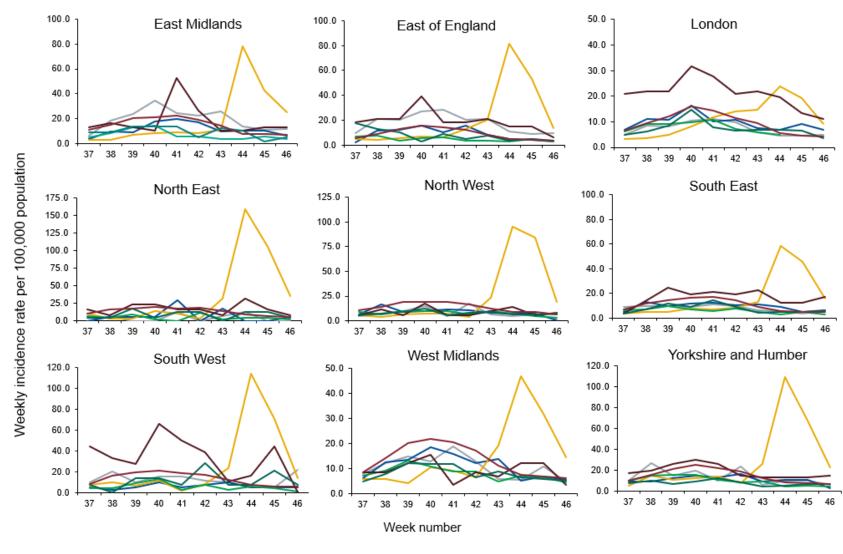


Weekly COVID-19 episodes tested under Pillar 2, per 100,000 population by age group and region, weeks 37 to 46





Weekly COVID-19 episodes tested under Pillar 1, per 100,000 population by ethnicity and region, weeks 37 to 46



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—Mixed/Multiple Ethnic Groups

—Other ethnic group

—White

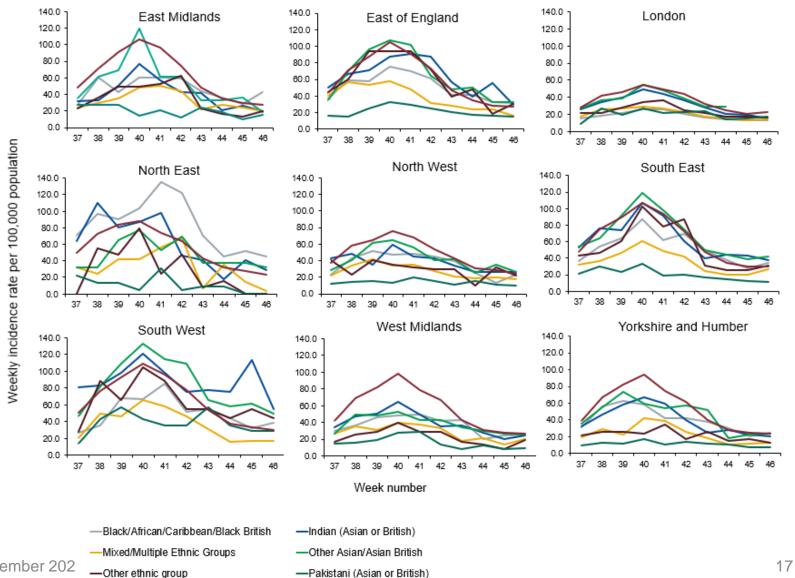
—Indian (Asian or British)

—Other Asian/Asian British

—Pakistani (Asian or British)



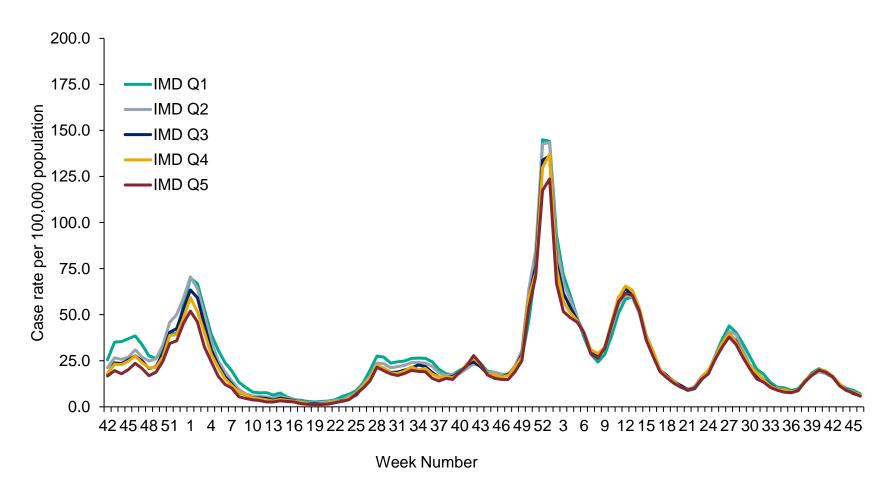
Weekly COVID-19 episodes tested under Pillar 2 per 100,000 population by ethnicity and region, weeks 37 to 46



—White

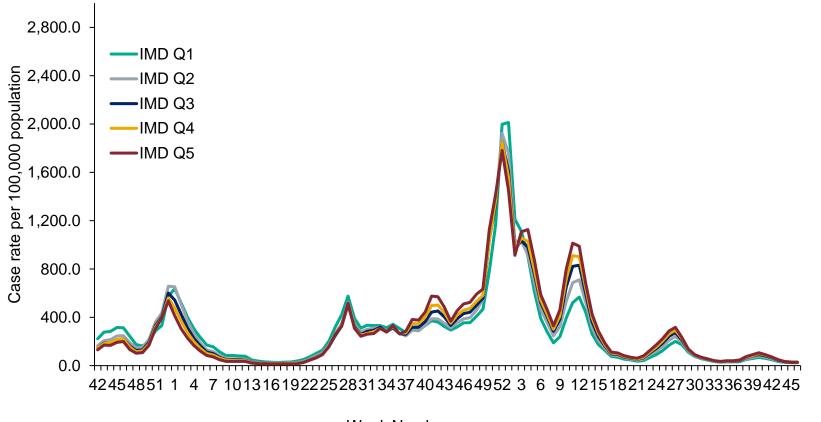


Weekly COVID-19 rate tested under Pillar 1, per 100,000 population by IMD quintile (1 being the most deprived and 5 being the least deprived)





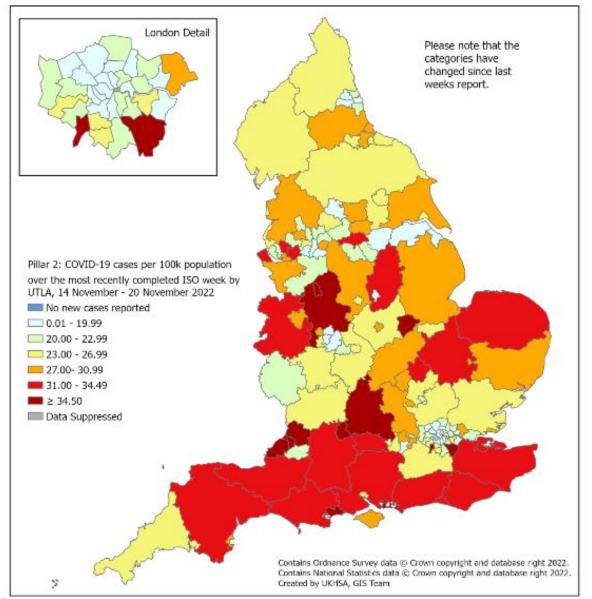
Weekly COVID-19 rate tested under Pillar 2, per 100,000 population by IMD quintile (1 being the most deprived and 5 being the least deprived)



