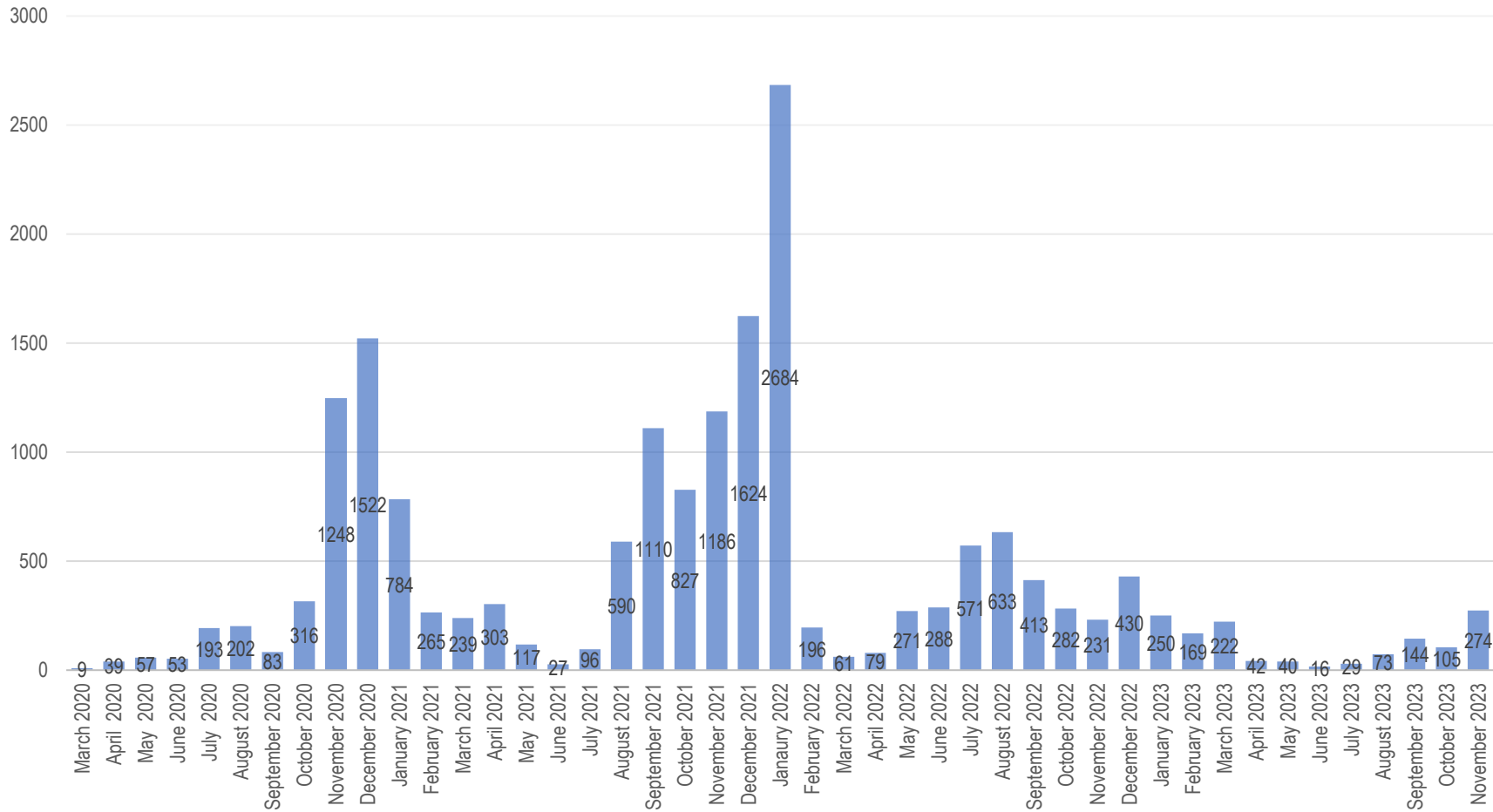
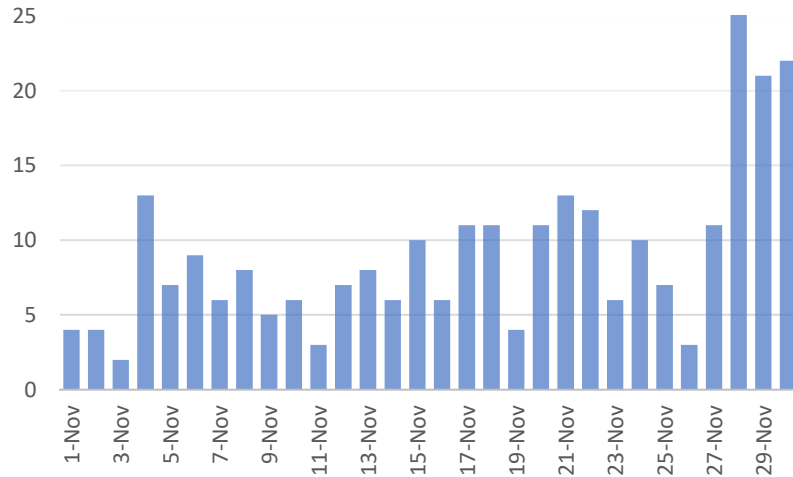


