

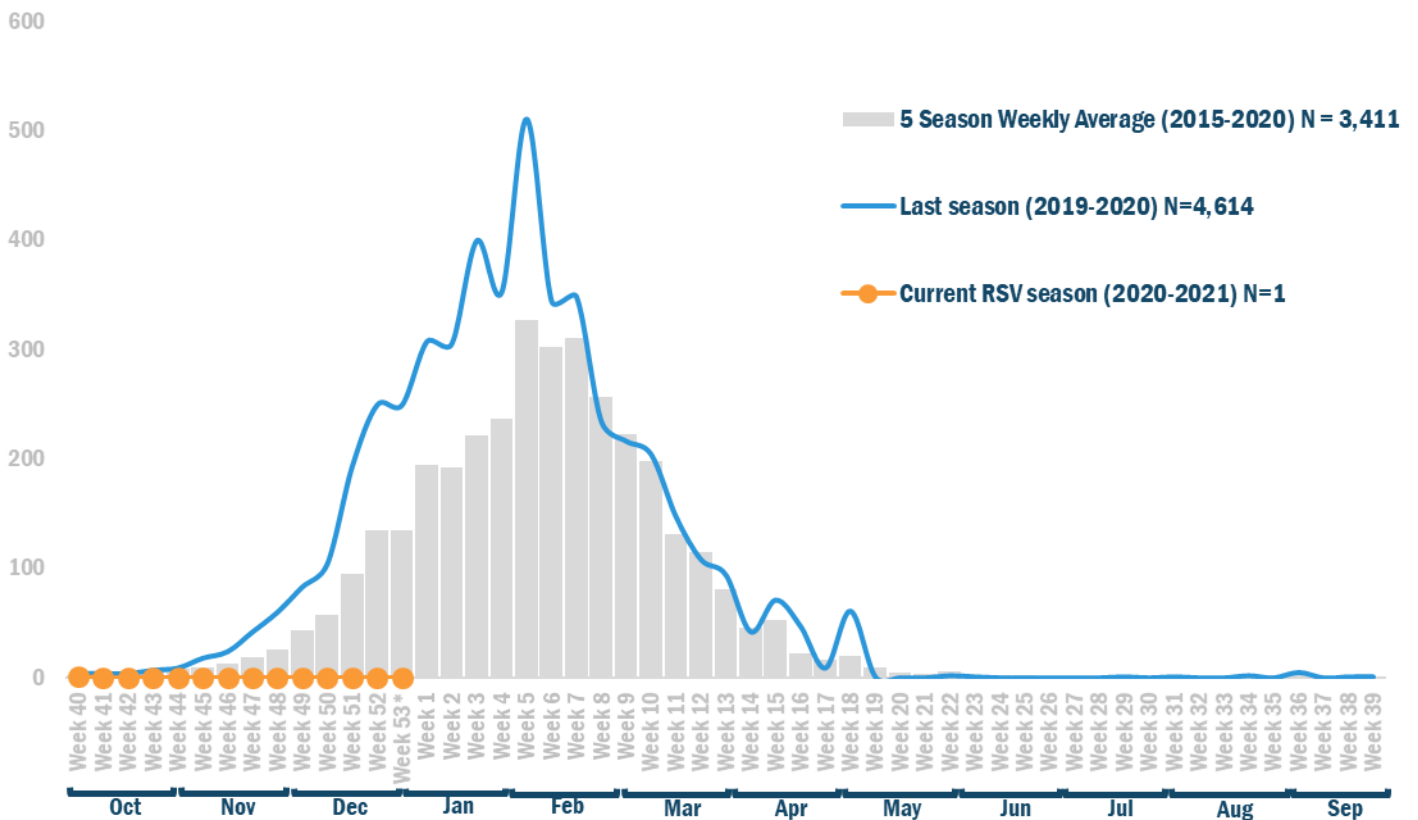
RESPIRATORY SYNCYTIAL VIRUS IN MARICOPA COUNTY

WEEK 53 (DECEMBER 27, 2020 – JANUARY 2, 2021)

All data are preliminary and may change as more reports are received.

The 2020-2021 Respiratory Syncytial Virus (RSV) season starts on 9/27/2020 (week 40 of 2020) and continues through 10/2/2021 (week 39 of 2021). From week 40 of 2020 through **week 53** of 2020, 1 RSV case has been laboratory confirmed in Maricopa County.

HOW DO THIS SEASON'S NUMBERS COMPARE TO PREVIOUS YEARS? LABORATORY-CONFIRMED RSV CASES IN MARICOPA COUNTY



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RSV THIS YEAR COMPARED TO PREVIOUS YEARS

	Cumulative Season Total	Current Week Total
2020-2021	1	0
2019-2020*	801	249
5 Season Average (2015-2020)*	421	134
% difference compared to 2019-2020 season	-100%	-100%
% difference compared to 5 season average	-100%	-100%
% difference compared to last week	0%	NA

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Demographic data are suppressed due to having less than 5 total cases this season.

The Maricopa County Department of Public Health wishes to thank all of the RSV surveillance participants:

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Information on RSV activity for the state, the U.S. and the world may be found at the following websites:

<https://www.azdhs.gov/preparedness/epidemiology-disease-control/flu/index.php#surveillance-home> (ADHS)

<https://www.cdc.gov/surveillance/nrevss/rsv/natl-trend.html> (CDC)

<https://www.who.int/influenza/rsv/en/> (WHO)