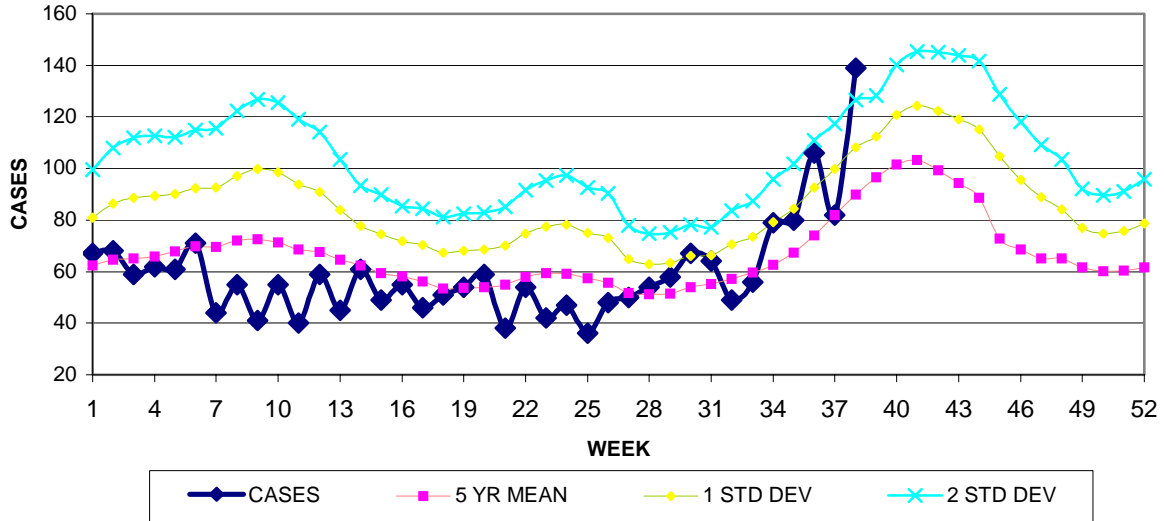


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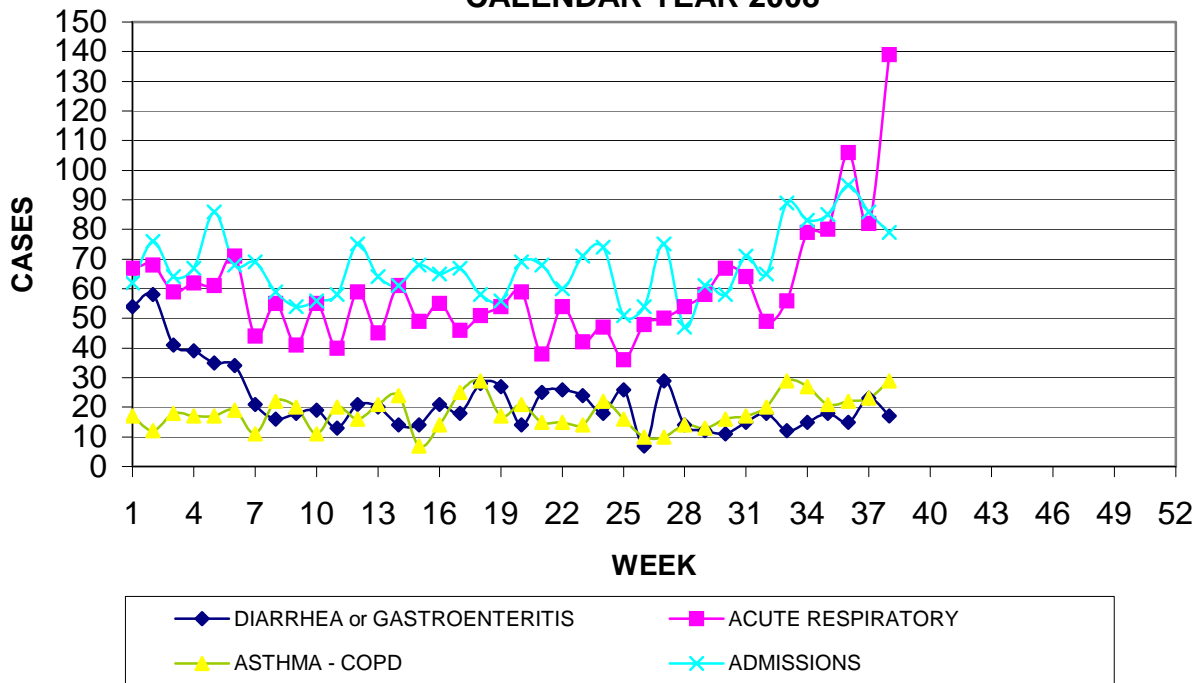
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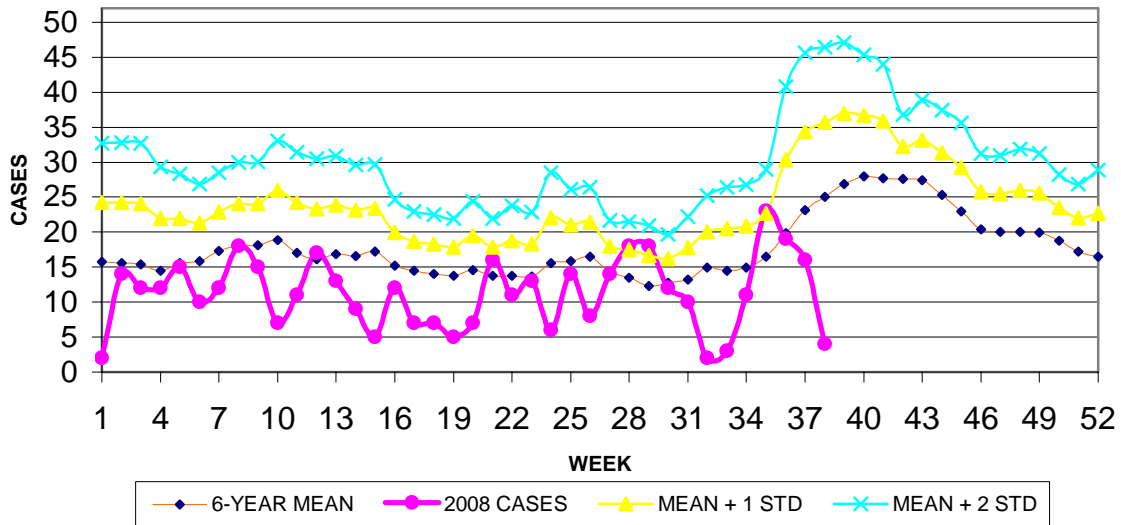
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 NUMBER OF PATIENTS SEEN IN THE GMHA-ED BY WEEK SEEN**



