

Bureau of Infectious Disease Control Infectious Disease Surveillance Section

New Hampshire Arbovirus Surveillance Bulletin #16

TEST SUMMARIES MMWR Week 42 October 11, 2020 – October 17, 2020

HUMANS		Number Tested	WNV Positive [¥]	EEEV Positive¥	JCV Positive¥	POW Positive [¥]
CURRENT YEAR	Week	0	0	0	0	0
CORRENT YEAR	YTD	23	0	0	5	0
Prior Years	2019	31	0	0	3	2
	2018	30	0	0	1€	0
	2017	31	1 [£]	0	4	1
	2016	31	0	0	0	1
	2015	50	0	0	1	0

^{*} Confirmatory testing completed by the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC). There is a delay between testing and result confirmation.

[€] Infection likely acquired out of state.

ANIMALS		Number Tested	WNV Positive	EEEV Positive
CURRENT YEAR	Week	0	0	0
CORRENT YEAR	YTD	2	0	0
Prior Years	2019	19	1	2
	2018	13	4	0
	2017	7	0	0
	2016	10	0	0
	2015	6	1	0

MOSQUITO BATCHES*		Number Tested	WNV Positive	EEEV Positive
CURRENT YEAR	Week [∓]	11	0	0
CORRENT YEAR	YTD	1988	2	0
Prior Years	2019	5610	1	16
	2018	4945	32	6
	2017	4176	9	0
	2016	1773	1	0
	2015	3678	3	2

^{*} A mosquito batch is a collection of mosquitoes sorted by species, date of collection, and trap location.

[£] Testing performed by commercial laboratory

[†] This week, mosquitoes were submitted from Rockingham County.

NEW HAMPSHIRE ARBOVIRUS TEST RESULTS 2020 Arboviral Season

MOSQUITO BATCHES

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

Town or City	Date Collected	Species	Virus Result
Manchester	08/24/2020	Culex restuans	West Nile Virus
Nashua	09/10/2020	Culex pipiens	West Nile Virus

ANIMALS

There have been no animal cases of EEEV or WNV identified in New Hampshire in 2020 to date.

HUMANS

Town or City	Onset Date	Age Range	Virus Result
Loudon	5/14/2020	Adult	Jamestown Canyon Virus
Bow	6/12/2020	Adult	Jamestown Canyon Virus
Dunbarton	6/18/2020	Adult	Jamestown Canyon Virus
Epsom	8/26/2020	Adult	Jamestown Canyon Virus
Newport	9/28/2020	Adult	Jamestown Canyon Virus

Data notes:

- 1. Data provided are those for which final results are available. Data are current as of 10/22/2020.
- 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 01/01/2020 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: http://www.dhhs.nh.gov/dphs/cdcs/arboviral/results.htm

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