

Emanuel, Mayor

Arbovirus Surveillance Report

Environmental Health



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West Nile Virus

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Surveillance

This week we have 1 positive pool at O'Hare to report.

Mosquitoes:

Week 38 (09/17/12 –09/21/12)	
Total Collections (Number of Traps X Frequency of Collection)	150
Number of Female Culex Trapped and Tested	286
Number of Pools Tested	90
Number of Pools Positive	1
Number of Community Areas with Positive Mosquitoes Pools	1
Cumulative Totals	
Total Collections (Number of Traps X Frequency of Collection)	2,390
Number of Female Culex Trapped and Tested	35,454
Number of Pools Tested	2,369
Number of Pools Positive	436
Number of Community Areas with Positive Mosquitoes Pools	58

Community Areas: O'Hare

Dead birds: 25 have been submitted. Of those 25, 7 unable to test, 2 were positive, and 16 have been negative.

Humans: 14 human cases.

Risk Assessment

The risk of West Nile virus infection has decreased in the city of Chicago.