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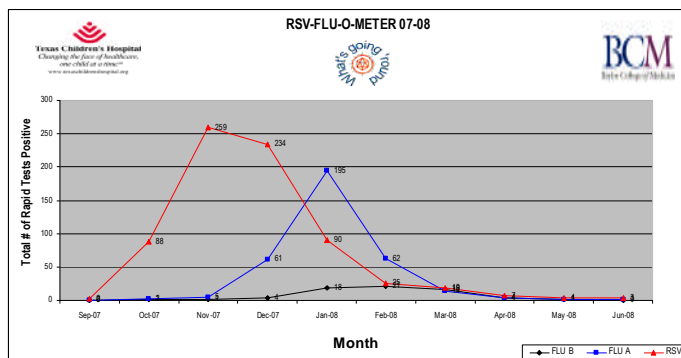
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Herpes simplex virus type 1 was the most common virus isolated last month. The most common seasonal virus isolated in July 2008 was enterovirus. During this spring and summer, there also have been serious and even fatal enterovirus disease in neonates and young infants; enterovirus serotyping is available on some of the isolates and so far a predominant serotype appears to be Coxsackie B1.

A small number of adenovirus, RSV, and para influenza viruses and rhinoviruses also have been isolated.

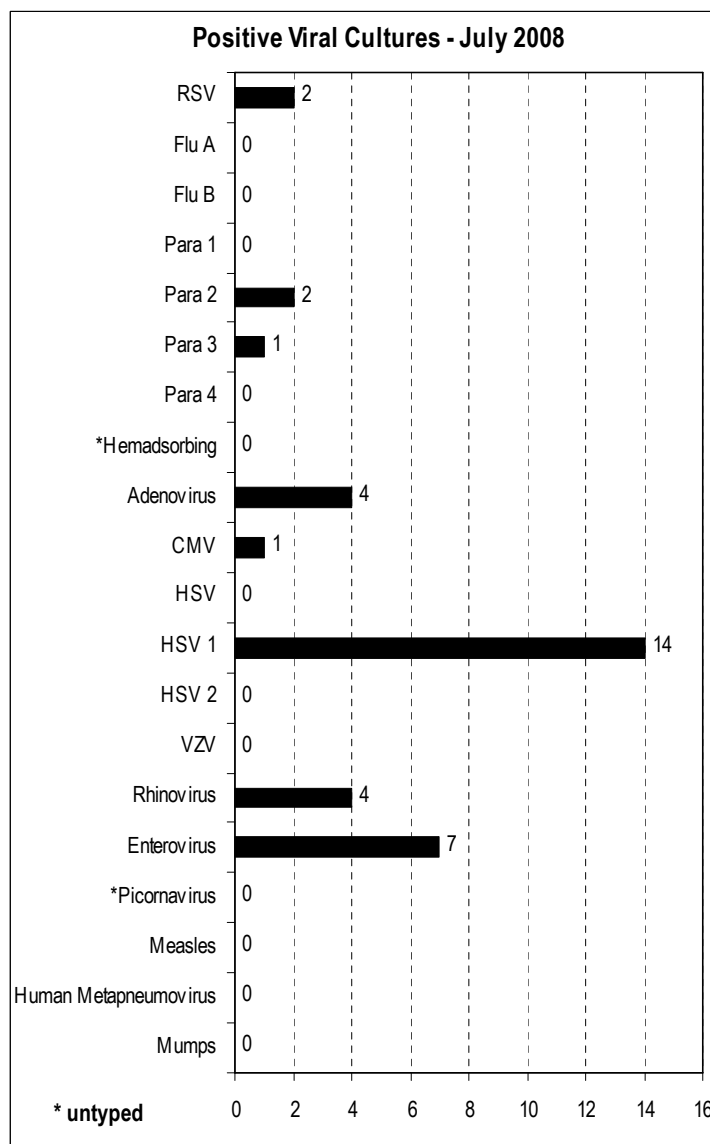
Stay tuned to the RSV-FLU-O-METER

[http://www.bcm.edu/web/pediatrics/documents/RSV-FLU-O-METER\(combined\).pdf](http://www.bcm.edu/web/pediatrics/documents/RSV-FLU-O-METER(combined).pdf) and Check out "What's going 'round now!" links for further updates. [http://www.bcm.edu/pediatrics/index.cfm?Realm=99991127&This\\_Template=whatsgoinground](http://www.bcm.edu/pediatrics/index.cfm?Realm=99991127&This_Template=whatsgoinground)



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## Viral Cultures – July 2008

Total all	432	Total Resp.	237
Positive	35	Positive	25
% Positive	8	% Positive	11

## EIA Rapid Test Results – July 2008

	RSV	FLU A	FLU B	ADENO
Tested	109	86	86	93
Positive	3	1	0	1
% Positive	3	1	0	1