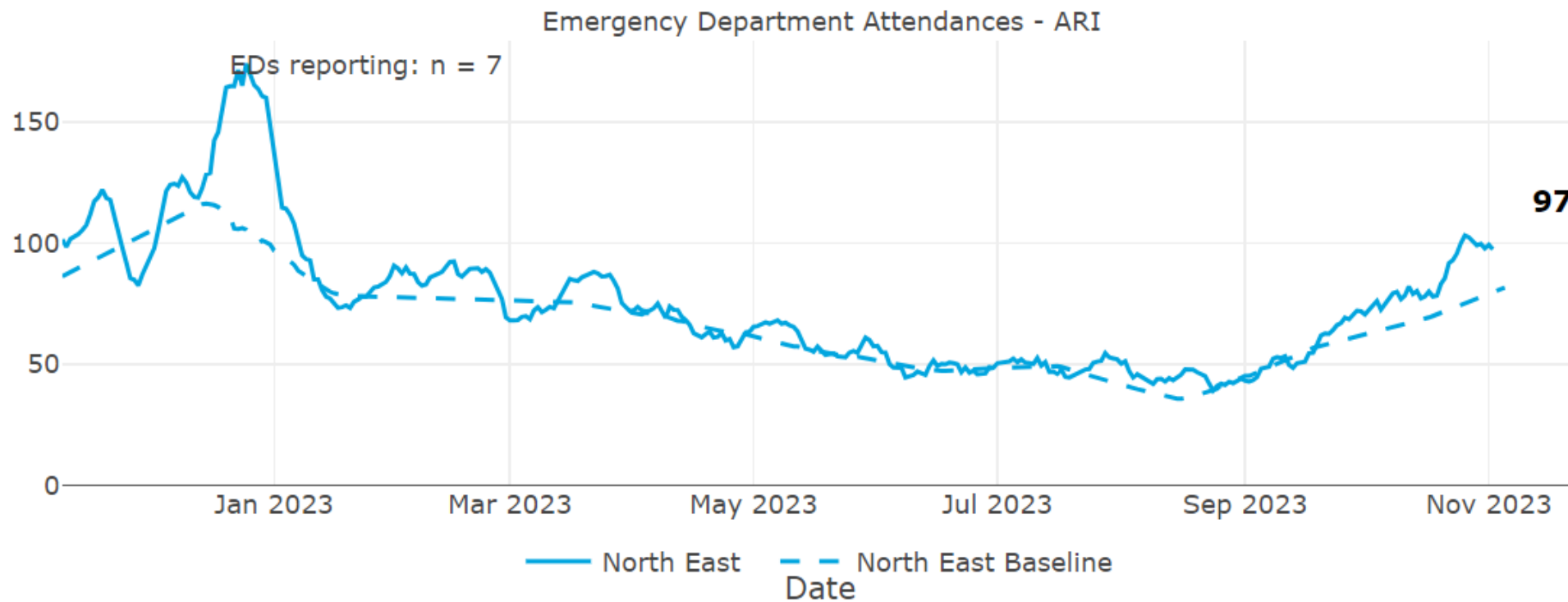


Public Health Update

- Acute Respiratory Illness
- COVID-19 and Flu
- Vaccination
- Other concerns
- Next steps