Week Number



Weekly rate of COVID-19 episodes per 100,000 population (Pillar 2), by upper-tier local authority, England (box shows enlarged map of London area)

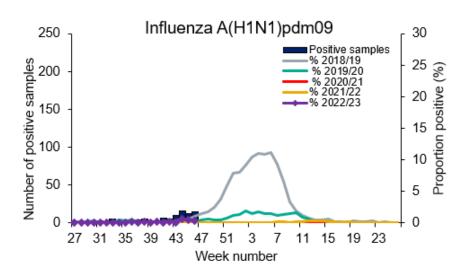


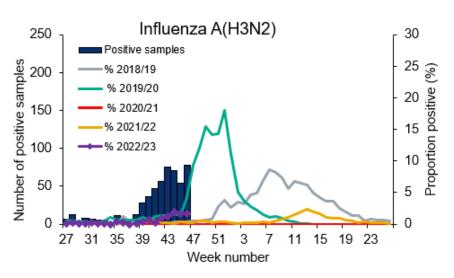


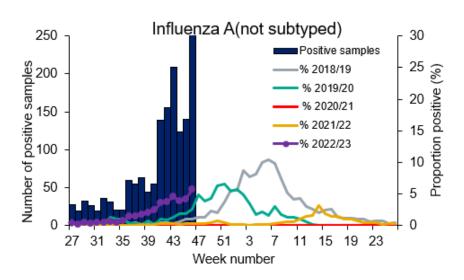
Respiratory Datamart system (England)

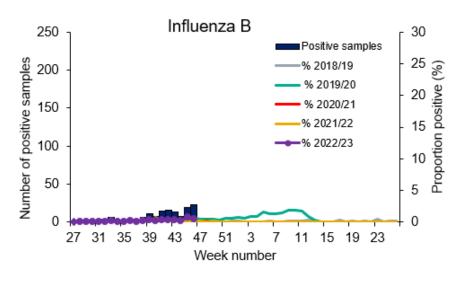


Respiratory DataMart – Influenza subtypes



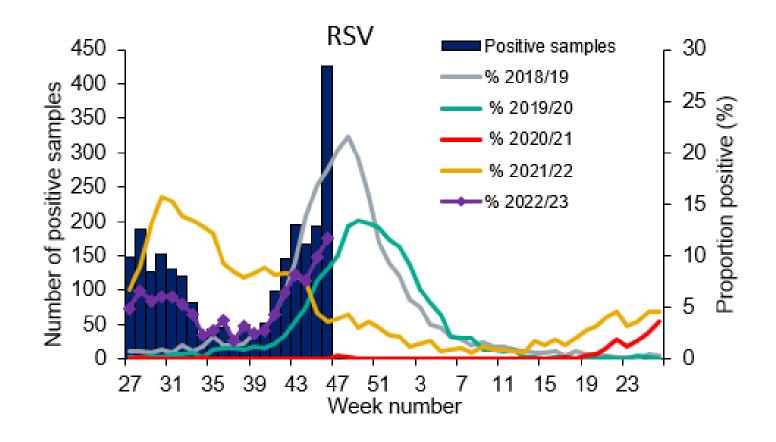






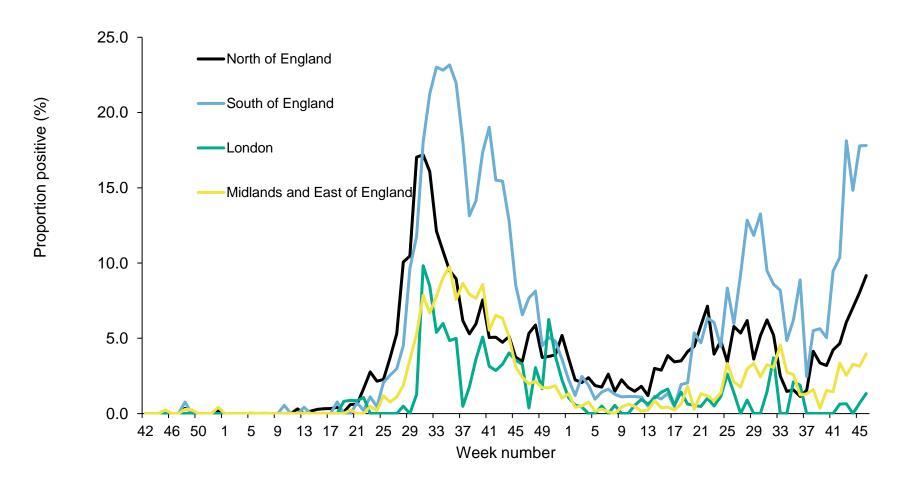






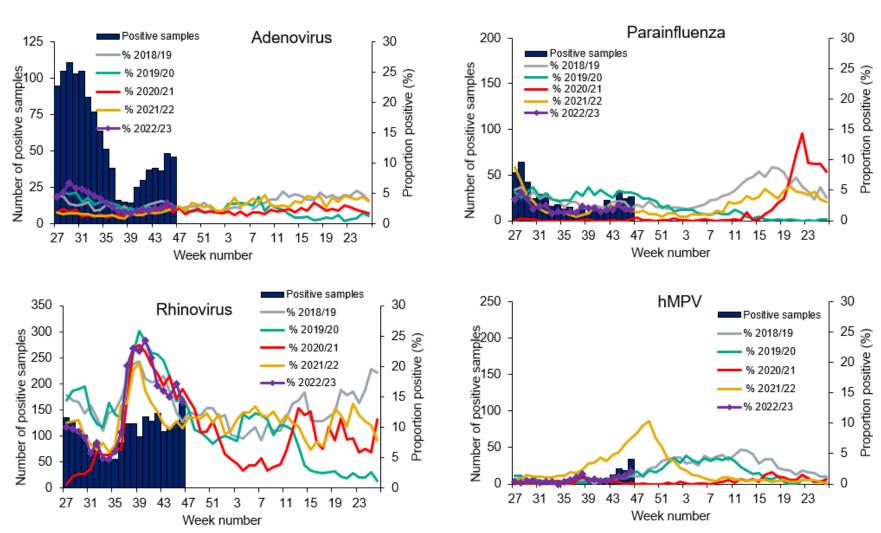


Respiratory DataMart – Respiratory syncytial virus (RSV) weekly positivity by UKHSA region





