

# Marion County Influenza Situation Report

## 2024-2025 Seasonal Influenza Week 12

### (March 16, 2025 – March 22, 2025)

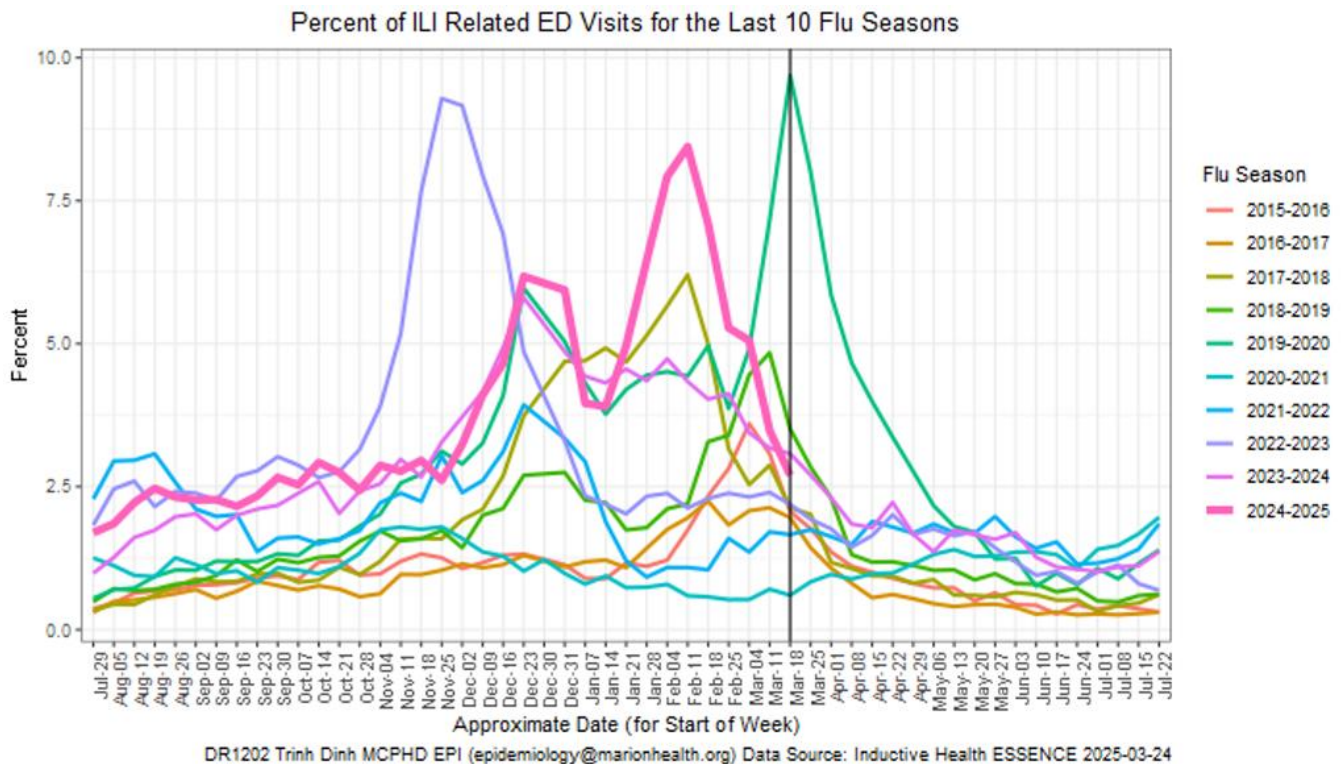


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**Influenza-Like Illness (ILI) ED visits in Marion County continue to decreased during Week 12, a 22.7% decrease compared to Week 11. These ILI ED visits are higher when compared to the nine previous flu seasons the same week. For children ages 0-4 years old and 5-17 years old, ILI ED visits decreased by 8.18% and 25.12%, respectively, over the past two weeks**



