

Marion County Influenza Situation Report 2025-2026 Seasonal Influenza Week 42 (October 12, 2025 – October 18, 2025)



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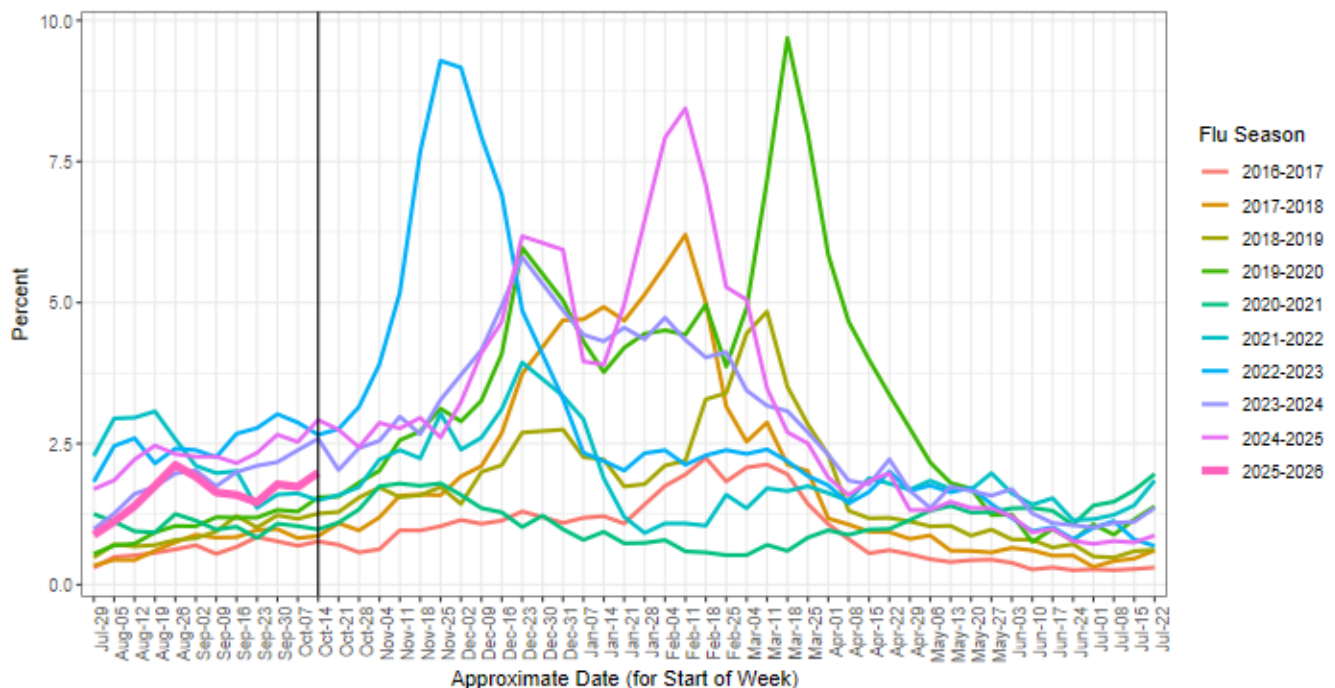
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Overview

Influenza-Like Illness (ILI) and RSV emergency department (ED) visits **increased** during this past week, especially for children under the age of 18. ILI ED visits in Marion County **increased** during Week 42, a 14.4% **increase** compared to Week 41. For children aged 0-4 years old, ILI ED visits **increased** by 7.0%, while for children aged 5-17 years old, ILI ED visits **increased** by 29.4%.

Percent of ILI Related ED Visits for the Last 10 Flu Seasons



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Influenza and RSV Surveillance – Week 42, October 12, 2025 – October 18, 2025 Marion County

Influenza

- During Week 42, **1.99% or 243 of Marion County ED visits had ILI symptoms**. The current percentage is higher than last week (1.74% or 214 visits).
- In Marion County hospitals, the age group 0-4 years old had the highest percentage of ILI-related ED visits at 7.19% (80 visits), followed by 5-17 years old at 3.48% (36 visits).
- The median percentage of ILI-related ED visits for Week 42 over the last five years is 2.59%.