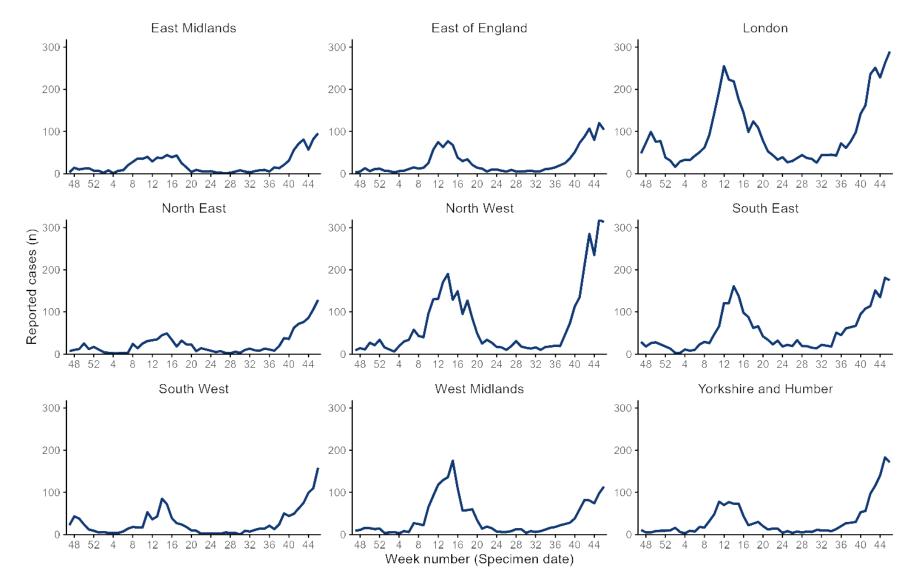
Respiratory DataMart – other respiratory viruses





Second generation surveillance system (SGSS)

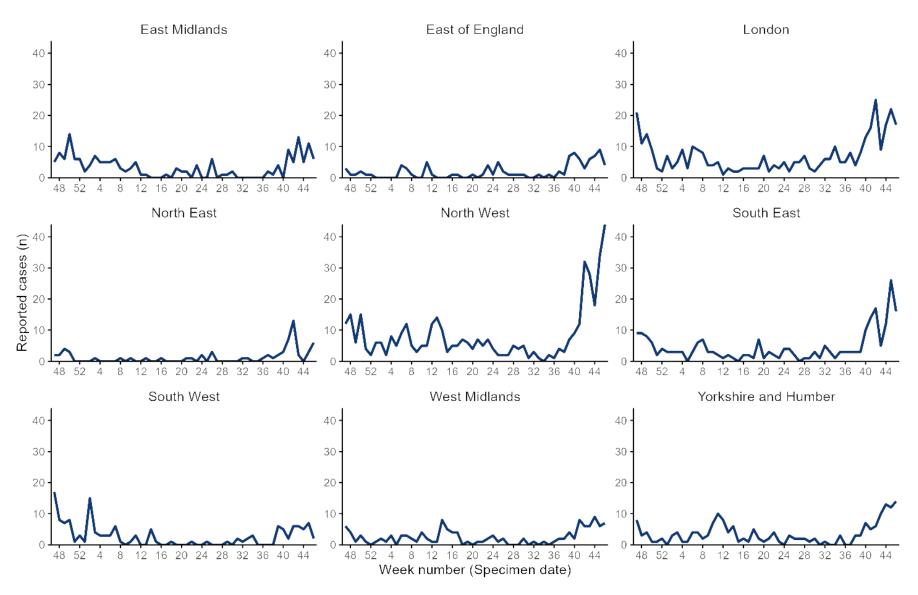
SGSS reported Influenza A cases by region (all ages)



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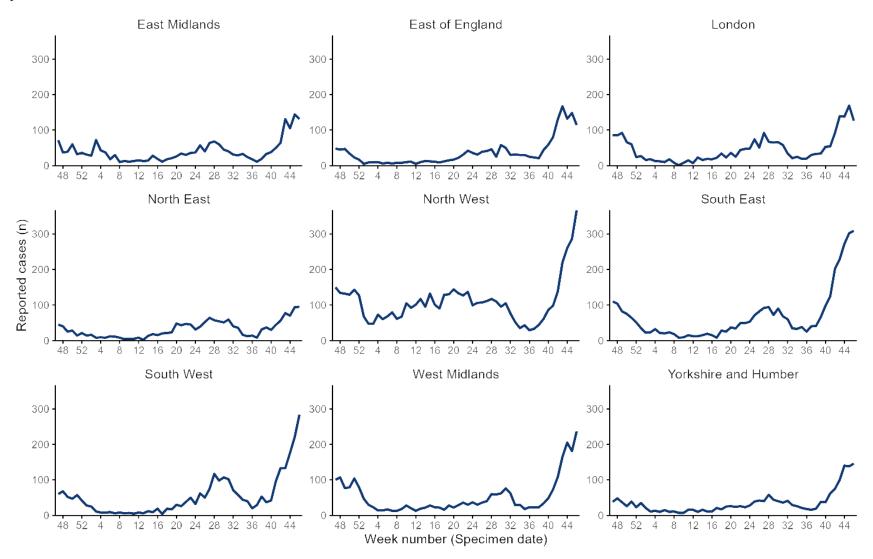
SGSS reported Influenza B cases by region (all ages)



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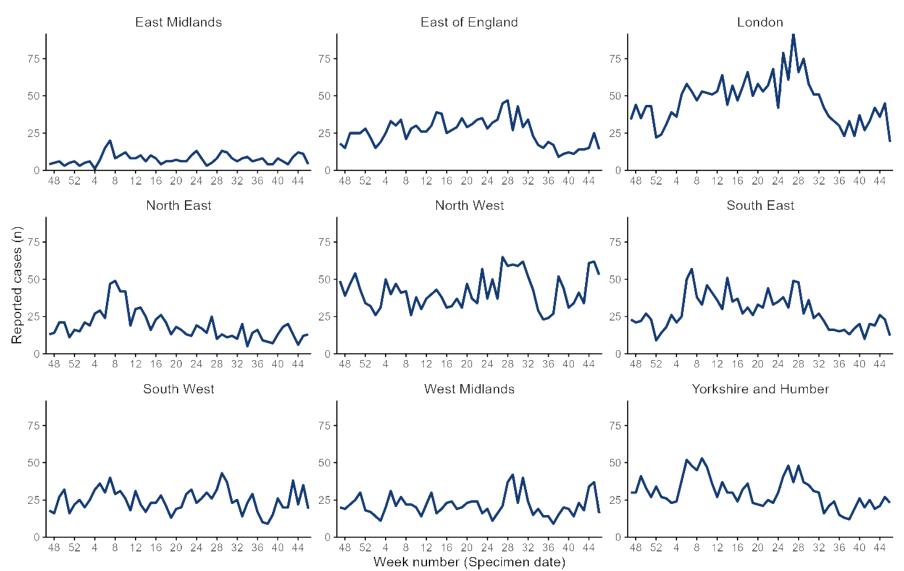
SGSS reported RSV cases by region (all ages)