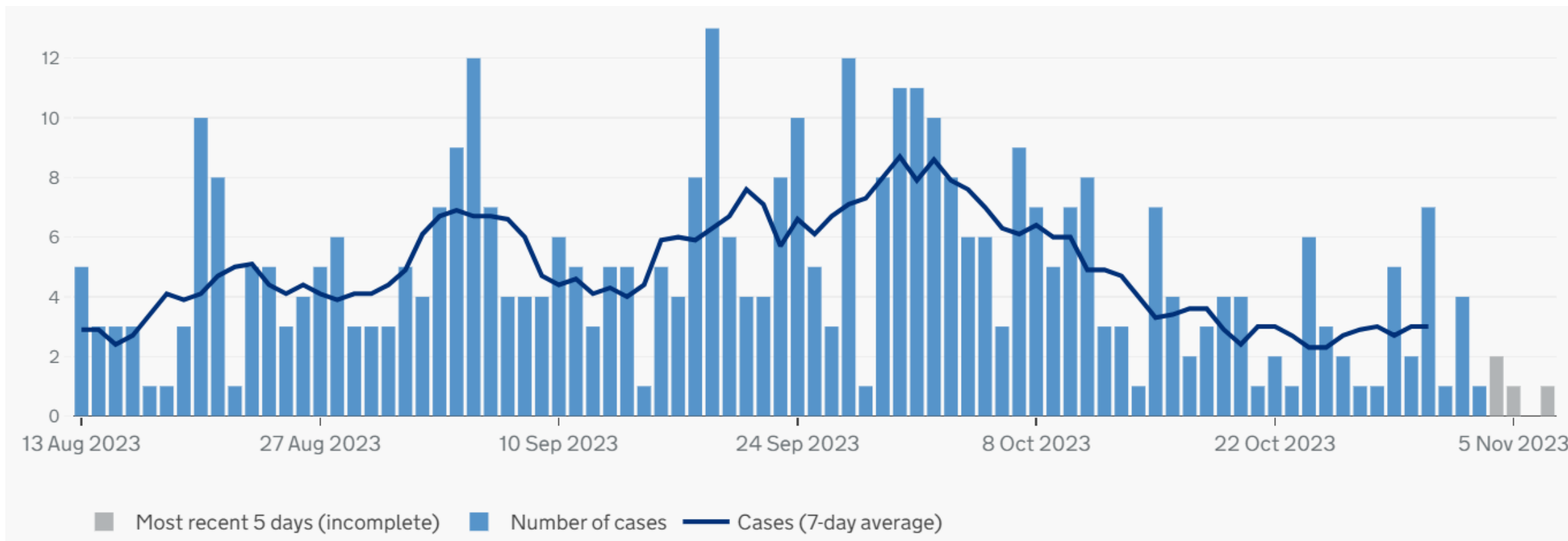
Acute Respiratory Illness

North East



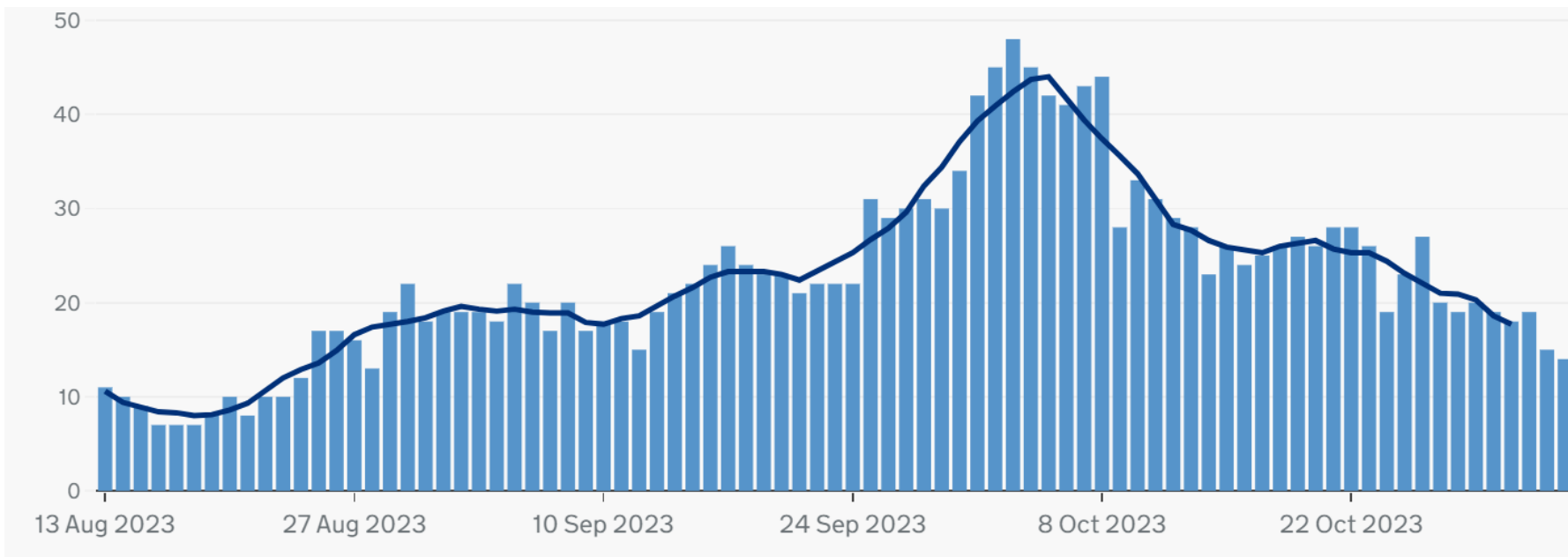
COVID-19 Stockton-on-Tees

Cases, last 3 months



