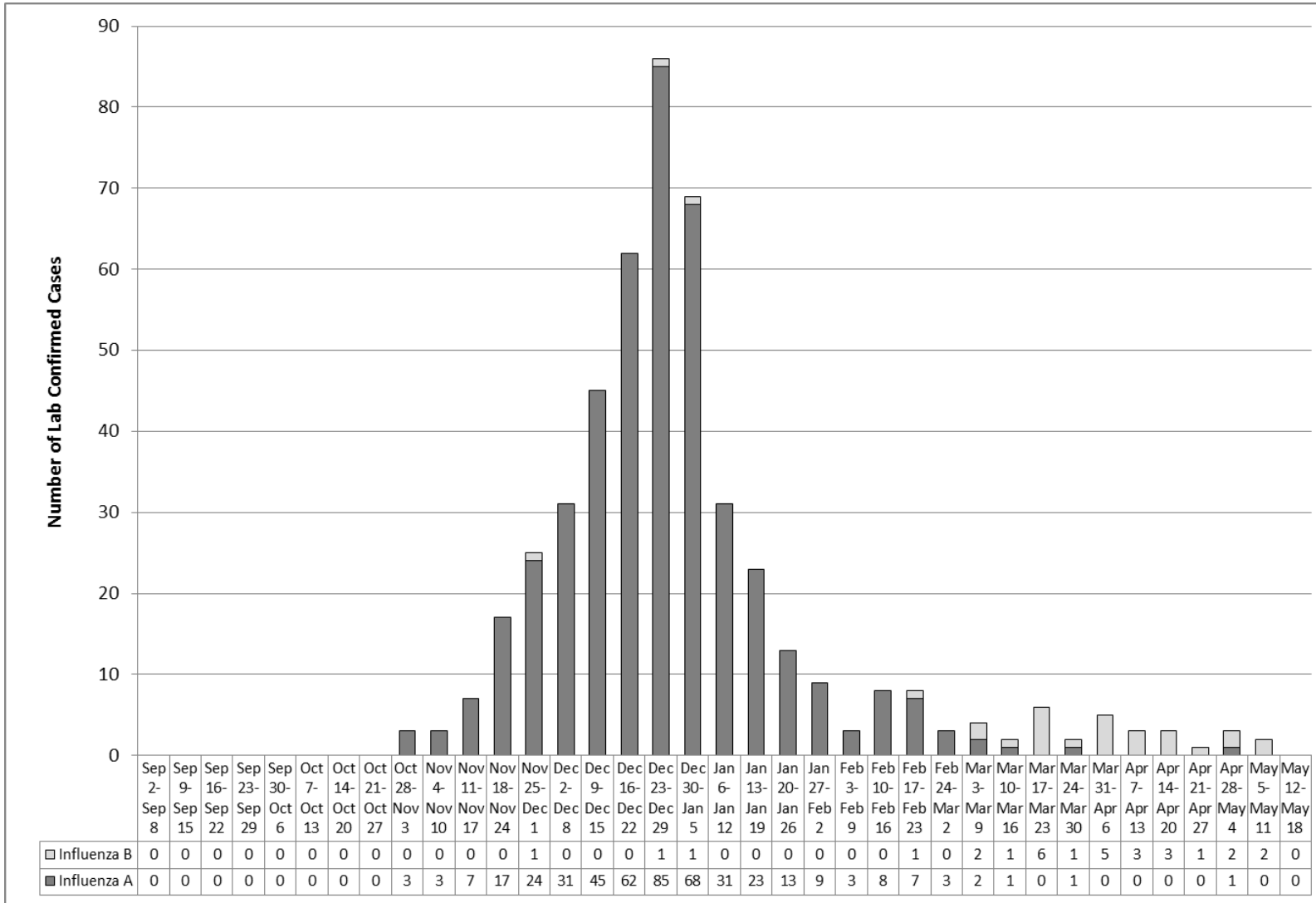
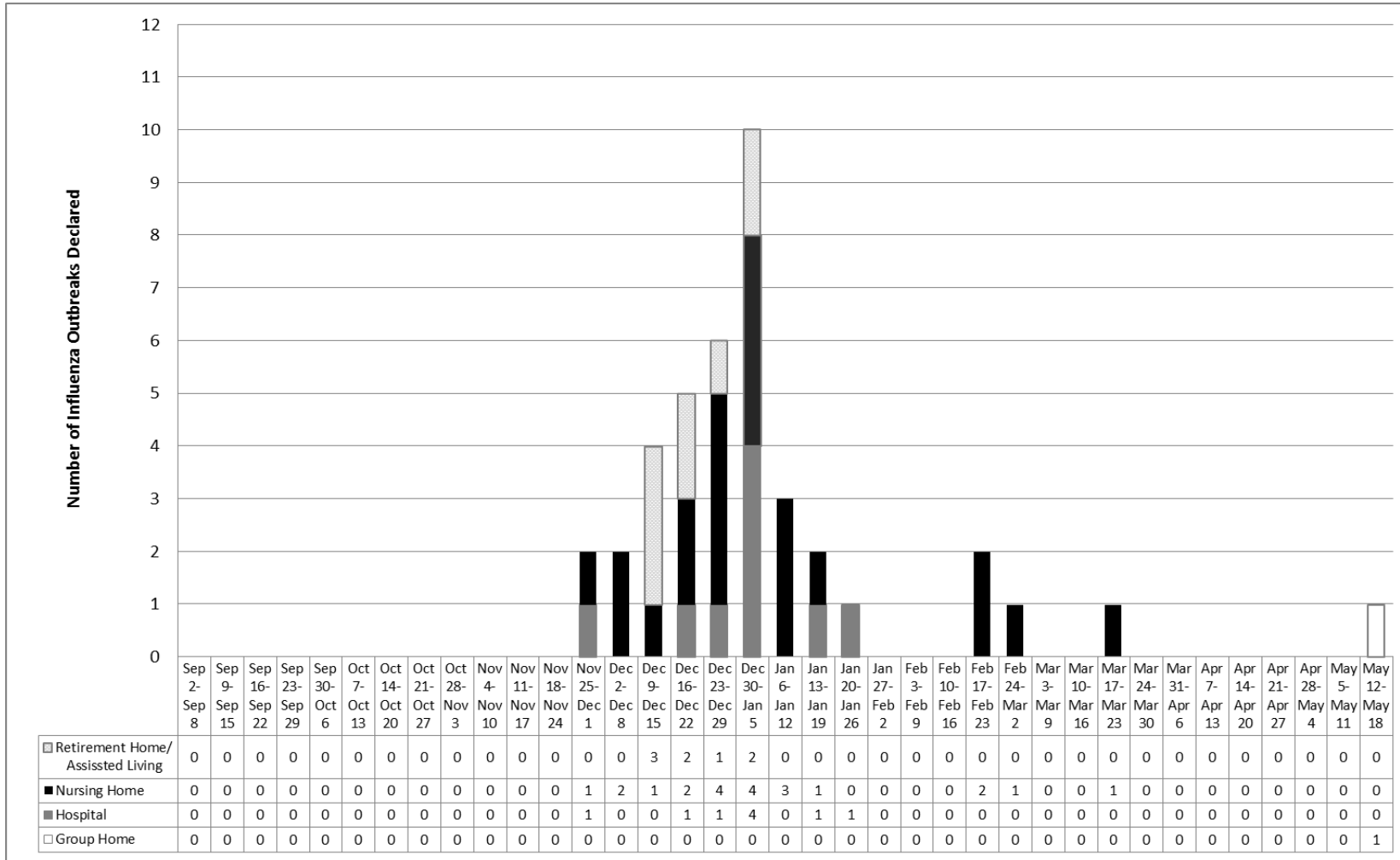


Figure 1: Number of laboratory-confirmed influenza cases, by episode date and influenza type, Middlesex-London, 2012-2013 influenza season (n=477)



Note: Episode date is the onset date of symptoms. Where onset of symptoms is not available, specimen collection date is used. Where specimen collection date is not available, report date is used.

Figure 2: Number of confirmed influenza outbreaks, by date declared and setting type, Middlesex- London, 2012-2013 influenza season (n=40)



Notes:

Influenza A was identified in virtually all (39/40) outbreaks; influenza B was identified in only one outbreak.

The duration of outbreaks ranged from four to 28 days. In 25% (10/40) of outbreaks, another virus was identified in addition to influenza, such as rhinovirus, respiratory syncytial virus (RSV), or parainfluenza. In some situations, this may have lengthened the outbreak’s duration.