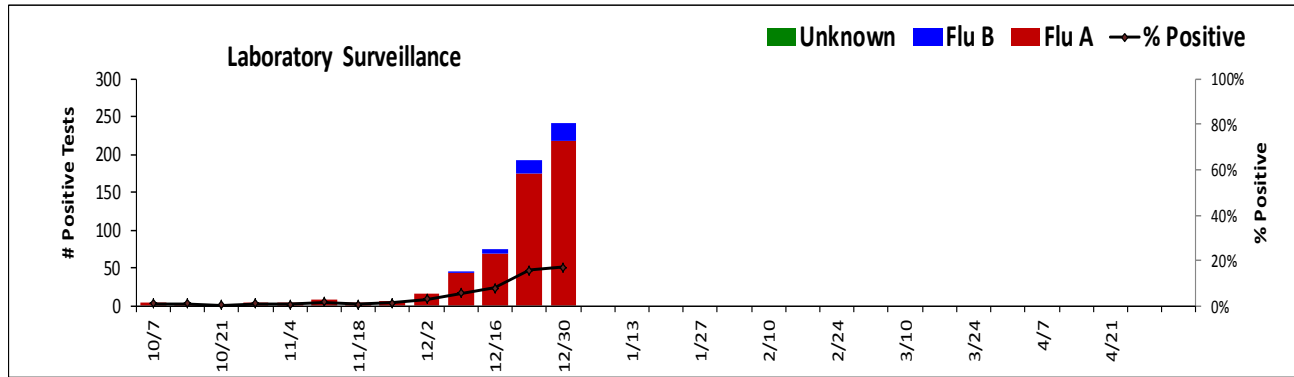


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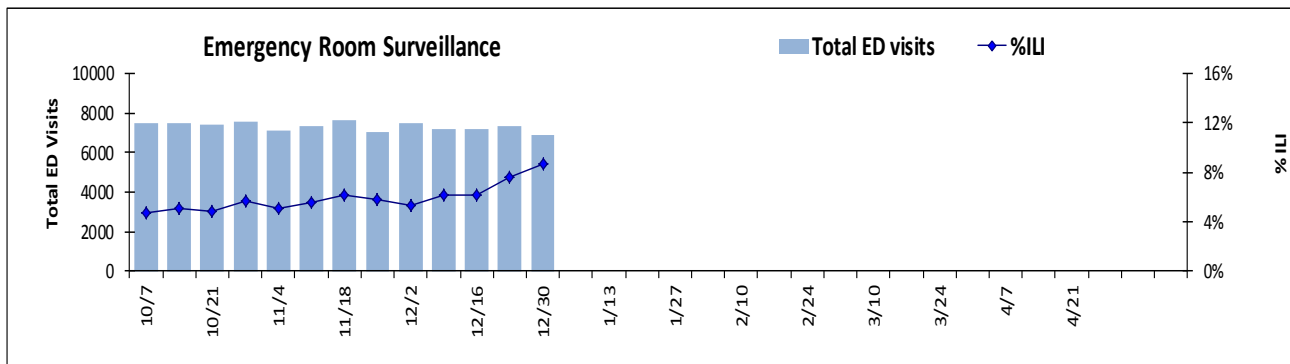
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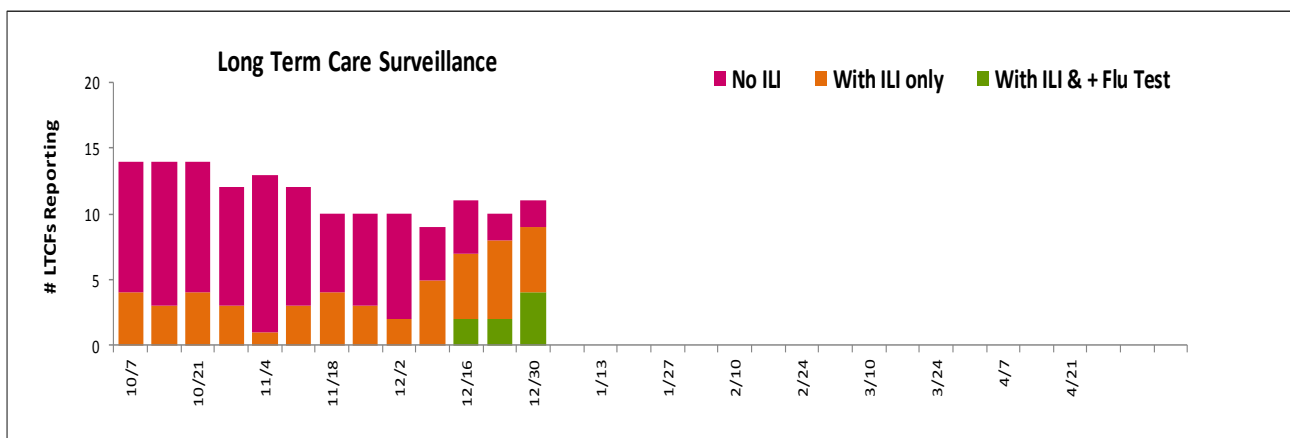
This is a preliminary report of Influenza cases, hospitalizations and deaths. As of 12/30/2017, there were **607 laboratory confirmed Influenza cases (560 Flu A and 47 Flu B)**, 175 hospitalizations (includes community acquired and hospital onset infections). One death has been reported to date



Laboratory Surveillance: Positive influenza tests are reported on the NY State Health Commerce System (HCS) by all diagnostic laboratories. The above figure shows the number and type of positive tests from Monroe County residents, and the percent of all tests performed that were positive for flu.



Emergency Room Surveillance: All 4 Monroe County Hospitals report to the HCS the total number of ED visits each day. Influenza-like illness (ILI) cases are those that have fever and respiratory symptoms as chief complaint.



Long Term Care (LTCF) Surveillance: Beginning October 1, 2017 - 32 Monroe County LTCFs are asked to voluntarily report ILI and flu activity each week.

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**Cumulative Number of Laboratory Confirmed Influenza Cases,
Hospitalizations and Deaths in Monroe County
October 1, 2017 to December 30, 2017**

Age Group	Lab Confirmed Cases	Hospitalized Cases	Deaths
0 to 4 y	21	3	0
5 to 17 y	28	0	0
18 to 49 y	210	29	0
50 to 64 y	147	45	1
65 to 74 y	74	30	0
75 to 84 y	62	36	0
≥ 85 y	65	32	0
Total	607	175	1