

# Seasonal & Pandemic Influenza 2007

---

## Poster Section: Surveillance and Diagnostics, with an Update on Rapid Diagnostics

**Section Chair: David Hillyard, MD**

### Poster Title: Four Methods of Influenza Surveillance in New York State, 2004-2005 Season

**C. Waters, P. Duncan, C. Scott, M. Lurie, G. Johnson, M. Kacica,  
C. Noonan-Toly, H. Chang**

**New York State Department of Health**

The poster displays and compares the results of 4 methods of influenza surveillance conducted during the 2004-2005 season by the New York State Department of Health. The 4 methods include: 1) reports of nosocomial laboratory-confirmed influenza in hospitals and nursing homes; 2) influenza testing results from 13 laboratories associated with either the World Health Organization (WHO) influenza surveillance network or CDC's National Respiratory and Enteric Virus Surveillance System (NREVSS); 3) influenza-like illness reported by 80 sentinel physicians for influenza surveillance; and 4) weekly statewide influenza activity as reported to CDC by the state epidemiologist.