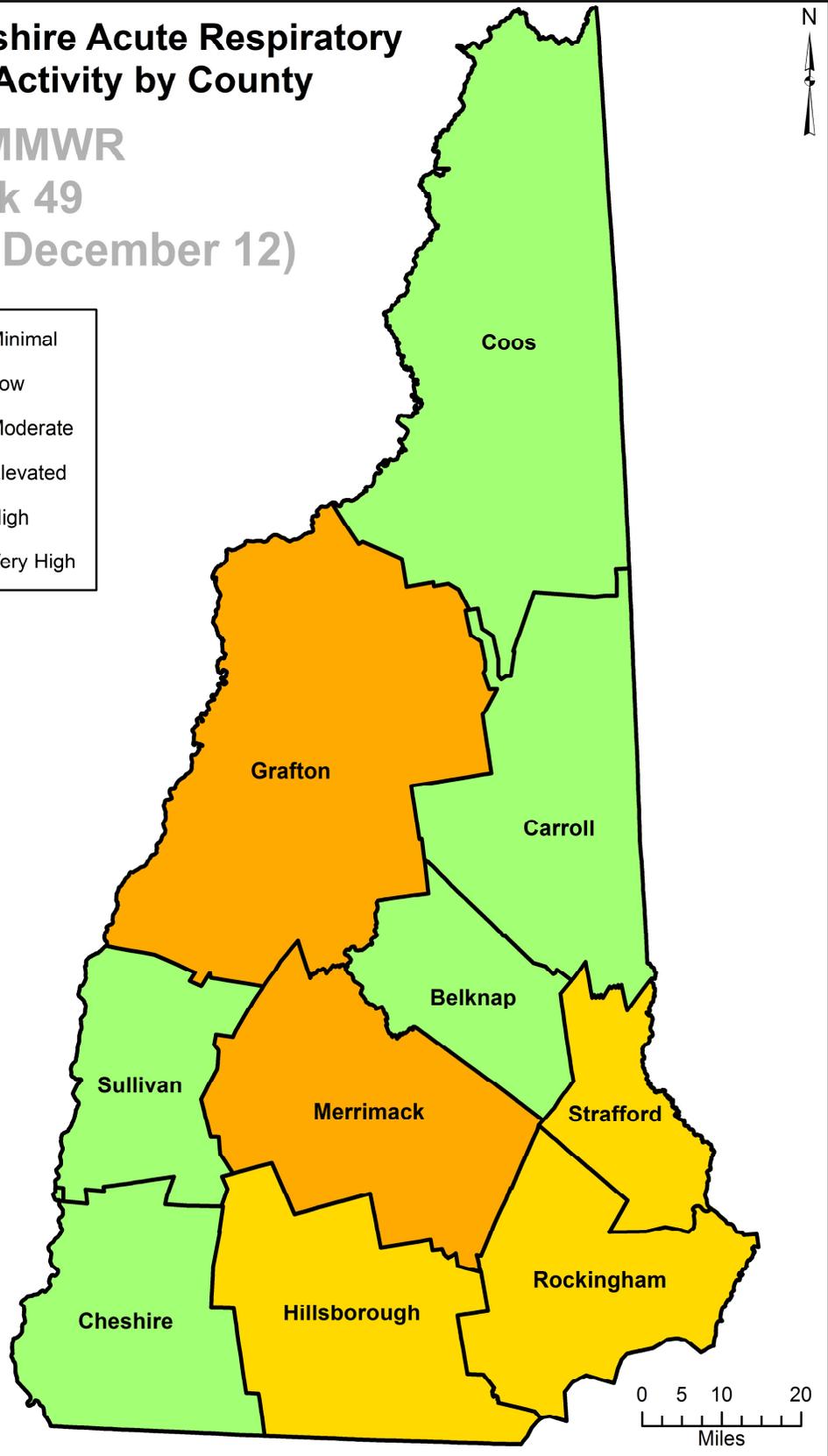


State of New Hampshire Acute Respiratory Illness* (ARI) Activity by County

2015 MMWR

Week 49

(December 6 - December 12)



Data is derived from New Hampshire AHEDD surveillance reports based on chief complaint text of emergency department encounters from 26 hospitals statewide for the time frame indicated. "Acute Respiratory Illness (ARI) includes chief complaint text values of either fever/cough, fever/sore throat, flu (includes flu, influenza, flu like symptoms, etc.), respiratory infection (includes URI, LRI), bronchitis, viral infection, pneumonia, pharyngitis, sinusitis or otitis media.

**County-specific ARI & ARI Activity
Determinations for MMWR Week 49 2015**

County	Threshold	ARI Week 49	ARI Rating
Belknap	1.8	1.1	moderate
Carroll	4.3	2.7	moderate
Cheshire	2.8	1.7	moderate
Coos	2.9	2.0	moderate
Grafton	2.1	3.4	high
Hillsborough	2.5	2.7	elevated
Merrimack	1.4	2.3	high
Rockingham	1.6	2.1	elevated
Strafford	1.8	2.2	elevated
Sullivan	4.6	3.5	moderate