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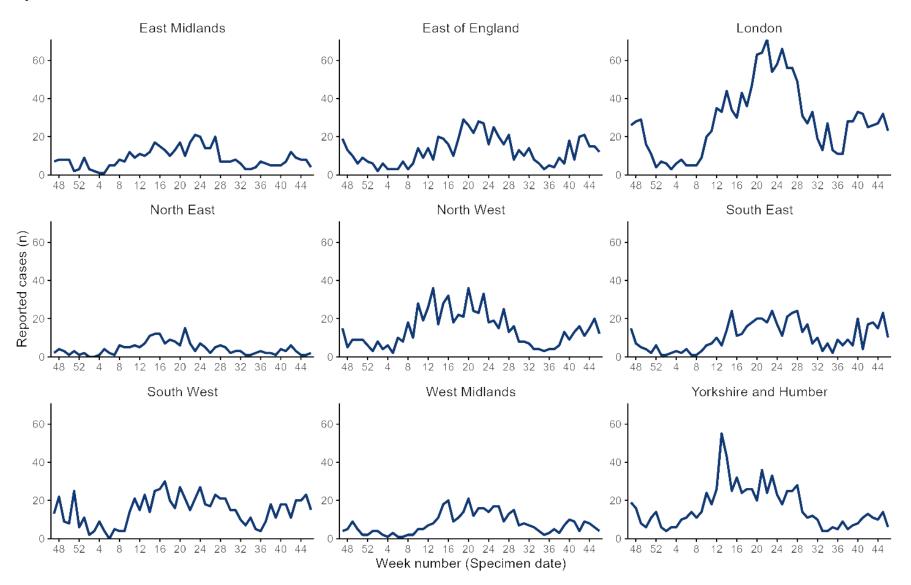
SGSS reported Adenovirus cases by region (all ages)



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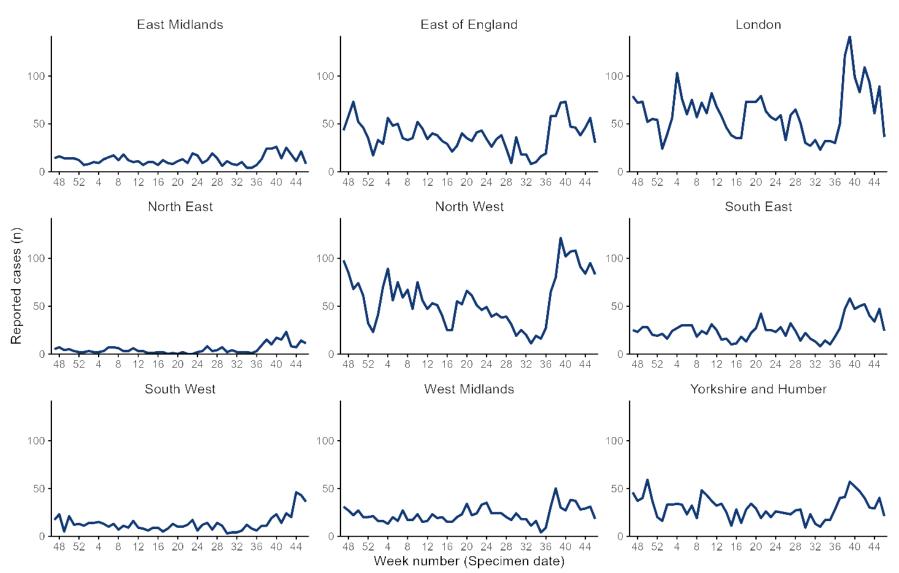
SGSS reported Parainfluenza cases by region (all ages)



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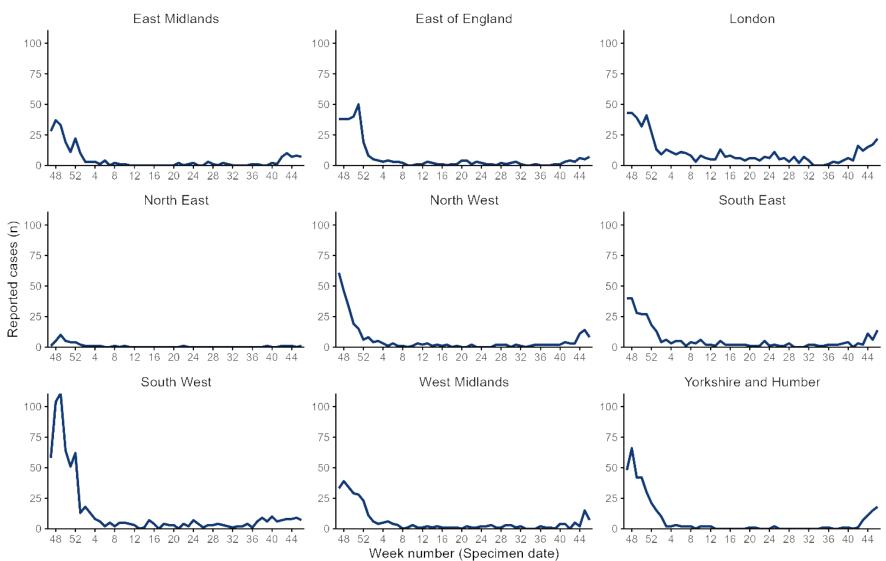
SGSS reported Rhinovirus cases by region (all ages)



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SGSS reported hMPV cases by region (all ages)



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Community surveillance



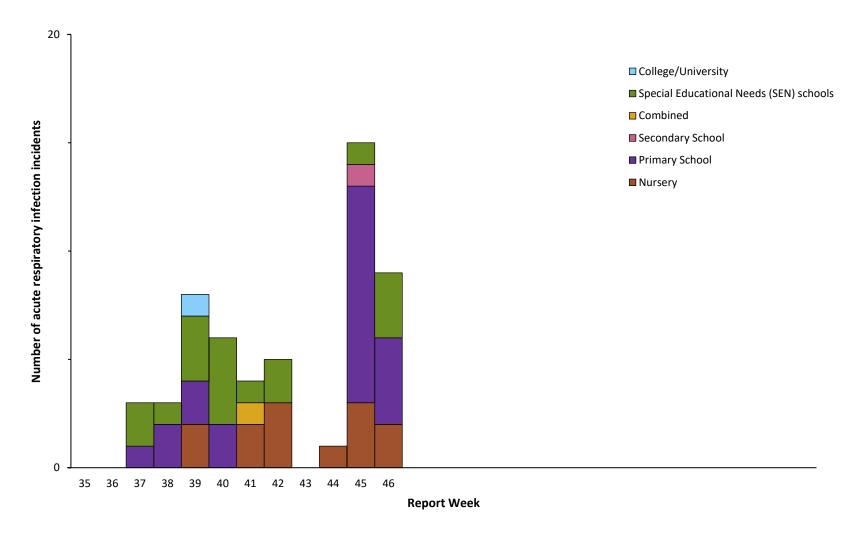
Acute respiratory infection (ARI) outbreaks linked to educational settings

Data Information

- We report on new acute respiratory infection (ARI) incidents reported to UKHSA Health Protection Teams (HPTs) and entered on HPZone in the previous reporting week by setting and locality.
- Daily and weekly aggregated surveillance reports are extracted from HPZone to generate the line listing.
- The weekly extracts include incidents reported in the previous epidemiological week (Monday to Sunday) by locality and context (setting e.g. school)
- The ARI incidents captured on HPZone represent a subset of all ongoing clusters and outbreaks in England rather than an exhaustive listing.
- SARS-CoV2 testing policies and public health guidance for different settings changed over time. This means that any interpretation of seasonal and temporal trends since March 2020 should take this into account.
- From week 14 2022 all reported outbreaks are considered suspected, in line with changes in reporting and the implementation of the living with COVID-19 plan. (Prior to this, individual cases notes for situations associated with educational settings were reviewed by an epidemiologist and an assessment made about whether the criteria for a confirmed COVID-19 cluster or outbreak were met).
- The ARI definition includes presentations of both of influenza-like illness (ILI) and other acute viral respiratory infections (AVRI). Causal pathogens can include Influenza A and B, Respiratory Syncytial Virus (RSV), adenovirus, rhinovirus, parainfluenza, human metapneumovirus (hMPV) and SARS-CoV-2.
- For further info please contact: respscidsc@ukhsa.gov.uk



