

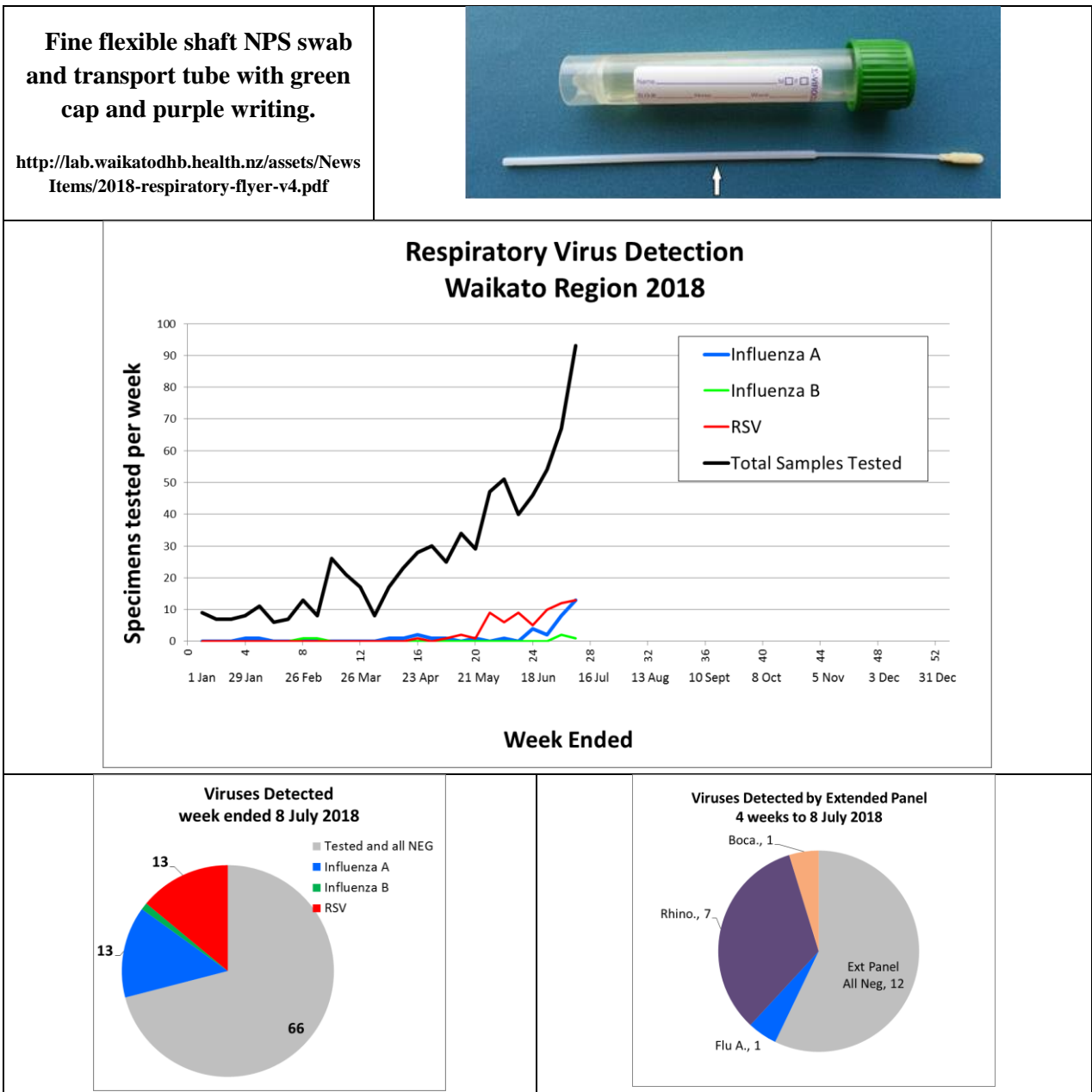
Waikato Respiratory Virus Report

Week to 8 July 2018

Week 27 2018

Influenza A is well established now and increasing rapidly. RSV and Rhinoviruses also continue to circulate at moderate, winter-season levels.

Please use the fine nasopharyngeal swab and indicate on the request form that it is indeed nasopharyngeal, not the “nasal swab” as would be done for MRSA screening.



Waikato Hospital laboratory web site: <http://lab.waikatodhb.health.nz/>

NZ National Surveillance: <https://www.esr.cri.nz/our-services/consultancy/flu-surveillance-and-research>