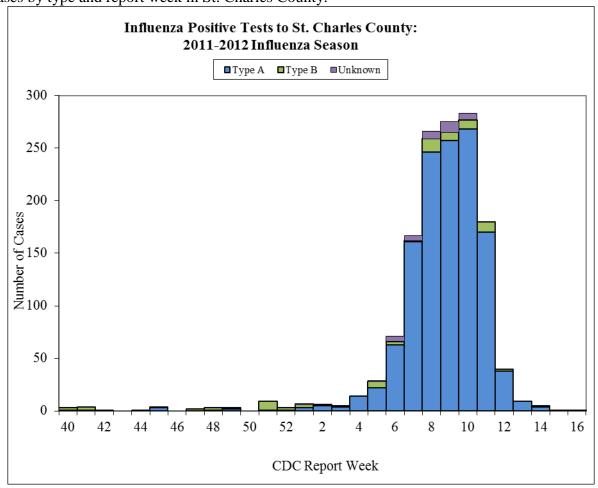
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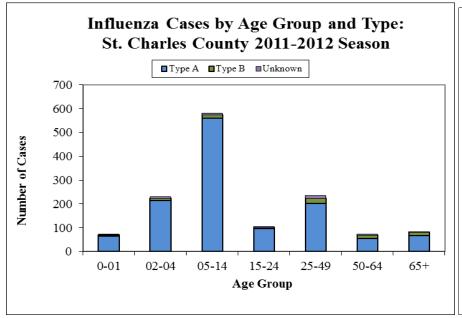
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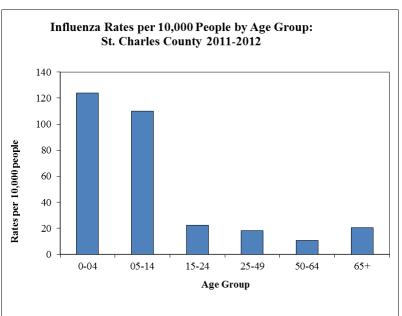
Influenza season begins the beginning of October, since that time we have had 1392 cases of influenza reported to our office. Of those cases 1275 (91.5%) were type A, 82 (5.9%) were type B and 35 (2.5%) were unknown.

Graph1: Influenza cases by type and report week in St. Charles County.



Graph 2 and 3: Number of Influenza cases and rates of Influenza cases by age group. As in past years the highest number of flu cases has been in the 05-14 age-group. The highest rate of influenza per 10,000 people is in the 0-4 and 05-14 age groups.





Graph 3: Five year comparison of total number of influenza cases by report week. Seasons 07-08 and 09-10 were our busiest flu seasons in the last 9 years, this season ranks number 3 for the most cases seen during flu season in the past 9 years.