Number of acute respiratory infection outbreaks reported to UKHSA by type of educational setting, England





Number of acute respiratory infection outbreaks by type of educational setting, England

End of academic year total Week 35 2021- 34 2022

	Cumulative number of suspected acute respiratory infection outbreaks by type of educational setting for the 2021/22 academic year Week 35 2021- 35 2022									
UKHSA Centres	Nursery	Primary School Secondary School		Combined	Special Educational Needs (SEN) schools	College University	Total			
Total	540	1761	596	161	1306	59	4423			

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	Cumulative number of suspected acute respiratory infection incidents by type of educational setting for the 2022/23 academic year from Week 35 2022										
UKHSA Centres	Nursery	Primary School	Secondary School	Combined	Special Educational Needs (SEN) schools	College University	Total				
East Midlands Centre	2 (0)	2 (0)	0 (0)	0 (0)	1 (0)	0 (0)	5 (0)				
East of England Centre	0 (0)	0 (0)	0 (0)	0 (0)	1 (0)	0 (0)	1 (0)				
London Centre	7 (1)	5 (1)	0 (0)	1 (0)	7 (2)	1 (0)	21 (4)				
North East Centre	2 (1)	0 (0)	0 (0)	0 (0)	0 (0)	0 (0)	2 (1)				
North West Center	0 (0)	2 (0)	0 (0)	0 (0)	3 (1)	0 (0)	5 (1)				
South East Centre	0 (0)	0 (0)	1 (0)	0 (0)	0 (0)	0 (0)	1 (0)				
South West Centre	1 (0)	2 (0)	0 (0)	0 (0)	3 (0)	0 (0)	6 (0)				
West Midlands Centre	0 (0)	6 (1)	0 (0)	0 (0)	0 (0)	0 (0)	6 (1)				
Yorkshire & the Humber	1 (0)	4 (2)	0 (0)	0 (0)	2 (0)	0 (0)	7 (2)				
Total	13 (2)	21 (4)	1 (0)	1 (0)	17 (3)	1 (0)	54 (9)				

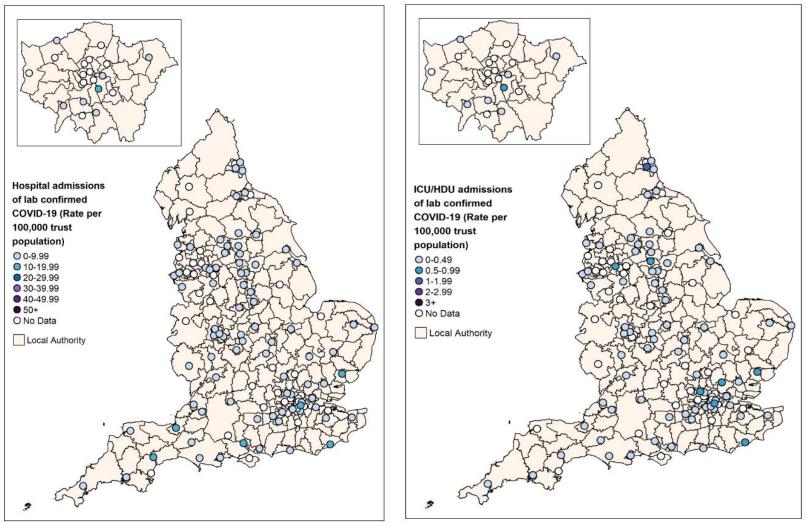
^{*} Number of acute respiratory infection for the most recent week in brackets



Secondary Care surveillance



Weekly admission rates for hospital and ICU/HDU laboratory confirmed COVID-19 cases reported through SARI Watch, week 46

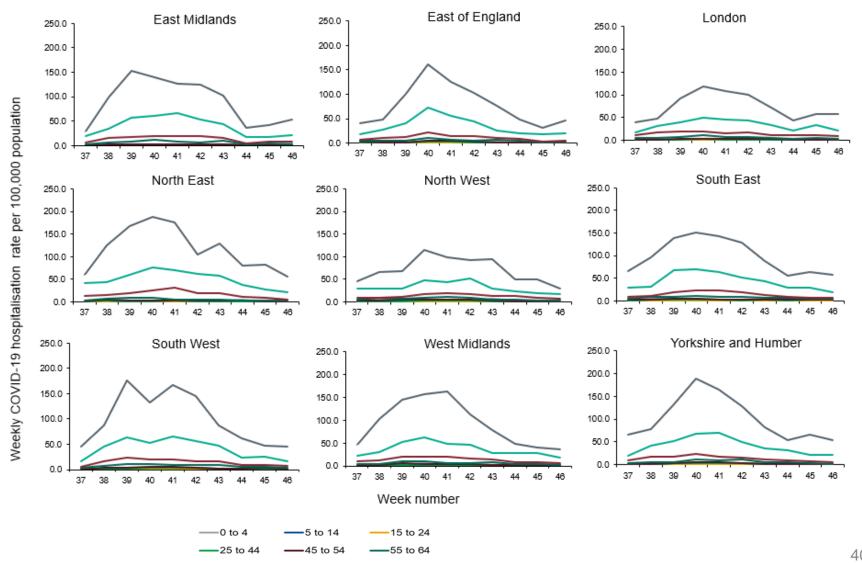


Source: UKHSA SARI-Watch (Severe Acute Respiratory Infection-Watch, formerly CHESS).

^{*}Only NHS Acute trusts that have reported ≥1_day in the past week; excludes Specialist trusts. Acute NHS trusts (including Specialist trusts) reporting into SARI-Watch COVID-19 hospitalisation surveillance are typically around 100 per week. This was 91 for the hospitalisation (all levels of care) indicator in week 14 November 2022 to 20 November inclusive and 82 trusts for the ICU/HDU indicator. For the maps, as Specialist trusts are excluded, the number of trusts providing data on COVID-19 hospitalisations in week ending 20 November 2022 was 83 and 75 for ICU/HDU admissions for COVID-19.



Weekly COVID-19 hospitalisation rate per 100,000 trust catchment population by age group and region, weeks 37 to 46



