Surveillance Items of Note:

- **Influenza A/H3** cases continued in large numbers at border surveillance sites in Imperial County, CA.
- Imperial County also saw increased influenza B/Victoria activity along with their first influenza A/H1 cases of the season.

**FEBRILE RESPIRATORY ILLNESS CASES:**

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**AGE RECRUIT SURVEILLANCE:**

8 of 10 samples collected have completed testing:
- Ft. Leonard Wood (0/2), NRTC Great Lakes (0), MCRD San Diego (4), and MCRD Parris Island (4).
- All samples were negative for Norovirus, *Salmonella*, *Campylobacter*, and *Shigella*.

**US Special Forces:**

- Five respiratory samples were tested from a San Diego warfare training school with 2 influenza A/H3, 1 influenza B/Yamagata, and 1 rhinovirus detections.

**US-MEXICO BORDER ILI CASES:**

- *Naval Medical Center San Diego* requested subtyping on 4 samples of Influenza A that were unsubtyped in their lab and could represent novel strains. At NHRC, they were all typed as low titer Influenza A/H3.