COVID-19 hospitalisations

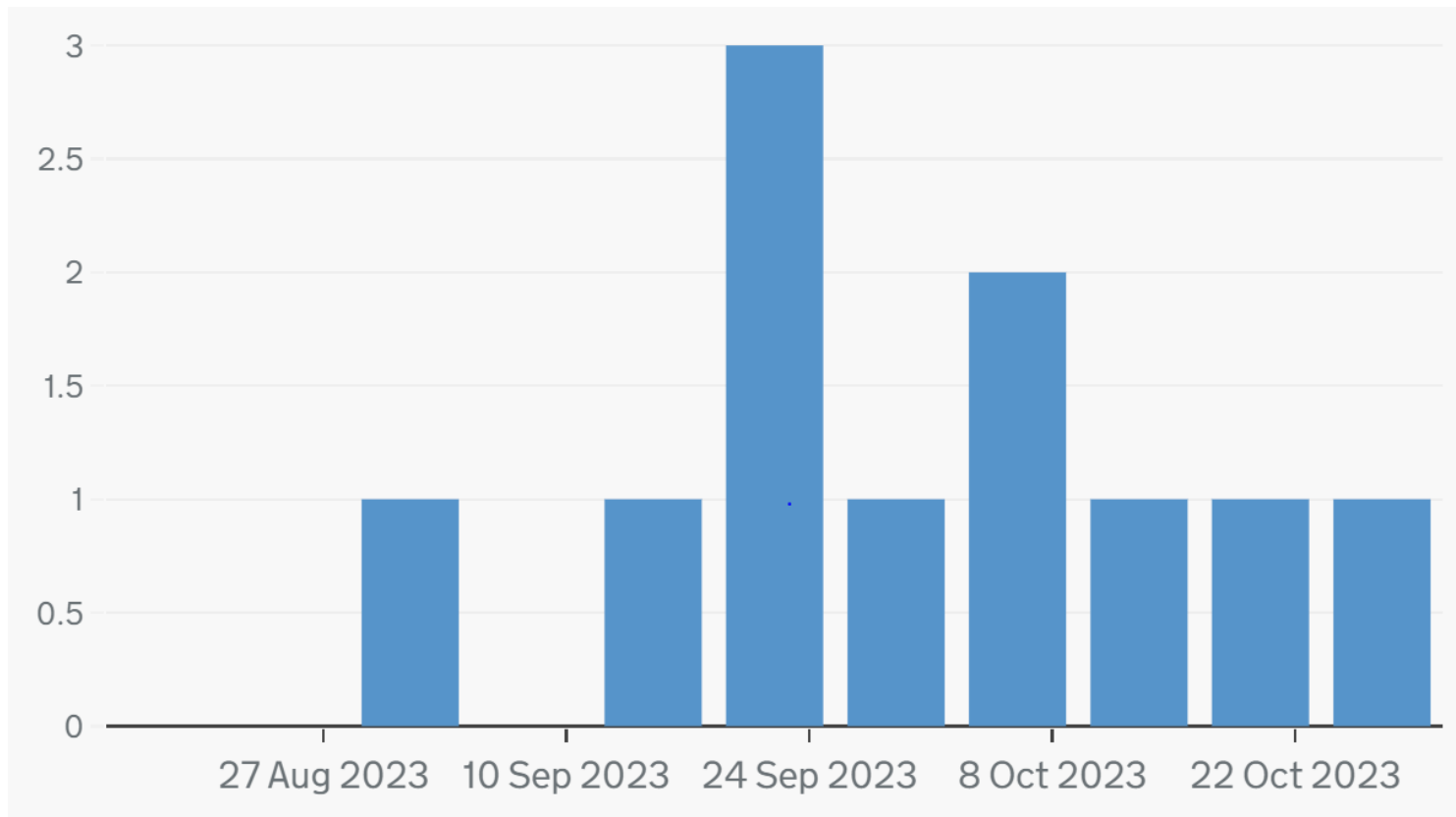
North Tees & Hartlepool Trust



COVID-19 related hospitalisations decreased (remain highest in 85+ years)