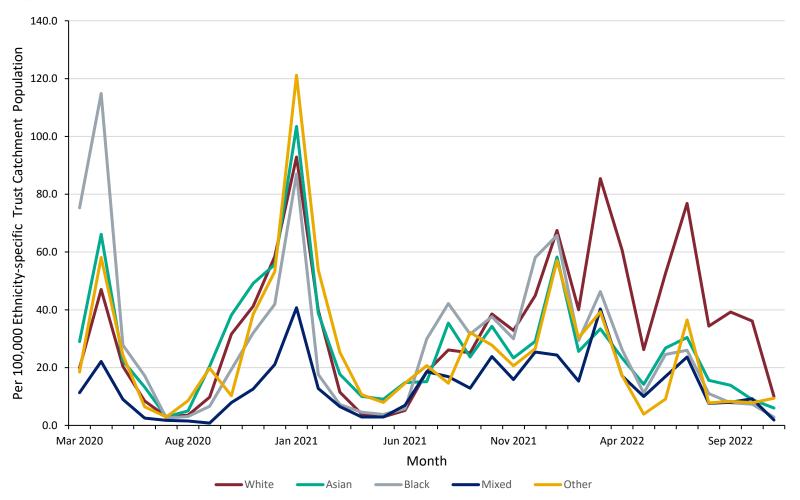
65 to 74

75 to 84

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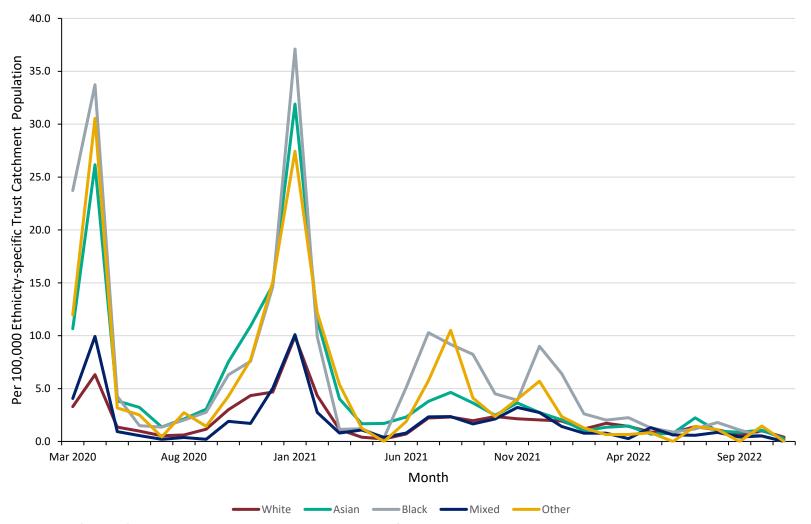
Hospital admission rate (excluding ICU/HDU) by ethnicity per 100,000 trust catchment population, by month



Caveat: From week 24 (2021) the ethnicity analysis is based on a new method for assigning ethnicity, developed by UKHSA. The previous method used the most recent ethnicity recorded through linkage to Hospital Episode Statistics. However, this method led to unfeasibly high rates in the 'Other' ethnic group when applied to COVID-19 cases, hospitalisation or mortality. The new method uses the most frequent was 'Other' when the second most frequent was chosen.



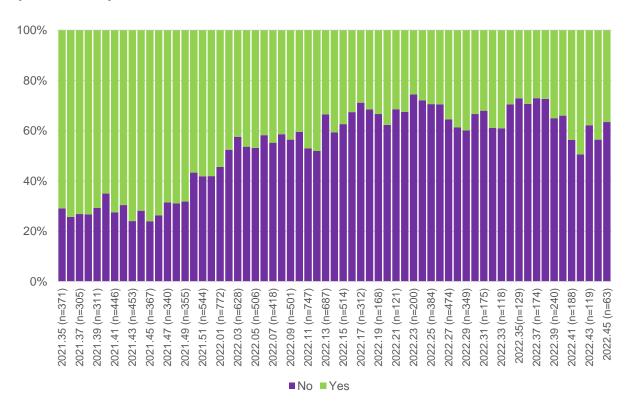
Rate of admission to ICU/HDU by ethnicity, per 100,000 trust catchment population, by month



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COVID-19 as primary reason for admission among SARS-CoV-2 positive patient by week of admission



Notes

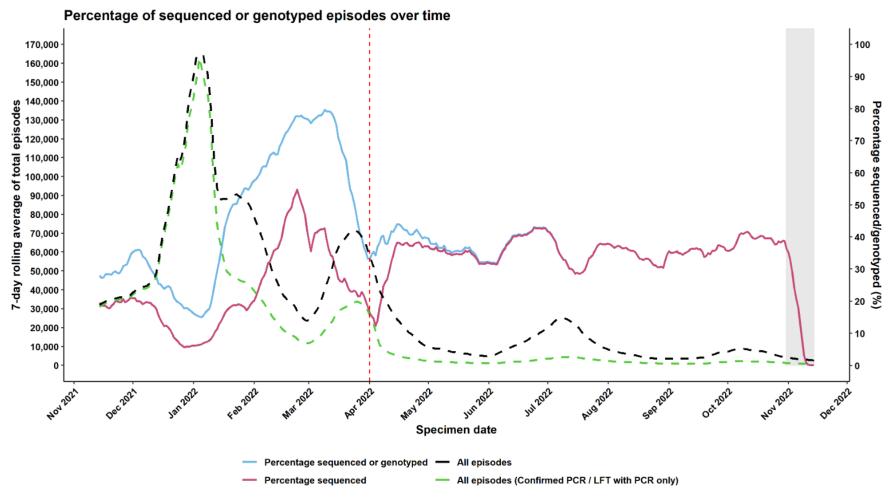
- 1) Case-level sentinel data from SARI-Watch, form week 35 2021 (commencing 30 August 2021) to week 45 2022 (ending 13 November 2022) inclusive
- 2) Total 30,166 records in period of analysis, of which 33% (n=10,053) had COVID-19 as primary reason for admission ('Yes').
- 3) SARS-CoV-2 patients with evidence of COVID-19 treatment but have 'No' or 'Unknown' for COVID-19 as primary reason for admission (n=1,057) are reassigned to COVID-19 as primary reason of admission (Yes').
- 4) Reassignment increases COVID-19 as primary reason for admission ('Yes') from 10,053 to 11,110
- 5) 25% (7,400/30,166) of total records in this period have missing data on the 'Admission due to COVID-19' indicator these are excluded from analysis
- 6) Caveats: London trusts under-represented and most recent weeks are subject to retrospective updates



SARS-CoV-2 Whole Genome Sequencing (WGS) coverage, England



Coverage of sequencing with a valid result and genotyping over time (16 October 2021 to 16 October 2022)



Data extract from 15 November 2022; data from 14 November 2021 to 14 November 2022.

Grey shading was applied to the previous 14 days to account for reporting delays in sequencing data.

Episodes where the individual only tested using a lateral flow device are not included in the percentage denominator.

Episodes where the individual only tested using a lateral flow device are excluded. Grey shading was applied to the previous 14 days to account for reporting delays in sequencing data



Preceding/co-/secondary infections with COVID-19

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Preceding/co-/secondary infections with COVID-19

- Caveat undertesting for other pathogens may result in an underestimate of preceding/co-/secondary infection cases.
- Preceding/co-/secondary infections refers to when a patient has a COVID-19 infection with one or more other pathogen (Please see Appendix 1 – Preceding/co-/secondary infection with COVID-19 definitions.)
 - Preceding infection: SARS-CoV-2 acquired after another pathogen
 - Co-infection: SARS-CoV-2 and other pathogen acquired at the same time
 - Secondary infection: SARS-CoV-2 acquired before another pathogen
- Numbers of preceding/co-/secondary infection remain low across UKHSA surveillance systems.
- For patients with severe respiratory failure requiring Extra Corporeal Membrane
 Oxygenation (ECMO), analysis of data from five adult ECMO centres in England indicates
 that among patients with severe respiratory failure due to COVID-19, almost a third of
 these have co/secondary infections.
- Published data analyses from pandemic wave 1 (W-1) indicates increased mortality associated with COVID-19 and <u>influenza</u>, <u>key bacterial and fungal infections</u> and <u>invasive</u> <u>pneumococcal disease (IPD)</u> in comparison to patients without co/secondary infection.
- <u>Data analysis</u> from W-1 indicates that *Aspergillus* and *candidemia* cases have increased risk of mortality in comparison to patients without co/secondary infection.