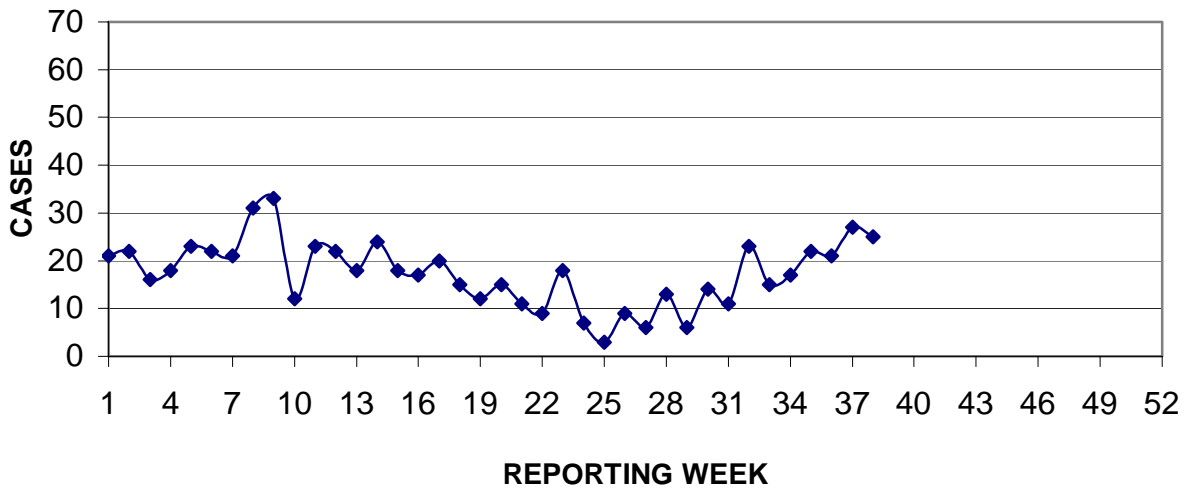
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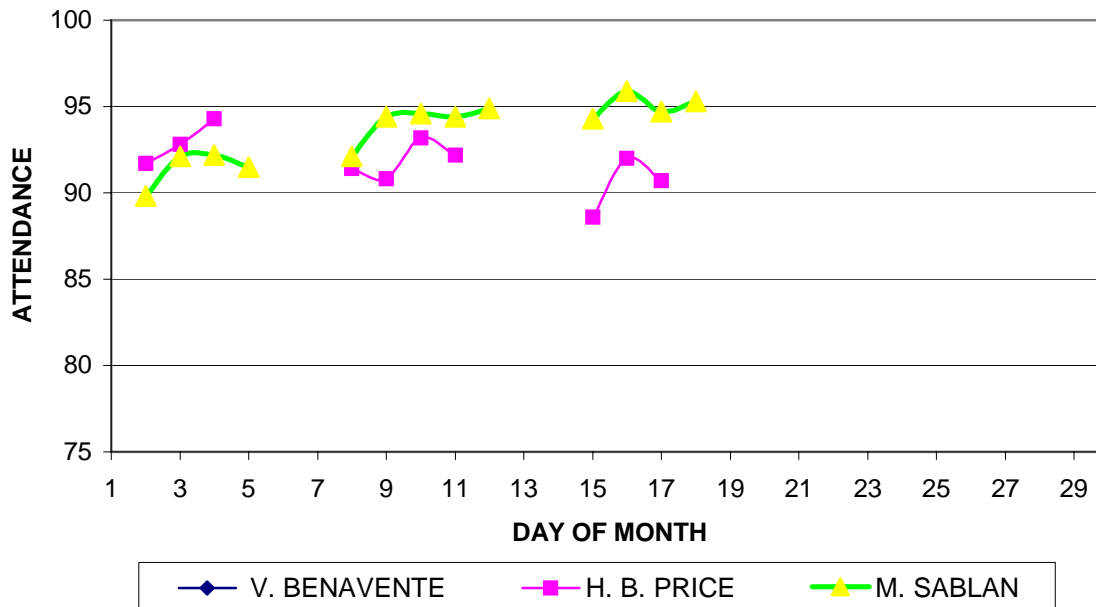
MEDICAL RECORDS DEPARTMENT  
 GUAM MEMORIAL HOSPITAL AUTHORITY  
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PREVENTIVE MEDICINE DEPARTMENT  
 U.S. NAVAL HOSPITAL GUAM  
**PNEUMONIA CASES SEEN IN GUAM MILITARY TREATMENT FACILITIES  
 BY WEEK REPORTED, 2008**



