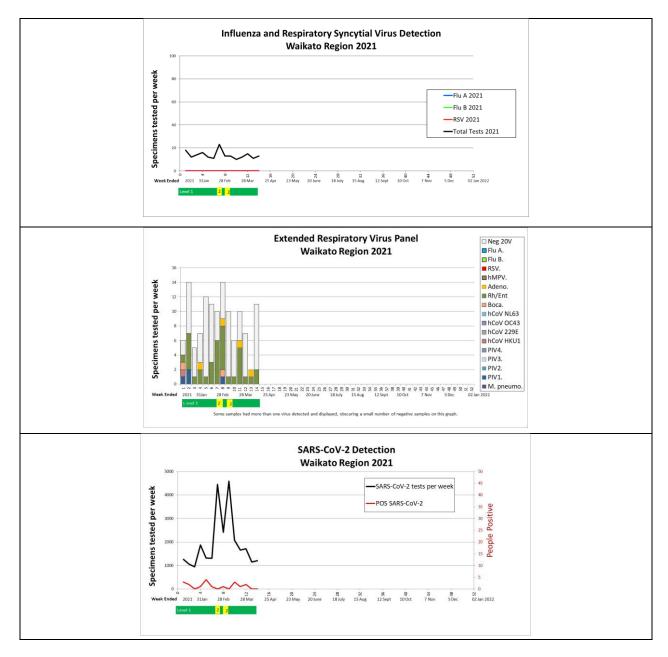
Waikato Respiratory Virus Report

Week to 11 April 2021

Influenza and RSV are still absent. That may change, as travellers come from Australia without quarantine. RSV has circulated recently at very high levels, in several states in Australia (ref below), and can be expected to appear here. Rhinovirus and other respiratory virus activity remain at low levels too. The recent intensive SARS-CoV-2 testing has also returned to low levels of only 1000 tests per week.



Waikato laboratory web site and virus report archive: https://lab.waikatodhb.health.nz/news/
Global Influenza surveillance: https://www.who.int/influenza/en/
WHO global COVID situation page https://www.who.int/health-topics/coronavirus
Interseasonal RSV in Australia Clin Infect Dis 17 Feb 2021 https://academic.oup.com/cid/advance-article/doi/10.1093/cid/ciaa1906/6140790