- During Week 12 (March 16 to March 22), **2.69% or 343 of Marion County ED visits had ILI symptoms**. The current percentage is lower than last week (3.48% or 463 visits). The median percentage of ILI-related ED visits for Week 11 over the last five years is 2.19%.
- In Marion County hospitals, the age group 0-4 years old continue to have the highest percentage of ILI-related ED visits at 7.18% (87 visits), followed by 5-17 years old at 4.41% (90 visits). Last week, the age group 0-4 years old had the highest percentage of ILI-related ED visits at 7.82% (103 visits).
- **ED visits for Respiratory Syncytial Virus (RSV) for 0-4 years old is lower compared to last week**. The percentage of RSV-related ED visits was 1.32% (16 visits) out of all 0-4 years old ED visits during Week 12. This percentage is lower compared to last week (1.51% or 20 visits).
  - RSV is a common respiratory virus that is the most common cause of bronchiolitis and pneumonia for children under one year of age in the U.S.

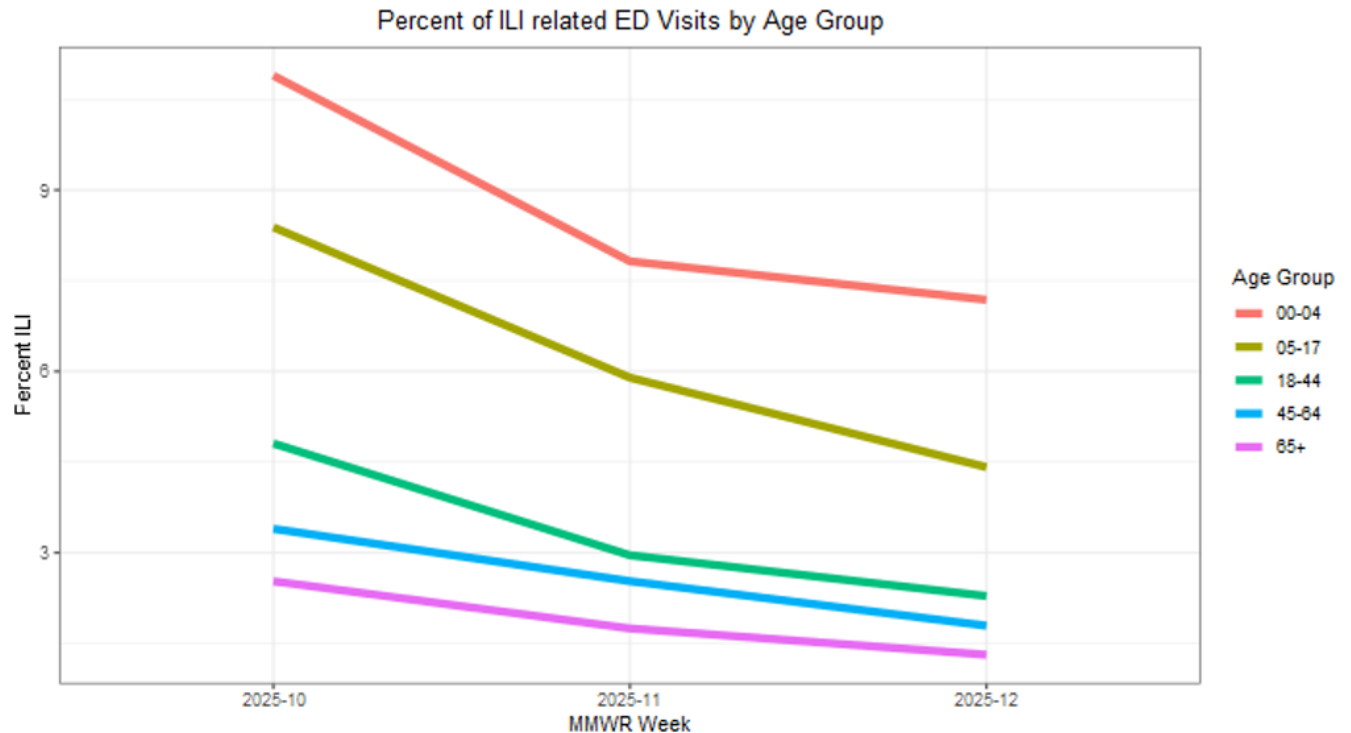
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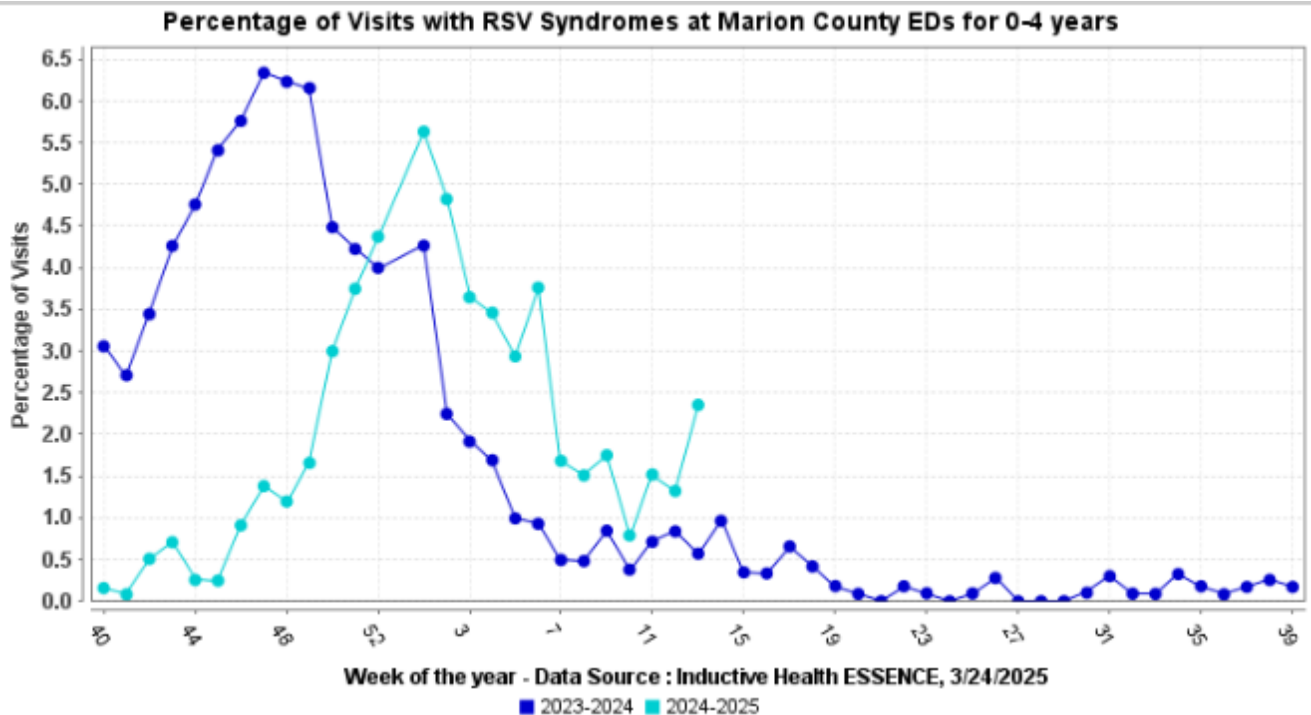
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#### Marion County (Week 11, March 9, 2025 – March 15, 2025)

