

## **Respiratory Report**

Week 43: October 19 - October 25, 2025

The Respiratory Report summarizes influenza, COVID-19, and Respiratory Syncytial Virus (RSV) activity in the City of Cleveland during each week of respiratory illness season. Respiratory illness season starts at the beginning of October (MMWR week 40\*) and lasts until mid-May the following year (MMWR week 20).

## Week 43 Summary

- 1.3% of emergency department (ED) visits were for influenza-like illnesses (ILI) with fever.
- There were 2 hospitalizations for COVID reported this week. Hospitalization and death data often experience a delay in reporting, so more data for this week may appear on future reports.
- CDPH is investigating 1 COVID-19 outbreak in a congregate care setting.

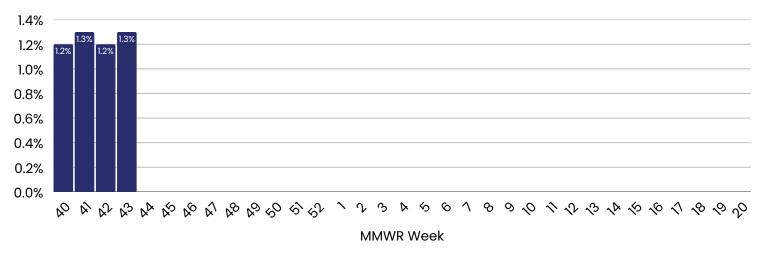
Metric	Count This Week (% of total)	Compared to Last Week	Season Total (% of total)
ED Visits for ILI + Fever	64 (1.3%)	+10 (19% increase)	250 (1.2%)
Influenza Hospitalizations	0		0
COVID Hospitalizations	2	+1	3
RSV Hospitalizations	0		0

<sup>\*</sup>An MMWR week is the CDC's standard weekly calendar for tracking health data. Each week runs Sunday to Saturday. Each year, Week 1 is the week containing the first Thursday of January.

Data extracted on 10/31/2025. Data are preliminary and subject to change.

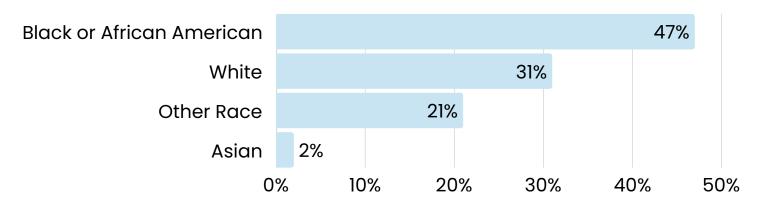
## **Emergency Department (ED) Visits**

Percentage of ED visits for ILI + Fever by MMWR Week, 2025-2026



Source: Health Monitoring Systems: EpiCenter 3.5.18. Data extracted on 10/31/2025.

ED Visits for ILI + Fever by Demographic, Week 43



23% are Hispanic or Latino



