

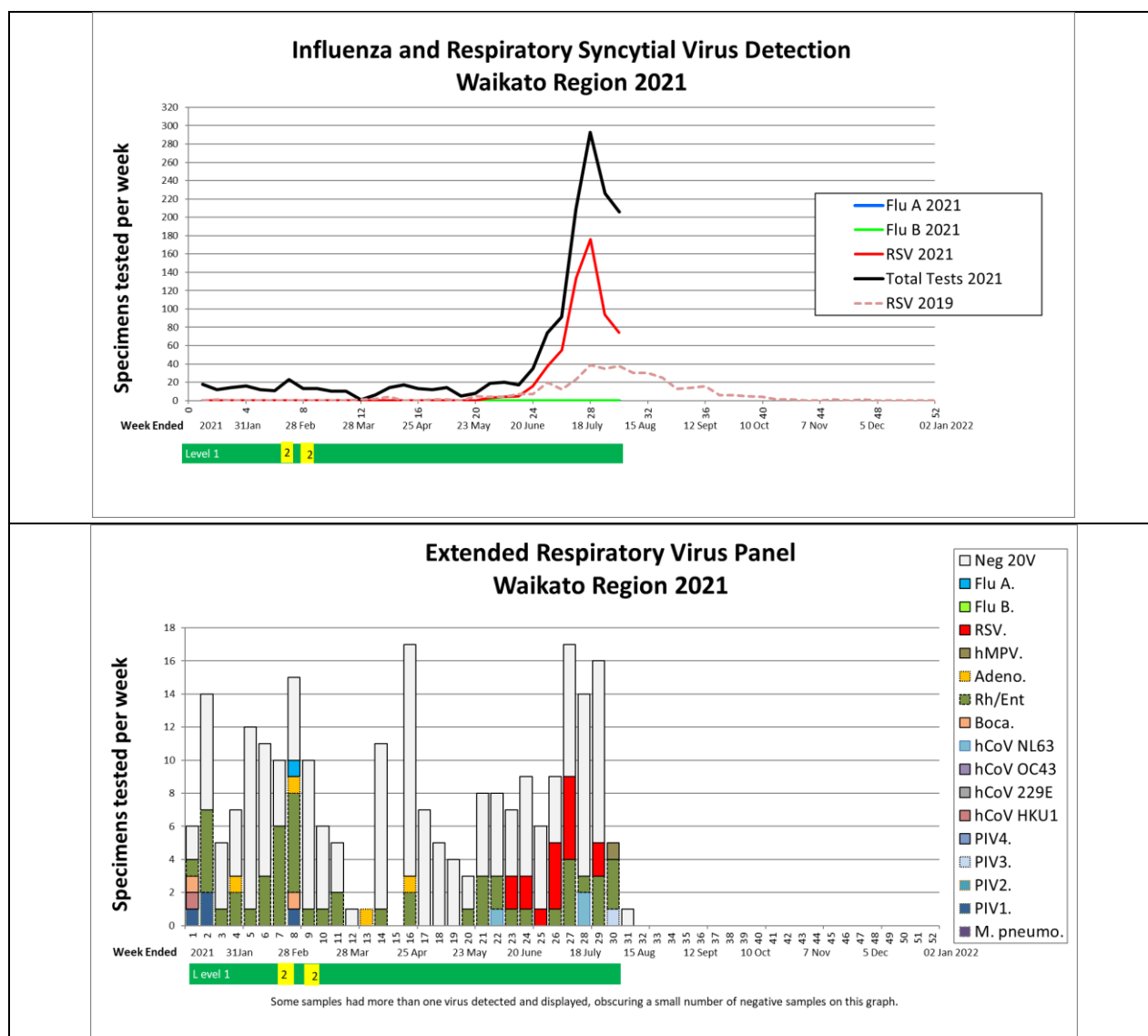
# Waikato Respiratory Virus Report

Week 30 2021

Week to 1 Aug 2021

Respiratory Syncytial Virus case numbers continued to fall last week. Also present are Rhinovirus, ParaInfluenzavirus 3 and we've had one detection of human Metapneumovirus, which was a dual infection with Rhinovirus. Our extended respiratory virus panel doesn't distinguish Rhinoviruses from the closely related Enteroviruses, but 80-90% are Rhinovirus. Due to a supply shortage of kits, we weren't able to test as many by the extended panel as we would have liked.

We still have no Influenza in New Zealand and no community circulation of SARS-CoV-2.



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>