

Data is derived from the New Hampshire AHEDD surveillance reports based on chief complaint text of emergency department encounters from 22 hospitals statewide when calculating ARI estimates per county for the time frame indicated. This is because for Week 47 there were 5 hospitals that did not report a full set of encounters into AHEDD, including Frisbie Memorial, Littleton Regional, Parkland Medical Center, Portsmouth Regional and Weeks Medical Center. Acute Respiratory Illness (ARI) includes chief complaint text values of eitherfever/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 47 2023

County	Threshold	ARI Week 47	ARI Rating
Belknap	1.7	1.7	Moderate
Carroll	3.0	2.8	Moderate
Cheshire	2.7	2.7	Moderate
Coos	3.2	3.8	Elevated
Grafton	4.4	3.5	Moderate
Hillsborough	1.3	1.2	Moderate
Merrimack	1.7	1.7	Elevated
Rockingham	1.3	1.3	Elevated
Strafford	1.2	1.0	Moderate
Sullivan	3.0	2.2	Moderate