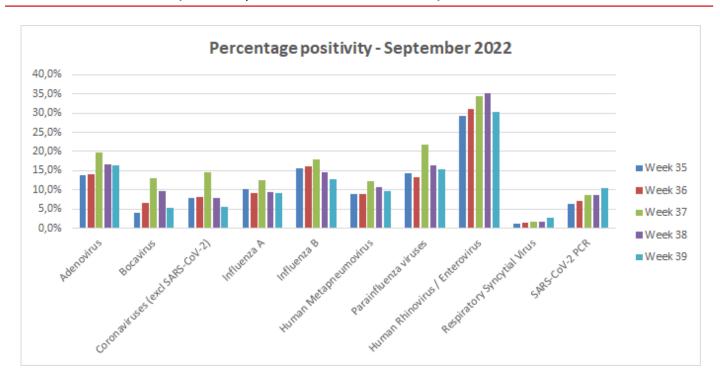
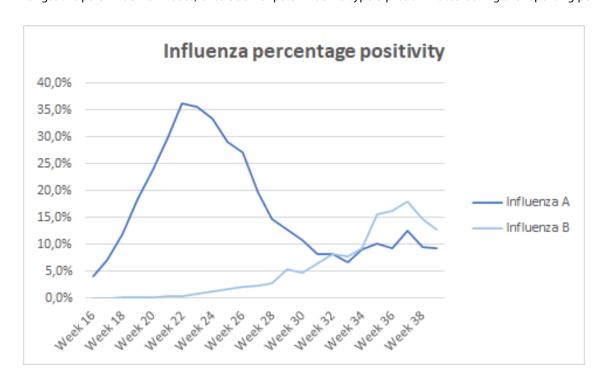


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Respiratory virus statistics: September 2022



- National data showed influenza A positivity rates remaining around the 10% level during September, while influenza B continued to increase compared to August.
- For the other respiratory viruses, the percentage positivity remained much the same as in the previous month.
- Amongst the parainfluenza viruses, circulation of parainfluenza type 3 predominated during the reporting period.



• Following the start of the influenza season in week 17 (week ending 30 April), influenza A predominated for the first part of the season followed by an increase in influenza B circulation starting in August and continuing throughout September.

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