RSV

- **ED visits for Respiratory Syncytial Virus (RSV) for 0-4 years old are higher compared to last week**. The percentage of RSV-related ED visits was 0.63% (7 visits) out of all 0-4 years old ED visits during Week 42. This percentage is higher compared to last week (0.37% or 4 visits).
- RSV is a common respiratory virus that is the most common cause of bronchiolitis and pneumonia for children under one year of age in the U.S.

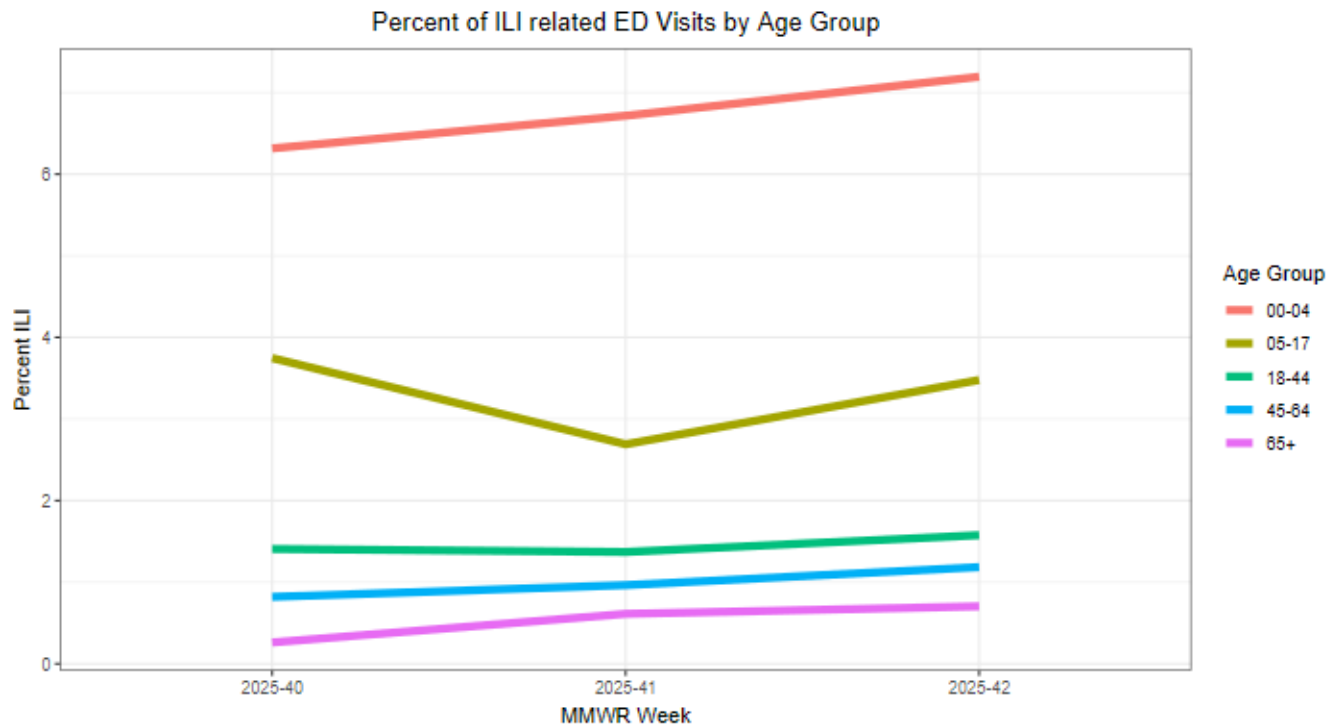
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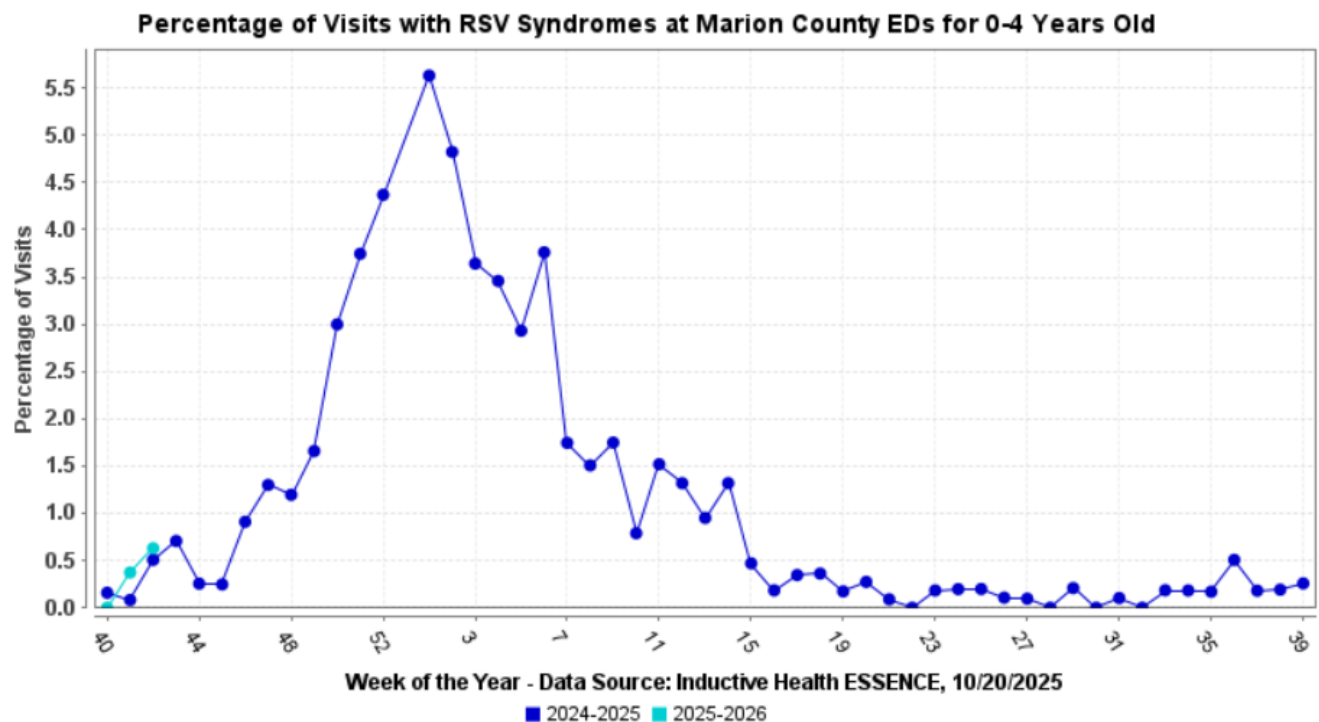
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Influenza Surveillance – Week 41, October 5, 2025 – October 11, 2025

Marion County

- During Week 41, **1.74% or 214 of Marion County ED visits had ILI symptoms.**
- In Marion County hospitals, the age group 0-4 years old had the highest percentage of ILI-related ED visits at 6.72% (72 visits), followed by 5-17 years old at 2.69% (34 visits).

Indiana

<https://www.in.gov/health/idepd/respiratory-disease/influenza/influenza-dashboard/>

- Indiana is experiencing **Minimal** ILI activity.
- IDOH reported 1.26% ILI at ED and urgent care visits and 1.36% ILI at sentinel provider sites.
- **Zero influenza-associated deaths have been reported.**

National

- For the latest updates, please visit: <https://www.cdc.gov/fluview/>

Wastewater Viral Activity Levels – Week 41, October 5, 2025 – October 11, 2025

For the latest updates, please visit: <https://www.cdc.gov/nwss/data-methods.html>