

Human Salmonella isolates, January 2023

The number of isolates (n=99) confirmed this month showed an increase in comparison to the number of isolates confirmed in January 2022 (n=64). Salmonella Typhimurium ST19 (20.3% in 2022 vs 27.3% in 2023) was the most common serotypes confirmed this month. Uncommon serotype confirmed this month was Salmonella Johannesburg (16 human cases since it was first confirmed in New Zealand in 1990), Salmonella Kiambu (25 human cases since it was first confirmed in New Zealand in 1990), Salmonella Orion (15 human cases since it was first confirmed in New Zealand in 1993), Salmonella Poona (42 human cases since it was first confirmed in New Zealand in 1998), Salmonella Ruiru (20 human cases since it was first confirmed in New Zealand in 2004) and Salmonella Sandiego (47 human cases since it was first confirmed in New Zealand in 1992).