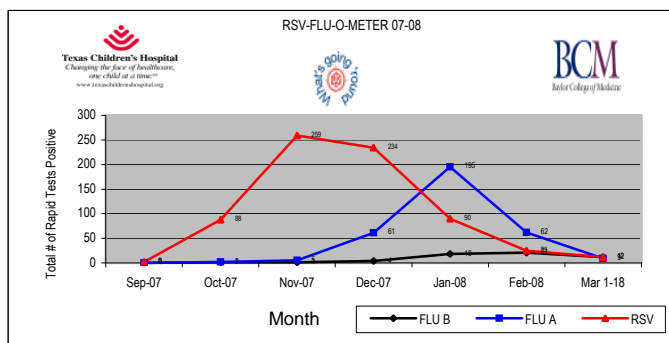




Influenza virus was the most common virus isolated in February. Both types A and B were detected. Approximately 90% of influenza A types isolated here were A/Brisbane/10/2007-like (H3N2) and 10% were A/Wisconsin/67/2005-like (H3N2) and all influenza B types typed so far from here have been B/Florida/04/2006-like. Influenza is expected to continue, but decline over the next few weeks or months. RSV activity continues, but at a low level. Parainfluenza virus activity especially type 3, is increasing, meaning spring may be here! Adenovirus remains steady, as always. Rhinoviruses and enteroviruses were also detected. Stay tuned to the RSV-FLUO-METER and What's going 'Round Now links for further updates.

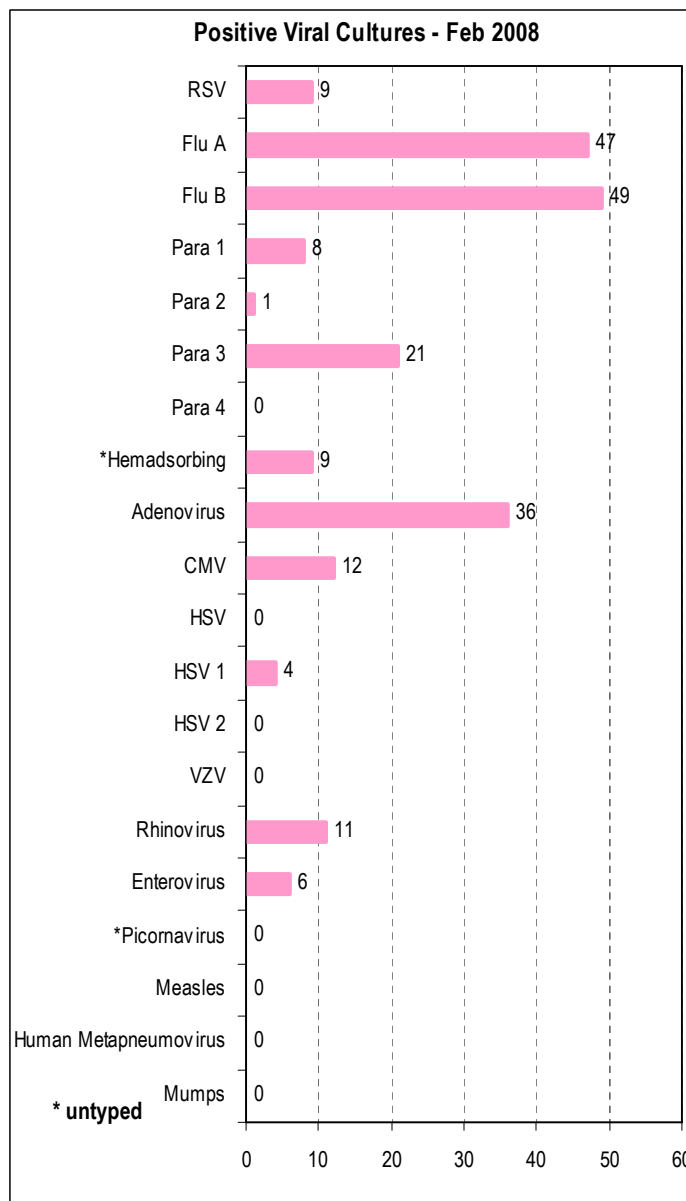
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Viral Cultures – Feb 2008

Total all	1213	Total Resp.	1017
Positive	213	Positive	196
% Positive	18	% Positive	19

EIA Rapid Test Results – Feb 2008

	RSV	FLU A	FLU B	ADENO
Tested	785	925	925	197
Positive	25	61	22	2
% Positive	3	7	2	1