COVID-19 Deaths Stockton-on-Tees

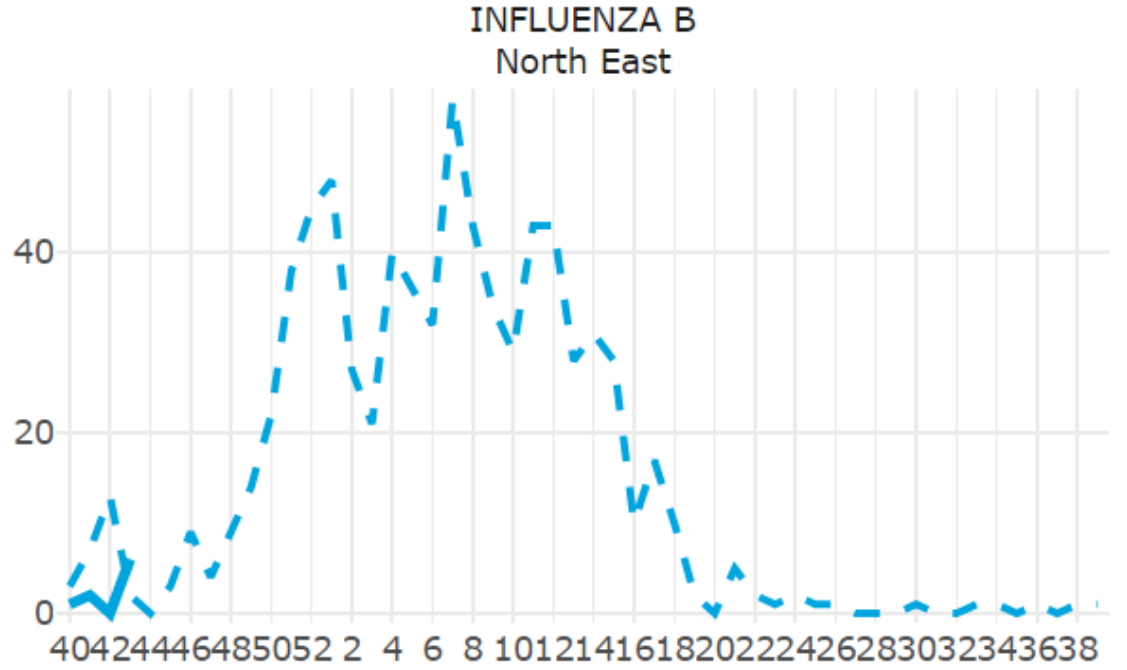
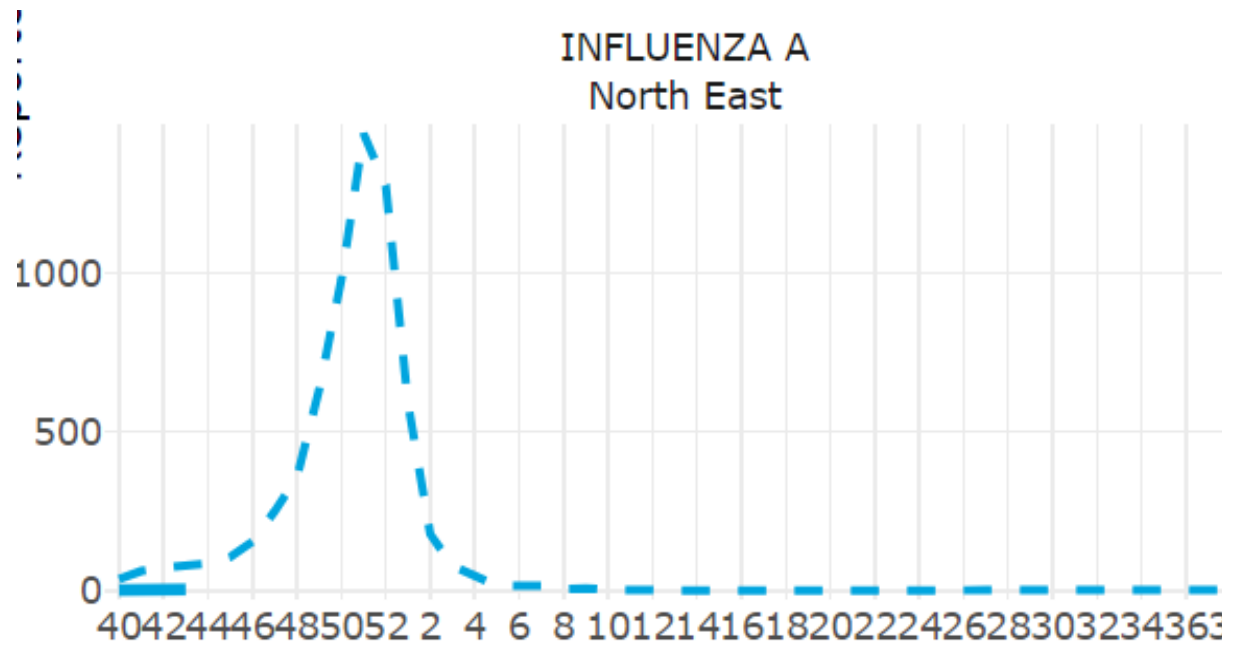
Last 3 months up to 27/10/23