**GUAM PUBLIC SCHOOL SYSTEM  
PERCENT OF STUDENTS ATTENDING, SEPTEMBER 2008**



**GUAM COMMUNICABLE DISEASE REPORT**

REPORTS ENTERED DURING MORBIDITY WEEK 38  
(REPORTS FROM ALL SOURCES, INCLUDING MILITARY CLINICS -  
SOME CASES MAY REPRESENT DELAYED REPORTS)

| <b>DISEASE</b>               | <b>2008</b> | <b>2007</b> |
|------------------------------|-------------|-------------|
| CHICKENPOX                   | 1           | 1           |
| CHLAMYDIA                    | 0           | 2           |
| <i>Clostridium difficile</i> | 0           | 1           |
| CONJUNCTIVITIS               | 1           | 3           |
| FLU SYNDROME                 | 4           | 0           |
| FOOD POISONING               | 1           | 0           |
| GONORRHEA                    | 1           | 1           |
| HERPES SIMPLEX 2             | 0           | 1           |
| MENINGITIS, BACTERIAL        | 0           | 1           |
| MRSA                         | 0           | 4           |
| SALMONELLOSIS                | 0           | 1           |
| SHIGELLOSIS                  | 0           | 1           |
| STREP SORE THROAT            | 5           | 14          |
| STREP DISEASE, INVASIVE      | 0           | 2           |
| STREP DISEASE, OTHER         | 1           | 2           |
| VRE                          | 0           | 1           |

**GUAM SENTINEL PHYSICIAN INFLUENZA SURVEILLANCE**

REPORTS RECEIVED FOR THE WEEK ENDING 9/20/2008

**ISOLATED ACTIVITY** – 4 cases of flu syndrome reported

**GUAM ANIMAL DISEASE (ZOOZOSES) REPORTS**

REPORTS RECEIVED FOR THE WEEK ENDING 9/20/2008

**NONE REPORTED**