



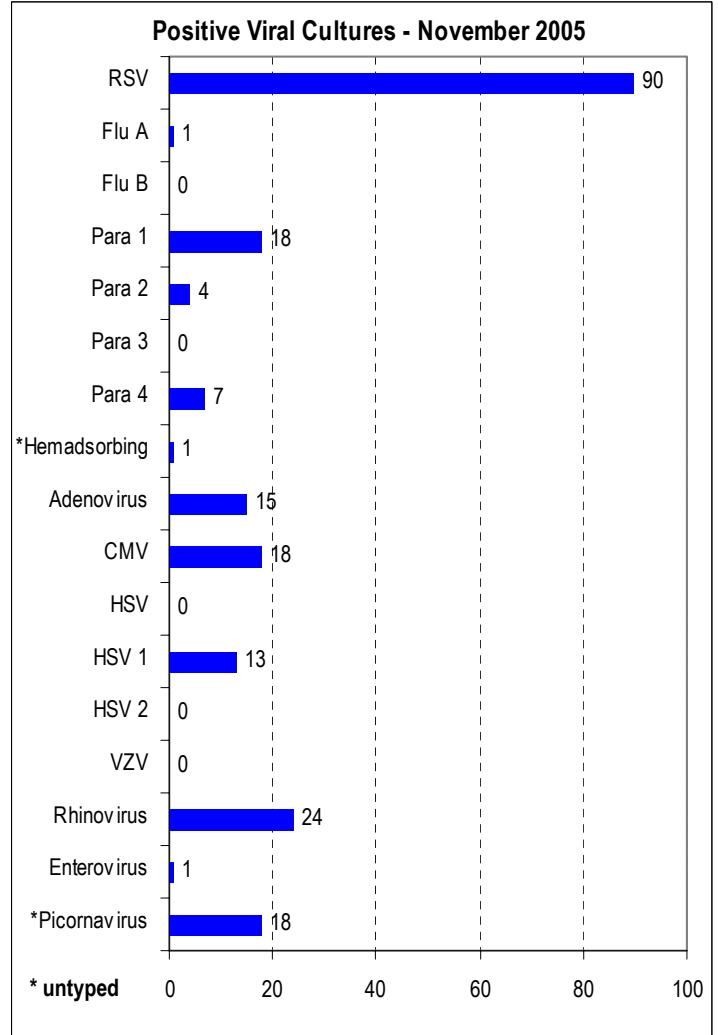
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The most common virus isolated in November was RSV. **RSV SEASON IS IN FULL SWING!** Small numbers of parainfluenza virus and adenoviruses have been detected. **FLU IS HERE!** One culture grew influenza A virus and has been sent to the CDC for subtype & genetic analysis. Watch the RSV-FLU-O-METER and "What's going round now!" for updates.

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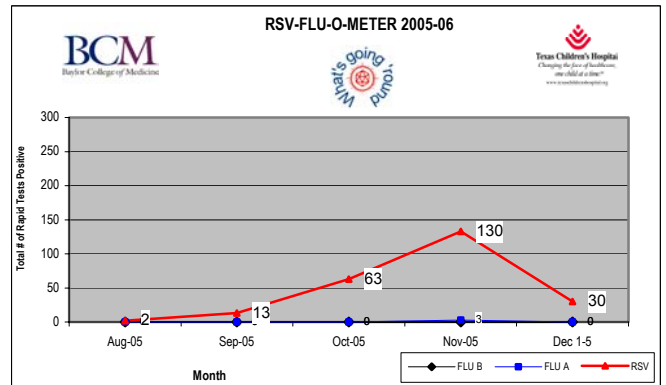


EIA Rapid Test Results – November 2005

	RSV	FLU A	FLU B
Tested	681	636	636
Positive	130	3	0
% Positive	19	0	0

Viral Cultures – November 2005

Total all	976	Total Resp.	802
Positive	210	Positive	202
% Positive	22	% Positive	25



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<http://www.texaschildrenshospital.org/Web/progressnotes/default.html>