Deaths within Stockton-on-Tees with Covid-19 on the death certificate remain low

Flu North East

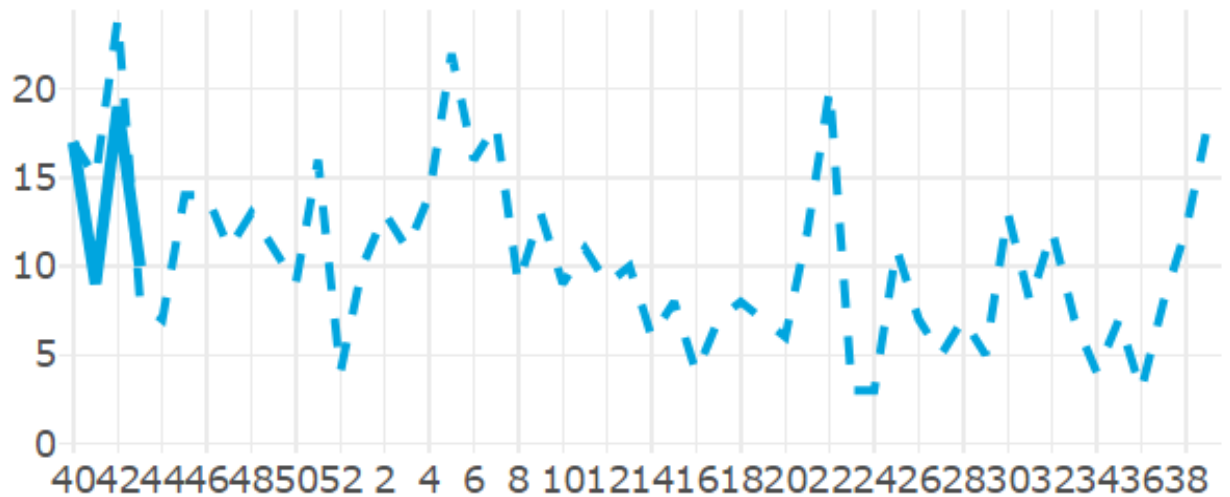
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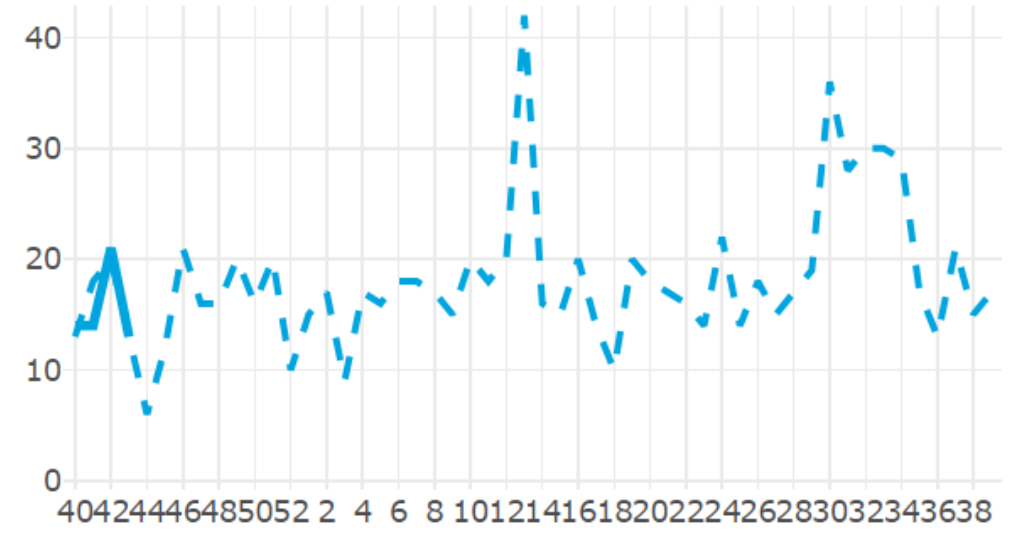
Other Acute Respiratory Illness North East

