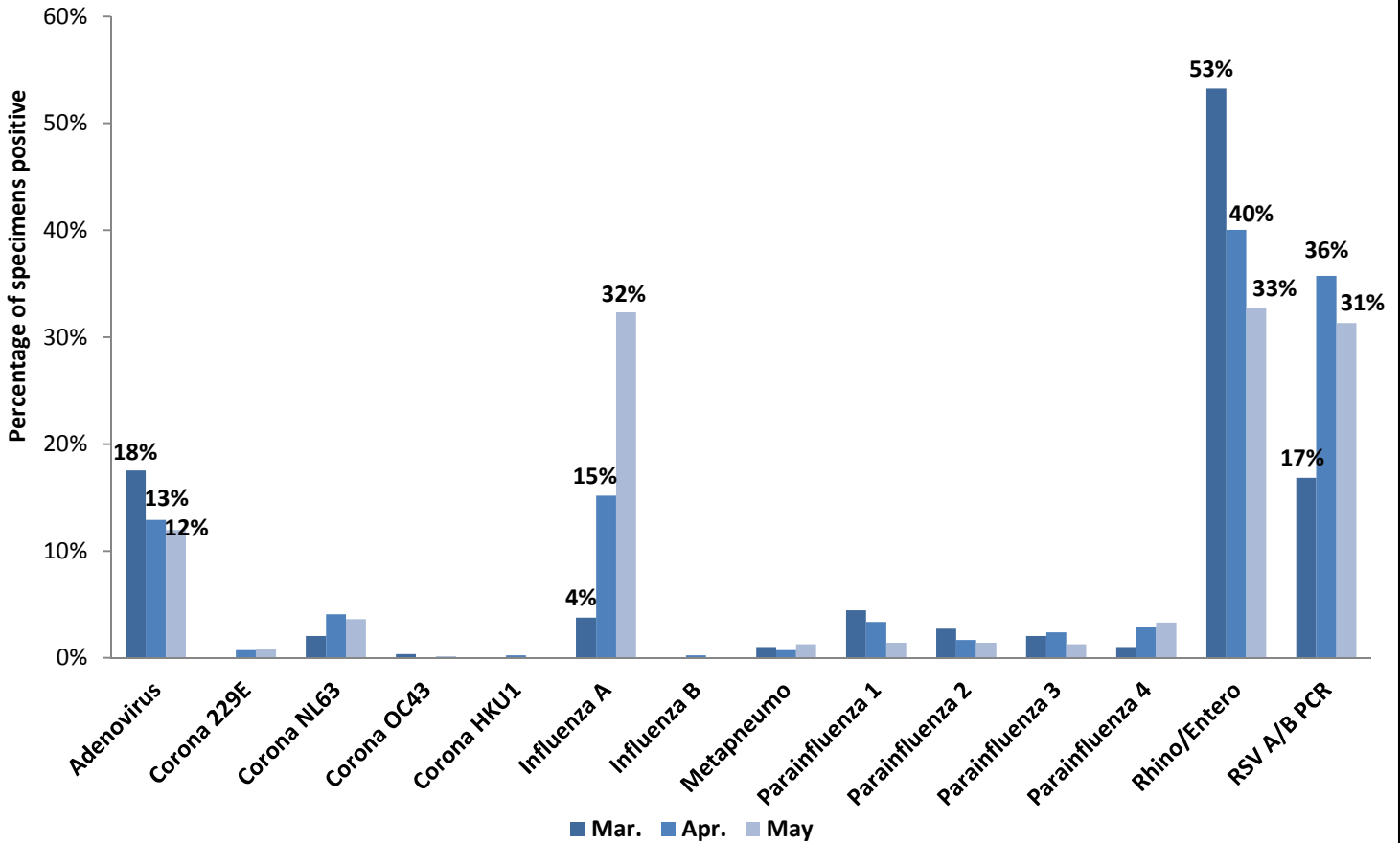


March/April/May 2019

Respiratory Virus Multiplex PCR



Respiratory Virus Multiplex PCR: Findings during May 2019

The most frequently detected viruses during May were rhino/enterovirus (33%), Influenza A (32%) and RSV (31%).

Influenza A activity has increased sharply from 15% of specimens testing positive during April, to 32% of specimens testing positive during May.

The majority of these influenza A viruses tested H3 positive.