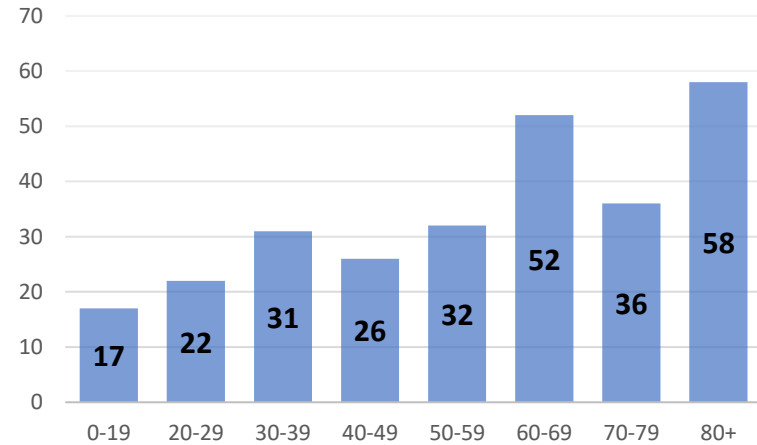
274 COVID-19 cases were reported during the month of November 2023



The daily COVID case count **increased** after the Thanksgiving holiday



The age group with the most cases **was** the 80+ year old age group



7 COVID hospitalizations

were reported in November.

1 COVID death occurred during

the month of November.

46% of COVID cases were residents or staff from a long-term care facility.

Influenza Flu Activity Summary

Sandusky County Public Health (SCPH) tracks seasonal influenza activity on a weekly basis throughout the year. SCPH monitors circulating flu issues and other related data sources and provides summaries of influenza activity from October (Week 40) through May (Week 20). The first week of the new calendar year is indicated by "Week 1."

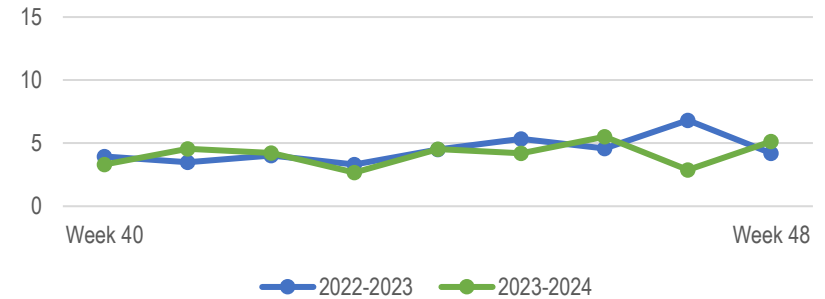
6 positive flu tests (2 influenza A and 4 influenza B) were reported from outpatient settings between Week 45-48

0 influenza associated hospitalizations occurred between Week 45-48

Data Sources:

Epi Center, IMPACTSIIS, Northwest Ohio Hospitals, Ohio Disease Reporting System (ODRS), Sandusky County School Districts (voluntary), Sandusky County Long-Term Care Facilities, Physician Offices, and Urgent Cares (voluntary)

School absenteeism rates were **comparable** to last flu season between Week 45-48, **excluding week 47**
% of students absent due to illness



Influenza Like Illness (ILI) ED visits were **lower** **this flu season** between Week 46-48 compared to last season