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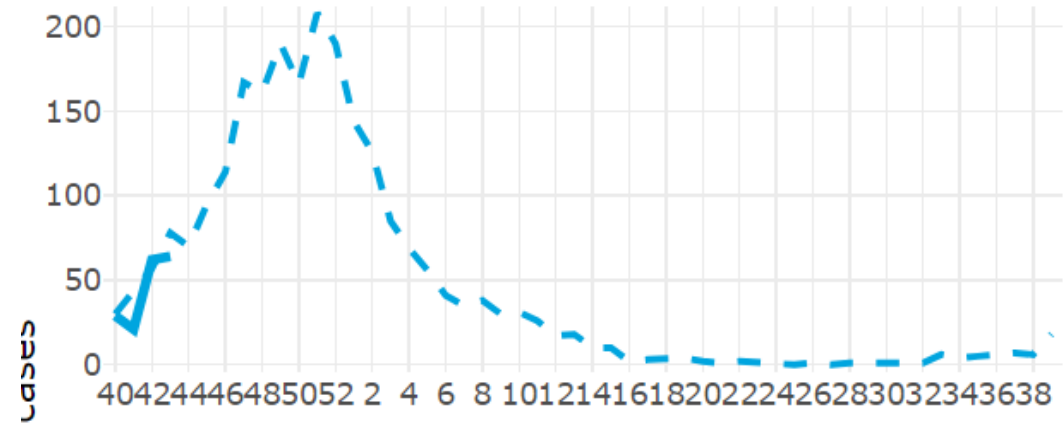
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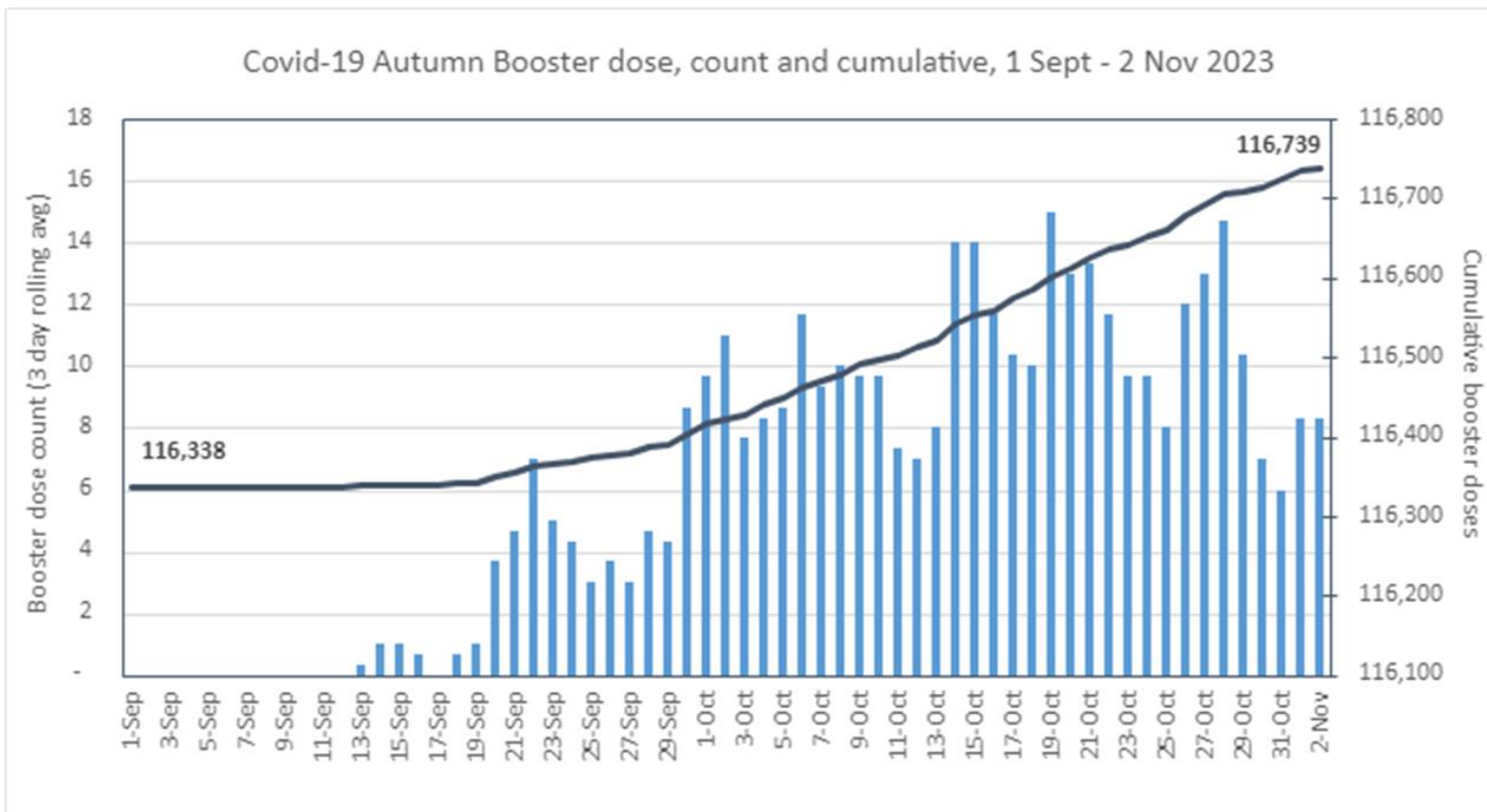


