# **HINT Report**

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Disease Surveillance Report for MMWR Week 5

## Weekly Disease Surveillance Report

## **KEY INDICATORS<sup>1,2</sup>|MMWR WEEK 5<sup>3,4</sup>|2/1/15 TO 2/7/15**

#### **Syndromic Indicators**

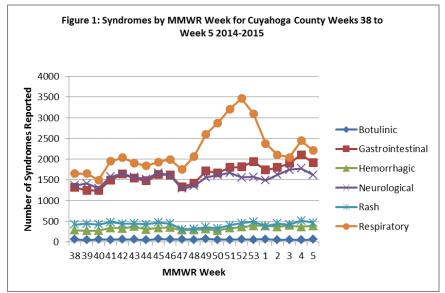
Respiratory syndromes represented the largest number of cases for the week

- Cases peaked on Wednesday, February 4<sup>th</sup>, 2015
- Cases decreased by -9.53% compared to last week ( $\downarrow$ )
- Cases increased by 23.93% compared to last year<sup>5</sup>(<sup>†</sup>)

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

- Cases peaked on Tuesday, February 3<sup>rd</sup>, 2015
- Cases decreased by -8.88% compared to last week ( $\downarrow$ )
- Cases increased by 26.83% compared to last year (↑)
- Overall cases have been trending downward (\$1\$ week)

Rash syndromes represented the largest percentage weekly decrease among all syndromes reported at -10.29\%



#### **Infectious Disease Symptoms Indicators**

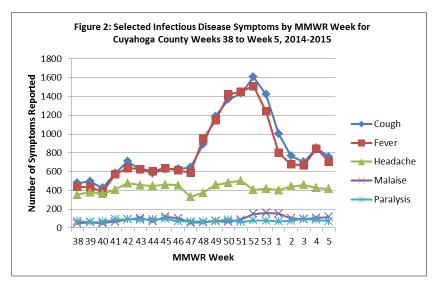
Cough symptoms represented the largest number of cases for the week

- Cases peaked on Wednesday, February 4<sup>th</sup>, 2015
- Cases decreased by -11.14% compared to last week ( $\downarrow$ )
- Cases increased by 38.07% compared to last year<sup>5</sup> (<sup>†</sup>)
- Overall cases have been trending downward (\$1\$ week)

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

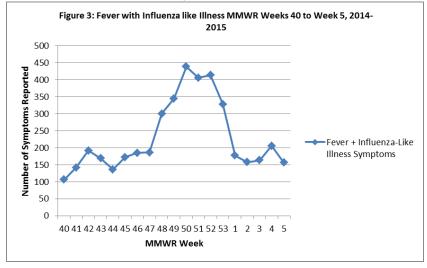
- Cases peaked on Wednesday, February 4<sup>th</sup>, 2015
- Cases decreased by -16.35% compared to last week  $(\downarrow)$
- Cases increased by 35.77% compared to last year<sup>5</sup> (<sup>†</sup>)
- Overall cases have been trending downward (\$1\$ week)

Fever symptoms represented the largest weekly decrease among all symptoms reported at -16.35%



#### **Influenza Indicators**

- Fever + Influenza like Illnesses reported for this week:
  - Cases peaked on Wednesday, February 4<sup>th</sup>, 2015
  - Cases decreased by -24.27% compared to last week(↓)
  - Cases increased by 21.88% compared to last year (<sup>1</sup>)



<sup>1</sup>Source: Ohio EpiCenter and the Ohio Disease Reporting System (ODRS)

 $^{2}$ Key indicators are select illness classifications among Cuyahoga County residents who visited the hospital. 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.

<sup>3</sup>MMWR Week Fact Sheet: <u>http://wwwn.cdc.gov/nndss/document/MMWR\_Week\_overview.pdf</u>

<sup>4</sup>2014 and 2015 MMWR Weeks: <u>http://www.clevelandhealth.org/Health/CommunicableDisease/Statistics.html</u><sup>5</sup>

Comparison based upon 2014-2015 MMWR Week 5 and EpiCenter data from September 2014 through February 2015

<sup>6</sup>Source: Real-time Outbreak and Disease Surveillance (RODS)