- The percentage of ILI-related ED visits was 3.48% (463 visits) out of all ED visits.
- In Marion County hospitals, the age group 0-4 years old had the highest percentage of ILI-related ED Visits (7.82% or 103 visits).

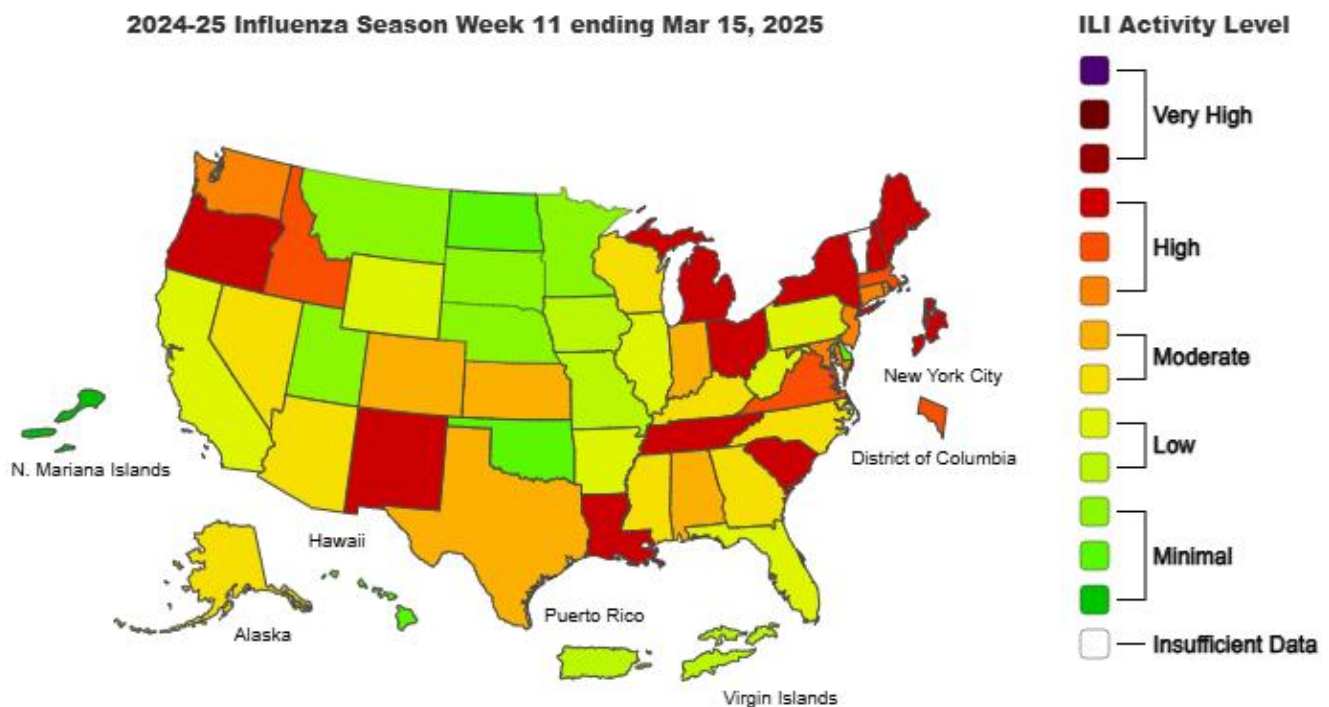
#### Indiana (Week 11, March 9, 2025 – March 15, 2025)

<https://www.in.gov/health/idepd/respiratory-disease/influenza/influenza-dashboard/>

- Indiana is experiencing **MODERATE** ILI activity for Week 11
- IDOH reported 3.24% ILI at sentinel provider sites and 3.18% ILI at ED and urgent care visits.
- **No influenza-associated deaths have been reported** during Week 11. Two hundred and seven deaths have been reported since the beginning of the season.

#### National (Week 11, March 9, 2025 – March 15, 2025)

<https://www.cdc.gov/fluview/>



- Seasonal influenza (flu) activity remains elevated nationally but has decreased for five consecutive weeks. This season is classified as a high severity season overall and for all age groups (children, adults, older adults) and is the first high severity season since 2017-2018.
- According to the U.S. Outpatient Influenza-like Illness Surveillance Network (ILINet), **3.9% of outpatient visits to healthcare providers** were related to ILI (influenza-like illness). This percentage is above the baseline of 3.0%.

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- **Seventeen influenza-associated pediatric deaths** that occurred during the 2024-2025 season have been reported to CDC during Week 11
  - These deaths occurred during Week 51 of 2024 and week 10 of 2025:
    - Fifteen deaths were associated with influenza A viruses
      - Ten deaths had subtyping performed
        - Five were A(H1N1) viruses
        - Five were A(H3N2) viruses
      - Two deaths were associated with influenza B viruses with no lineage determined
  - Total number of influenza-associated pediatric deaths that have occurred since the beginning of the 2024-2025 season and reported to CDC: **151**
- During Week 11, 16.1% of **clinical laboratory specimens** were **positive for the influenza virus**. This percentage is lower compared to last week (16.1%).
- During Week 11, 2,063 (**74.4%**) **specimens** were **positive for influenza viruses at public health laboratories**. This percentage is a bit higher compared to last week (72.4%).