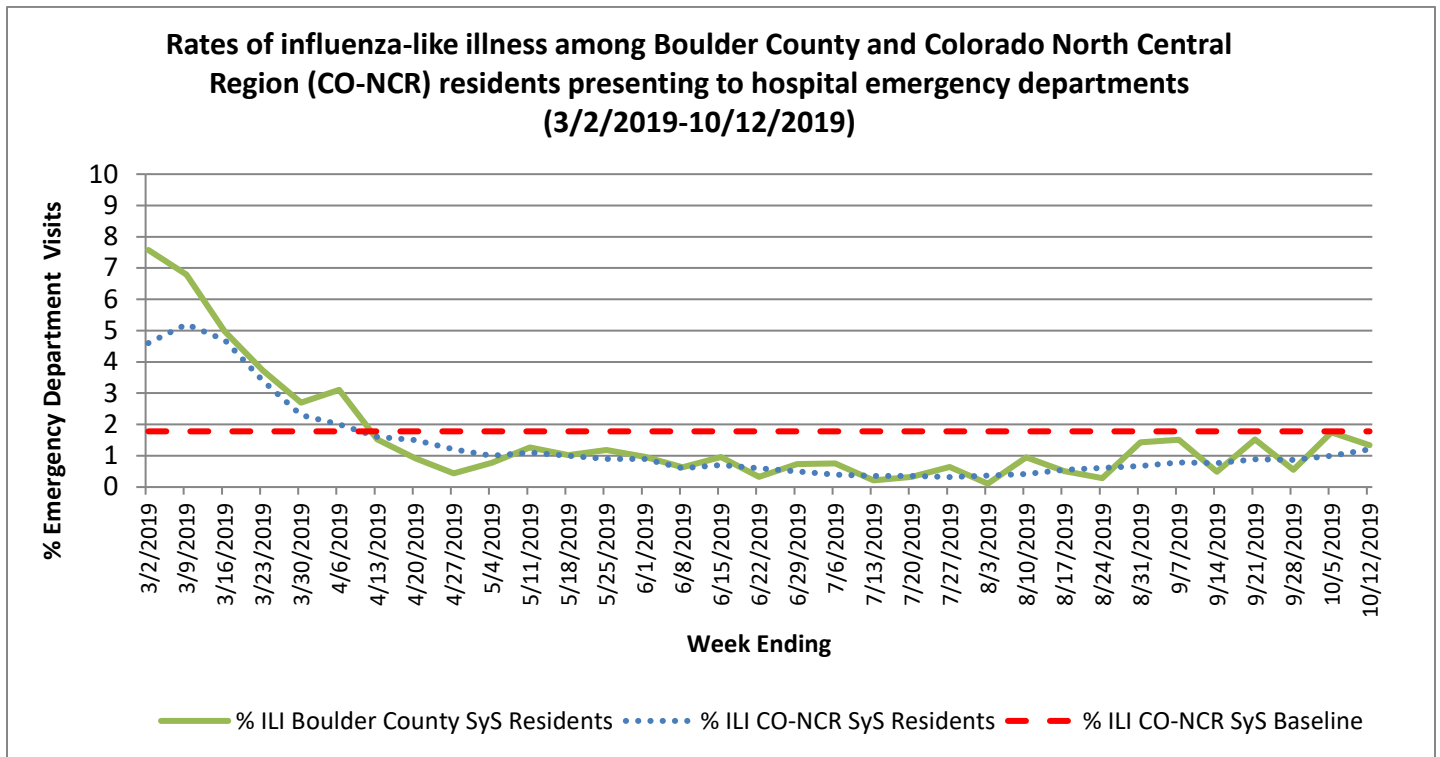


# Flu View Boulder County

Seasonal syndromic surveillance for influenza-like illness in Boulder County.

October 15, 2019



Source: Colorado North Central Region (CO-NCR) syndromic surveillance system (SyS) from participating emergency departments of chief complaints or triage notes (e.g. fever and cough, sore throat, strep throat, or upper respiratory) and diagnoses codes (ICD-10 codes J09, J10, J11) that meet CDC case definition for influenza-like illness.

## Summary

Surveillance for the 2019-2020 influenza season began on September 29, 2019. Boulder County Public Health will publish a summary, weekly on Tuesdays, to provide up-to-date information on influenza-like activity in the county and state. For the week ending October 12, 2019, the geographic spread for the state remains sporadic and the rate of ILI-related emergency department visits remains below the seasonal baseline. Thus far during the 2018-2019 influenza season, no pediatric deaths have been reported in Colorado. Additionally, no outbreaks associated with influenza in long-term care settings have been reported in the state.

## Number of influenza-associated hospitalizations in Boulder County and Colorado: September 29 – October 12, 2019

	Total	0-4 Years Old	≥ 65 Years Old
<b>Boulder</b>	0	0	0
<b>Colorado</b>	11	Not available	Not available

Source: Hospitalized Colorado residents with a diagnosis of influenza as reported through the [Colorado Electronic Disease Reporting System](#).

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