

# **Bureau of Infectious Disease Control Infectious Disease Surveillance Section**

## **New Hampshire Arbovirus Surveillance Bulletin #9**

## ROUTINE TEST RESULTS MMWR Week 35 August 28, 2022 – September 3, 2022

| HUMANS       |      | Number Tested | WNV Positive <sup>¥</sup> | EEEV Positive¥ | JCV Positive <sup>¥</sup> | POW Positive <sup>¥</sup> |
|--------------|------|---------------|---------------------------|----------------|---------------------------|---------------------------|
| CURRENT YEAR | Week | 0             | 0                         | 0              | 0                         | 0                         |
|              | YTD  | 15            | 0                         | 0              | 0                         | 0                         |
| Prior Years  | 2021 | 45            | <b>1</b> £,€              | 0              | 5                         | 0                         |
|              | 2020 | 33            | 0                         | 0              | 5                         | 0                         |
|              | 2019 | 35            | 0                         | 0              | 3                         | 2                         |
|              | 2018 | 30            | 0                         | 0              | 1€                        | 0                         |
|              | 2017 | 31            | 1 <sup>f</sup>            | 0              | 4                         | 1                         |

<sup>\*</sup> Confirmatory testing completed by the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC). There is a delay between testing and result confirmation.

<sup>€</sup> Infection likely acquired out of state.

| ANIMALS      |      | Number Tested | WNV Positive | EEEV Positive |
|--------------|------|---------------|--------------|---------------|
| CURRENT YEAR | Week | 0             | 0            | 0             |
| CORRENT YEAR | YTD  | 0             | 0            | 0             |
|              | 2021 | 1             | 0            | 0             |
|              | 2020 | 7             | 0            | 0             |
| Prior Years  | 2019 | 19            | 1            | 2             |
|              | 2018 | 13            | 4            | 0             |
|              | 2017 | 7             | 0            | 0             |

| MOSQUITO BATCHES* |                   | Number Tested | WNV Positive | EEEV Positive | JCV Positive    |
|-------------------|-------------------|---------------|--------------|---------------|-----------------|
| CURRENT YEAR      | Week <sup>∓</sup> | 124           | 3            | 0             | 0               |
|                   | YTD               | 1376          | 7            | 0             | 2               |
| Prior Years       | 2021              | 5724          | 6            | 0             | 14 <sup>α</sup> |
|                   | 2020              | 1988          | 2            | 0             | -               |
|                   | 2019              | 5610          | 1            | 16            | -               |
|                   | 2018              | 4945          | 32           | 6             | -               |
|                   | 2017              | 4176          | 9            | 0             | -               |

<sup>\*</sup> A mosquito batch is a collection of mosquitoes sorted by species, date of collection, and trap location.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>£</sup> Testing performed by commercial laboratory

## TEST RESULT SUMMARIES 2022 YEAR TO DATE

## **MOSQUITO BATCHES**

This year, only mosquito batches containing >1 individual will be accepted for testing.

| Town or City | Date Collected | Species                   | Virus Result           |
|--------------|----------------|---------------------------|------------------------|
| Manchester   | 07/20/2022     | Culex pipiens             | West Nile Virus        |
| Atkinson     | 08/02/2022     | Coquillettidia perturbans | Jamestown Canyon Virus |
| Hampstead    | 08/04/2022     | Coquillettidia perturbans | Jamestown Canyon Virus |
| Nashua       | 08/11/2022     | Culex pipiens/restuans    | West Nile Virus        |
| Manchester   | 08/15/2022     | Culex pipiens             | West Nile Virus        |
| Manchester   | 08/22/2022     | Culex pipiens             | West Nile Virus        |
| Manchester   | 08/29/2022     | Coquillettidia perturbans | West Nile Virus        |
| Manchester   | 08/31/2022     | Culex pipiens             | West Nile Virus        |
| Manchester   | 08/31/2022     | Culex restuans            | West Nile Virus        |

### **ANIMALS**

There have been no animal cases of EEEV or WNV identified in New Hampshire in 2022 to date.

#### **HUMANS**

There have been no human cases of EEEV, WNV or JCV identified in New Hampshire in 2022 to date.

#### Data notes:

- 1. Data provided are those for which final results are available. Data are current as of 09/07/2022.
- 2. Test results include only those specimens tested with results finalized during the week being reported on. Pending results from the previous week are not included.
- 3. Prior years' data is cumulative.
- 4. YTD = All specimens submitted beginning 01/01/2022 through the week being reported on.
- 5. WNV = West Nile virus. EEEV = Eastern Equine Encephalitis Virus. JCV = Jamestown Canyon Virus. POW = Powassan Virus

### Use the following link to view the locations of positive test results and regional risk maps:

https://www.dhhs.nh.gov/programs-services/disease-prevention/infectious-disease-control/mosquito-borne-illnesses

For more information regarding these data, contact Marco Notarangelo, Vectorborne Disease Surveillance Coordinator, at (603) 271-0273 or <a href="marco.notarangelo@dhhs.nh.gov">marco.notarangelo@dhhs.nh.gov</a>.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>†</sup> This week, mosquitoes were submitted from Hillsborough, Merrimack, Rockingham and Strafford Counties for routine surveillance.

 $<sup>\</sup>alpha$  Detections were part of an enhanced surveillance project.

