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Disease Surveillance Report for MMWR Week 36

Weekly Disease Surveillance Report

KEY INDICATORS^{1,2}|MMWR WEEK 36^{3,4}|9/06/15 TO 9/12/15

Syndromic Indicators

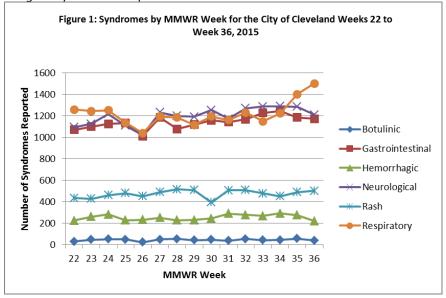
Respiratory syndromes represented the largest number of cases for the week

- Cases peaked on Friday, September, 11th, 2015
- Cases increased by 7.06% compared to last week (1)
- Cases increased by 12.43% compared to last year⁵ (↑)
- Overall cases have been trending upward (↑1 week)

Neurological syndromes represented the second largest number of cases for the week

- Cases peaked on Friday, September 11th, 2015
- Cases decreased by 5.68% compared to last week (↓)
- Cases increased by 22.67% compared to last year (1)
- Overall cases have been trending downward (\$\daggeq 1 \text{ week}\$)

Botulinic syndromes represented the largest percentage weekly decrease among all syndromes reported at 26.79%



Infectious Disease Symptoms Indicators

Fever symptoms represented the largest number of cases for the week

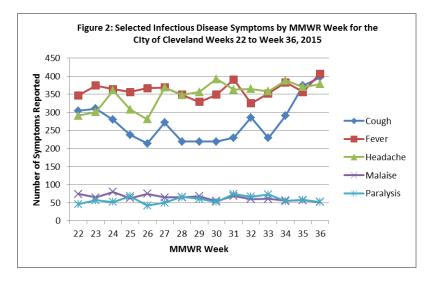
- Cases peaked on Tuesday, September 8th, 2015
- Cases increased by 14.33% compared to last week (↑)
- Cases decreased by 6.00% compared to last year (↓)
- Overall cases have been trending upward (↑1 week)

Cough symptoms represented the second largest number of cases for the week

- Cases peaked on Tuesday, September 8th, 2015
- Cases increased by 6.15% compared to last week (1)
- Cases decreased by 4.80% compared to last year (1)
- Overall cases have been trending upward (↑1 week)

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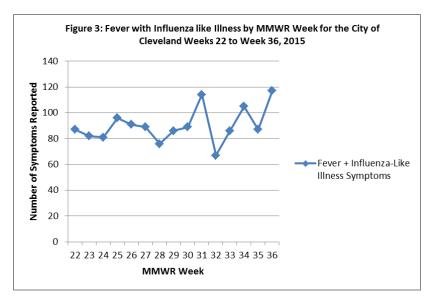
Paralysis symptoms represented the largest weekly decrease among all symptoms reported at 10.34%



Influenza Indicators

Fever + Influenza like Illness represented the largest number of cases for the week:

- Cases peaked on Tuesday, September 8th, 2015
- Cases increased by 34.48% compared to last week (↑)
- Cases increased by 12.50% compared to last year (↑)
- Overall cases have been trending upward (↑1 week)



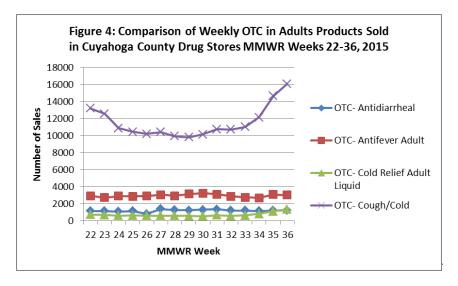
Over-the-Counter (OTC) Medication Sales for Adults (Cuyahoga County)

Cough/Cold medication represented the largest number of sales for the week:

- Sales peaked on Wednesday, September 9th, 2015
- Sales increased by 9.55% compared to last week (1)
- Sales increased by 2.78% compared to last year (↑)
- Overall sales have been trending upward (↑1 week)

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Cold Relief Adult Liquid medications represented the largest weekly increase among all OTC adult medications at 19.87%

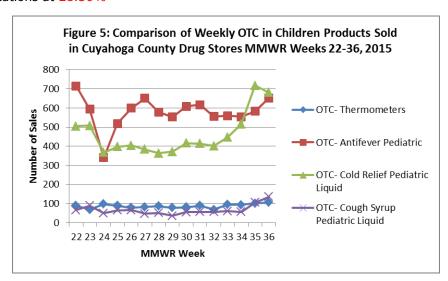


Over-the-Counter (OTC) Medication Sales for Children (Cuyahoga County)

Cold Relief Pediatric Liquid medication represented the largest number of sales for the week:

- Sales peaked on Tuesday, September 8th, 2015
- Sales decreased by 5.29% compared to last week (↓)
- Sales decreased by 19.81% compared to last year (↓)
- Overall sales have been trending downward (↓1 week)

Cough Syrup Pediatric Liquid medications represented the largest weekly increase among all OTC children medications at 28.30%



¹Source: Ohio EpiCenter, the Ohio Disease Reporting System (ODRS) and the National Retail Data Monitor (NRDM RODS)

Comparison based upon 2015 MMWR Week 36 and EpiCenter and NRDM RODs data from July 2015 through September 2015

²Key indicators are select illness classifications among Cleveland residents who visited the hospital and Cuyahoga County resident's medication sales. The data are reported in real-time. Residents can be classified into more than one illness classification. Data has been conditioned for day-of-week effect.

³MMWR Week Fact Sheet: http://wwwn.cdc.gov/nndss/document/MMWR_Week_overview.pdf

⁴2015 MMWR Weeks: http://www.clevelandhealth.org/Health/CommunicableDisease/Statistics.html ⁵

⁶Source: Real-time Outbreak and Disease Surveillance (RODS)