Other Infectious illness

- Norovirus cases are currently rising within the North East although there are currently no reported cases in Stockton-on-Tees.
- 3 cases of children with diarrhoea (Confirmed cases of Cryptosporidium and Salmonella) attending nurseries in Stockton-on-Tees, despite guidance to exclude from the setting.
- Salmonella - National trends show increased rates with a cluster of 74 cases identified. Appears to mostly affect young children (0-9 years) and older adults (60-69 years). Locally in Stockton: small outbreak in October with 3 known cases from a bakery. Imported eggs most likely source.

COVID-19 Autumn Vaccinations

Stockton/NE



Average uptake across borough for those eligible is 42.9%

Care home resident COVID vaccination uptake for Stockton on Tees 77.3%

But disparities in vaccination uptake in minority ethnic groups including Black/Black British, Mixed, and Asian/Asian British

Vaccination Flu

Average uptake across borough for those eligible is 38.7%

Vaccination uptake

Autumn 2023 up to 5th Nov

Lowest vaccination rates in the following wards:

Covid	Flu
Newtown (24.7%)	Newtown (29.6%)
Stockton Town Centre (27.6%)	Parkfield and Oxbridge (30.2%)
Parkfield and Oxbridge (28.4%)	Ingelby Barwick West (30.3%)
Norton South (29.5%)	Stockton Town Centre (31.9%)
Hardwick and Salters Lane (29.6%)	Mandale and Victoria (33.8%)

Vaccination pop-up clinics

Autumn 2023



26/10/23 Thornaby Pavilion: 80 COVID-19 vaccinations

Feedback from vaccination team: *“patients who had restricted mobility or had family members with frail or physical and mental health issues... one service which we provide which patients and especially family members appreciate is that we can vaccinate in the patients car/vehicle and therefore limit and reduce risks of falls or added stress to carers”*

06/11/2023 Stockton Highstreet: 33 COVID-19 and 22 Flu vaccinations

Next steps

- Support with pop-up vaccination clinics for Flu and COVID in November/December
- Reshare winter health messages with nurseries, childminders and primary schools, particularly regarding D&V
- Winter Wellbeing support leaflet - Autumn Vaccine information, Infection Prevention & Control, keeping warm, welfare support.