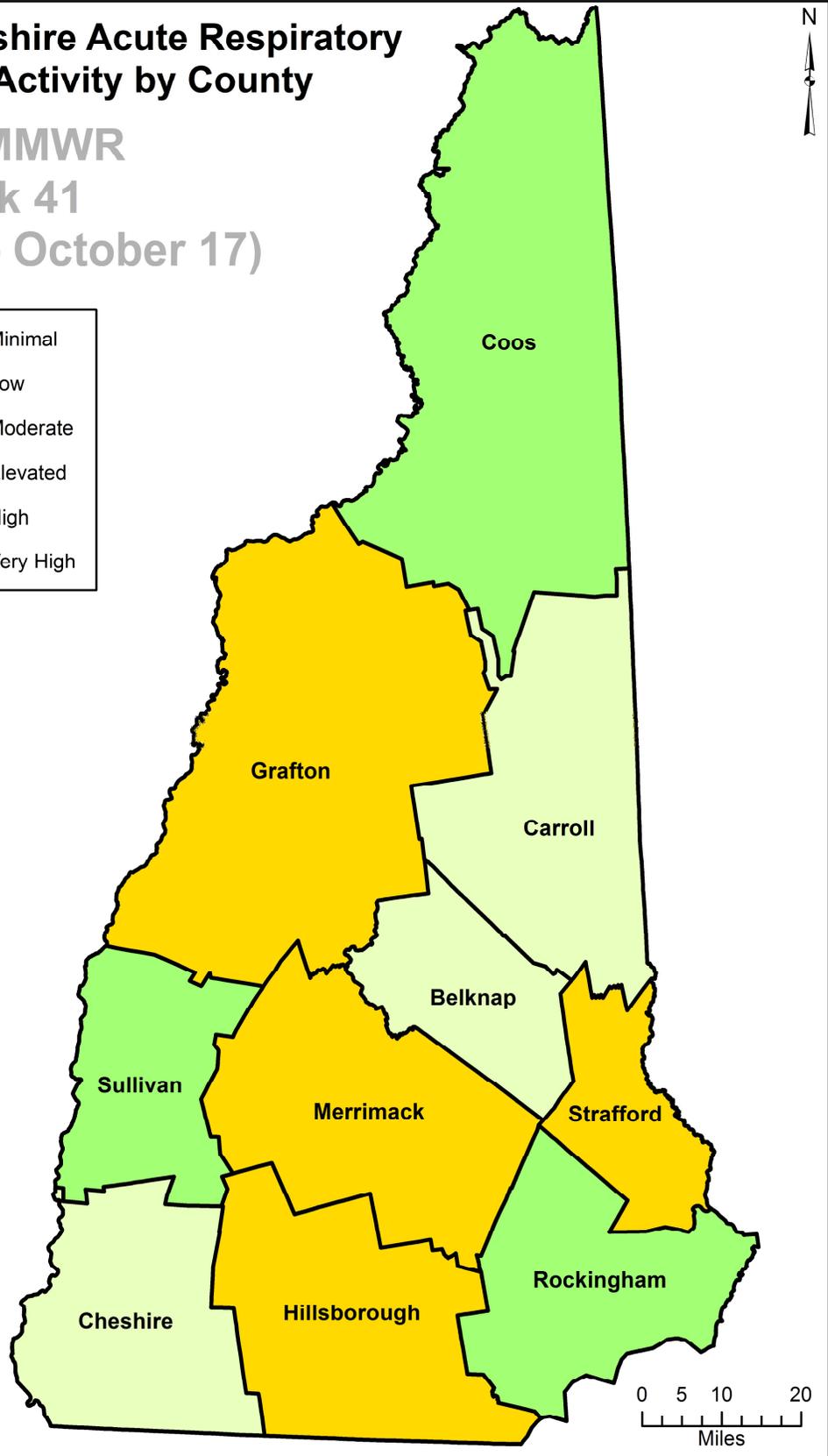


# State of New Hampshire Acute Respiratory Illness\* (ARI) Activity by County

2015 MMWR

Week 41

(October 11 - October 17)



Data is derived from New Hampshire AHEDD surveillance reports based on chief complaint text of emergency department encounters from 23 of 26 hospitals statewide for the time frame indicated (i.e., all except for the following hospitals: Androscoggin Valley Hospital, Cottage, and Speare Memorial). "Acute Respiratory Illness (ARI) includes chief complaint text values of either fever/cough, fever/sore throat, flu (includes flu, influenza, flu like symptoms, etc.), respiratory infection (includes URI, LRI), bronchitis, viral infection, pneumonia, pharyngitis, sinusitis or otitis media.

**County-specific ARI & ARI Activity  
Determinations for MMWR Week 41 2015**

<b>County</b>	<b>Threshold</b>	<b>ARI Week 41</b>	<b>ARI Rating</b>
Belknap	1.8	0.5	low
Carroll	4.3	2.0	low
Cheshire	2.8	1.0	low
Coos	2.9	1.9	moderate
Grafton	2.1	2.7	elevated
Hillsborough	2.5	3.1	elevated
Merrimack	1.4	1.8	elevated
Rockingham	1.6	1.5	moderate
Strafford	1.8	1.9	elevated
Sullivan	4.6	4.0	moderate