Co/secondary infections among patients with severe respiratory failure requiring Extra Corporeal Membrane Oxygenation (ECMO)

Analysis is based on cumulative data from five adult ECMO centres in England. Surveillance is all year round. Each season commences around October (ISO week 40) ending in September (ISO week 39) in the following year.

Data for the current season (2021-22) is from 4 October 2021 to 2 October 2022 inclusive (week 40 2021 to week 39 2022). This period includes effects from the Delta and Omicron waves of the pandemic. The 2020-21 season is from 28 September 2020 to 3 October 2021 inclusive and includes effects from the Alpha and Delta waves. The 2019-20 season is from 30 September 2019 to 27 September 2020 inclusive and includes effects from the original Wuhan strain.

- In the 2021-22 season, 40% (31/77) of ECMO patients admitted for severe respiratory failure due to laboratory confirmed COVID-19 had clinically significant co/secondary infections. In the previous season (2020-21) this proportion was 33% (134/402). In the 2019-20 season this proportion was 33% (79/236).
- In all three seasons the majority of clinically significant co/secondary infections among respiratory failure COVID-19 cases comprised Gram-negative bacilli from the order Enterobacterales:
 - 45% (14/31) in the current season 2021-22
 - 32% (43/134) in 2020-21 and 46% (36/79) in 2019-20.
 - The decrease in 2020-21 compared to 2019-20 reached borderline significance (p=0.057). No change was
 detected in other key pathogens between these two time periods.
 - No evidence of change was detected in the proportion of co/secondary infections due to Enterobacterales between 2020-21 and 2021-2022.



Surveillance of bacterial, fungal and viral infections, in COVID-19 patients in England, Jul 2022 – Nov 2022

HCAI, Fungal, AMR, AMU & Sepsis Division



Updates

- The following outputs included in this section have been produced via the Unified Infection Dataset (UID), combining previously separate data pipelines
 - Key HCAI bacterial and fungal specimens reported to SGSS and HCAI data capture system
 - Respiratory viral specimens reported to SGSS and Respiratory Datamart
- Data are provisional and subject to change due to possible delayed reporting of microbiological samples
- Free community testing ended 31 March 2022 as part of the government's Living with COVID-19 plan, with asymptomatic testing continuing in some settings. As of 31 August 2022, asymptomatic testing in all settings, including hospitals, has been paused. Please use caution when comparing incidence of bacterial, fungal and viral preceding/co-/secondary infections over time due to these differences in testing strategies.



Number of COVID-19 patient-episodes with bacterial, fungal or respiratory viral infections in COVID-19 patients diagnosed in England from ISO week 27 of 2022*, by infection type and timing of diagnosis

Bacterial/ fungal/ viral infection by specimen type	COVI pation episodo bacto funga infec	ent- es with erial/ I/ viral	nt- diagnosis s with ial/ viral Preceding infection Coinfection Secondary infection			•	findings: 0.5% of COVID- 19 patient- episodes had a bacterial, fungal or other respiratory viral						
	n	% of COVID cases	n	% infections by site	% of COVID cases	n	% infections by site	% of COVID cases	n	% infections by site	% of COVID cases		infection detected in either the 28 days prior or
Bacterial/fungal bloodstream & lower respiratory infection	33	<0.01	9	27.27	<0.01	6	18.18	<0.01	18	54.55	<0.01		following their COVID-19 diagnosis.
Bacterial/fungal bloodstream infection	3,139	0.35	1,598	50.91	0.18	736	23.45	0.08	805	25.65	0.09		Most infections with key
Bacterial/fungal lower respiratory infection	603	0.07	210	34.83	0.02	103	17.08	0.01	290	48.09	0.03		organisms were categorised as
Clostridioides difficile infection	374	0.04	176	47.06	0.02	46	12.30	0.01	152	40.64	0.02		preceding infections (43.4%).
Other respiratory virus infection	750	0.08	131	17.47	0.01	482	64.27	0.05	137	18.27	0.02		
Any site†	4,917	0.55	2,135	43.42	0.24	1,374	27.94	0.15	1,408	28.64	0.16		

Please see appendix 1 for pre-/co-/secondary infection definitions with SARS-CoV-2

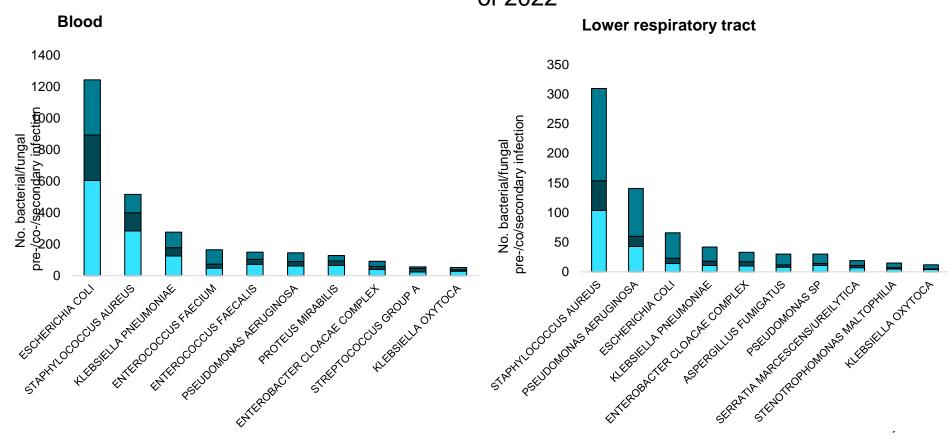
Please note patients can have multiple COVID-19 infection-episodes, numbers here do not reflect the number of patients. *SARS-CoV2 specimen dates from 4 July 2022 to 16 Oct 2022 (N=896,484). Last updated 19 Nov 2022.

† other sites not listed in table but included in total: Bacterial/fungal bloodstream & Clostridioides difficile infection (9 preceding, 1 coinfection & 4 secondary) & Bacterial/fungal lower respiratory & Clostridioides difficile infection (2 preceding & 2 secondary) Please note, the MRL pipeline has been suspended due to delayed reporting since March 2022. Fungal infections from SGSS will only be reported (HCAI pipeline) until the MRL pipeline is resumed.

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UK Health Most frequent bacterial/fungal species in blood or lower respiratory tract specimens, Security Agency by timing of diagnosis, in COVID-19 patients diagnosed in England from ISO week 27 of 2022



Key findings:

In wave 3, the most frequent bacterial/fungal organisms identified from blood specimens were Escherichia coli, Staphylococcus aureus and Klebsiella pneumoniae and from respiratory specimens were S. aureus, Pseudomonas aeruginosa and E. coli.

