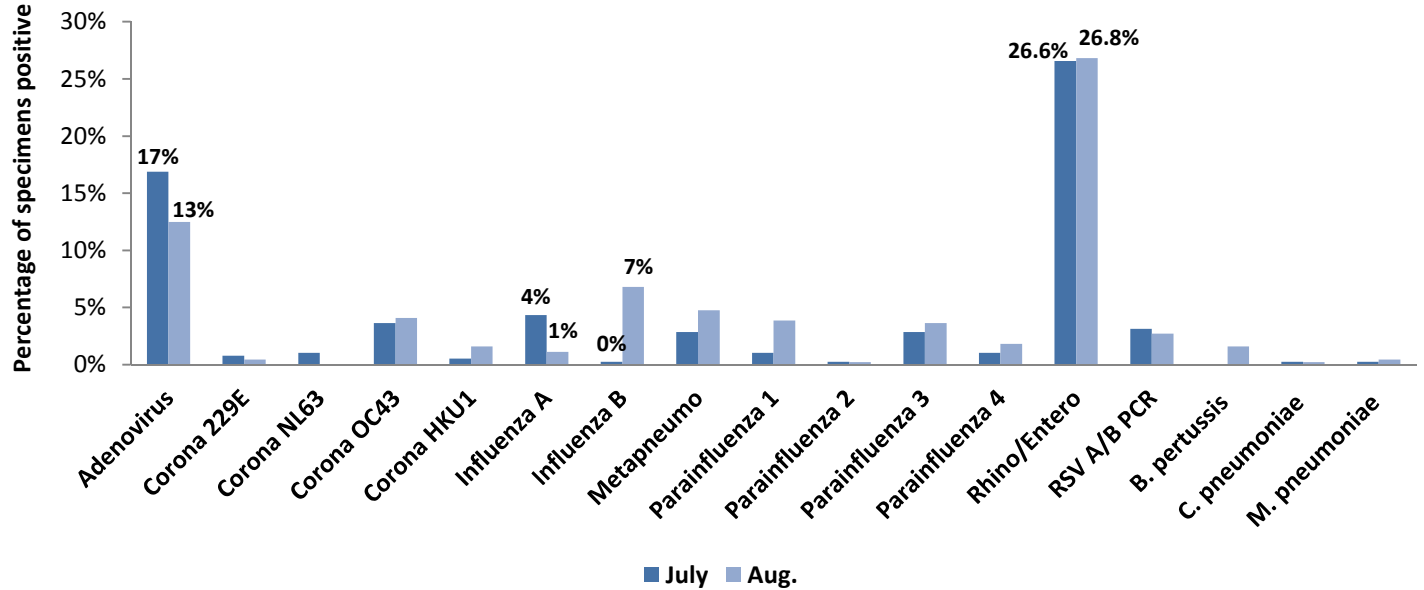


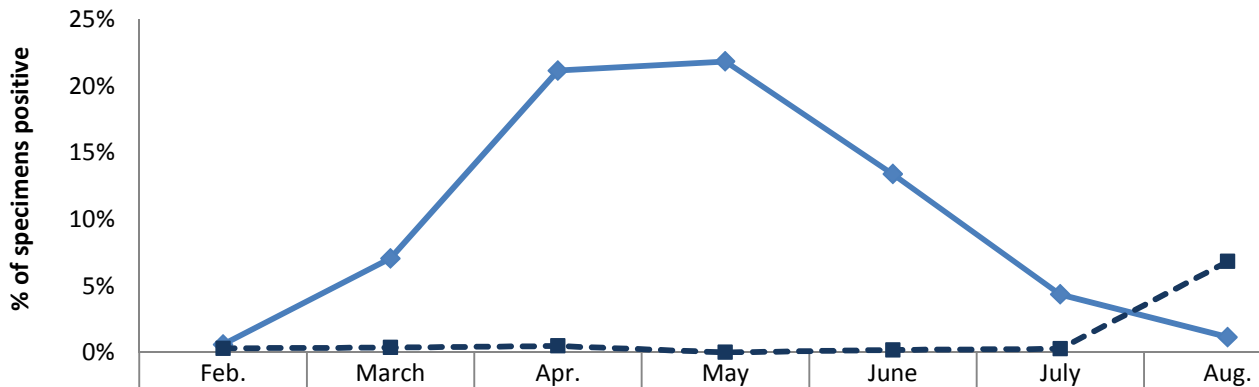
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Respiratory Virus & Atypical Bacterial Multiplex PCR



Influenza A&B: February-August 2018



Findings during August

The most frequently detected viruses during August were rhino/enterovirus (26.8%) and adenovirus (13%).

Influenza A activity decreased to only 1% of specimens testing positive during August.

Influenza B activity increased to 7% of specimens testing positive during August.

The atypical bacteria were detected at very low levels during August.