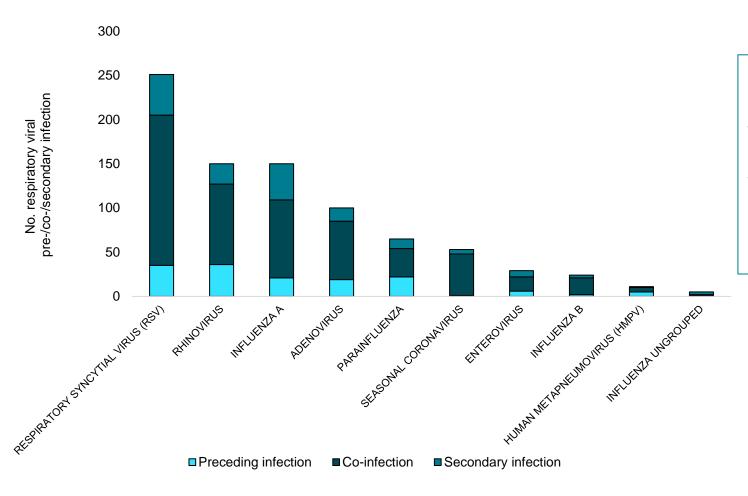
Co-infection

■ Secondary infection

Preceding infection



10st frequent viral specimens, by timing of diagnosis, in COVID-19 patients diagnosed in England from ISO week 27 of 2022



Key findings:

In wave 3, the most frequent viral organisms identified from respiratory specimens were RSV, rhinovirus and influenza A.



Appendix 1: Pre-/co-/secondary infection definitions with COVID-19

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		Definition of infection pre-SARS-CoV-2 infection (other pathogen is primary infection)					
Organism	Definition co-infection with SARS-CoV-2 †	or					
		Definition of post SARS-CoV-2 secondary infection (SARS-CoV-2 is primary infection)					
nfluenza A	+/- 1d	2-28d^					
nfluenza B	+/- 1d	2-28d^					
RSV	+/- 1d	2-28d					
Adenovirus	+/- 1d	2-28d					
Enterovirus	+/- 1d	2-28d					
Human metapneumovirus	+/- 1d	2-28d					
Parainfluenza (any subtype)	+/- 1d	2-28d					
Seasonal coronavirus	+/- 1d *	2-28d					
Rhinovirus	+/- 1d	2-28d					
Co-infections in ECMO patient (patient	nts with most severe clinical respiratory signs)						
ECMO patients	Individual case review	Individual case review					
Blood stream and respiratory infection	ns (bacterial and fungal)						
Achromobacter xylosoxidans	+/- 1d	2-28d					
Acinetobacter spp.,	+/- 1d	2-28d					
Aspergillus	+/- 1d	2-28d (pre) 2-60d (post, continually hospitalised patients only)					
Bordetella pertussis	+/- 28 d Culture/PCR (based on pertussis sample date) +/- 28 Serology/Oral fluid (anti-pertussis toxin Ig) (based on pertussis symptom onset date, excluding cases without onset date)	N/A (Pertussis presentation is often delayed)					
Burkholderia cepacia	+/- 1d	2-28d					
Candida spp	+/- 1d	2-28d (pre) 2-60d (post, continually hospitalised patients only)					
Chlamydia pneumoniae	0-7d PCR	PCR within 14-28 d (8-13d PCR*)					
Enterobacter spp.,	+/- 1d	2-28d					
Enterococcus spp.	+/- 1d	2-28d					
E. coli	+/- 1d	2-28d					
Haemophilus influenzae	+/- 2d	3-28d					

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Blood stream and respiratory infections (ba	acterial and fungal)						
Klebsiella spp.	+/- 1d	2-28d					
Legionella pneumophila/species	Individual case review	Individual case review					
Mycoplasma pneumoniae	0-7d PCR, IgM serology 0-21d <16y	PCR within 14-28 d (8-13d PCR*)					
Neisseria meningitidis	+/- 2d	3-28d					
Pseudomonas spp.,	+/- 1d	2-28d					
Serratia spp.,	+/- 1d	2-28d					
Staphylococcus aureus	+/- 1d	2-28d					
Coag-neg Staphylococcus (S.	+/- 1d	2-28d					
haemolyticus)							
Stenotrophomonas spp., (S. maltophilia)	+/- 1d	2-28d					
Streptococcus spp. ‡	+/- 1d	2-28d					
Streptococcus pneumoniae	+/- 2d	3-28d					
Tuberculosis							
Mycobacterium tuberculosis	Individual case review	Individual case review					
Pathogens of the immunocompromised (eg	g HIV)						
HIV	Individual case review	Individual case review					
Gastrointestinal infections							
Listeria	0-5d *	Individual case review					
Campylobacter	0-5d *	Individual case review					
Shiga toxin-producing <i>E. coli</i> (STEC)	0-5d *	Individual case review					
Norovirus	0-5d *	Individual case review					
Salmonella	0-5d *	Individual case review					
Shigella	0-5d *	Individual case review					
Anaerobes							
C. difficile	+/- 1d	2-28d					
Bacteroides sp. (B. fragilis and non-fragilis	+/- 1d	2-28d					
Bacteroides)							



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Notes

- † From the first specimen date of a SARS-CoV-2 patient episode.
- * Additional data check required. (Resistance is not detailed, data for MERS is not currently available).
- ^ Definition post- SARS-CoV-2 secondary infection (SARS-CoV-2 is primary infection). This has been extended from prior 14d secondary infection definition for influenza used by UKHSA to account for disparities in testing throughout the 28d period after SARS-CoV-2 detection.
- ‡ Streptococcus species includes the following groups and species:

Group	Species/other names
Anginosus Group	Streptococcus anginosus; Streptococcus constellatus (Streptococcus constellatus subspecies constellatus Streptococcus
	constellatus subspecies pharynges); Streptococcus Group F; Streptococcus intermedius; Streptococcus milleri group;
	Streptococcus sinensis
Bovis Group	Streptococcus alactolyticus; Streptococcus bovis untyped; Streptococcus equinus; Streptococcus gallolyticus subspecies
	gallolyticus (Streptococcus bovis biotype I); Streptococcus infantarius (Streptococcus infantarius sp infantarius; Streptococcus
	bovis biotype II); Streptococcus lutetiensis; Streptococcus infantarius subspecies coli (Streptococcus bovis biotype II);
	Streptococcus pasteurianus (Streptococcus bovis biotype II)
Closely Related Genera	Abiotrophia spp.; Aerococcus spp.; Faklamia spp.; Gemella spp.; Globicatella sanguinis; Granulicatella spp.; Leuconostoc
·	spp.; Pedicoccus spp.; Peptostreptococcus spp.
Mitis Group	Streptococcus cristatus; Streptococcus mitior; Streptococcus mitis; Streptococcus oralis; Streptococcus pseudopneumoniae;
	Streptococcus infantis; Streptococcus peroris
Mutans Group	Streptococcus mutans; Streptococcus sobrinus
Other streptococci (including but not	Anaerobic streptococcus; Streptococcus acidominimus; Streptococcus spp., other named/not fully identified; Streptococcus
limited to)	suis; Streptococcus uberis
Salivarius Group	Streptococcus vestibularis; Streptococcus thermophilus
Sanguinis Group	Streptococcus gordonii; Streptococcus massiliensis; Streptococcus parasanguinis; Streptococcus sanguinis
Streptococcus Group A	Group A; Streptococcus pyogenes; Streptococcus dysgalactiae subspecies equisimilis
Streptococcus Group B	Group B; Streptococcus agalactiae
Streptococcus Group C	Group C; Streptococcus dysgalactiae subspecies equisimilis; Streptococcus equi subspecies zooepidemicus
Streptococcus Group G	Group G; Streptococcus canis; Streptococcus dysgalactiae subspecies equisimilis