• The epidemic peak has likely passed but influenza activity remains elevated in BC
• Influenza positivity at the BCCDC Public Health Laboratory continued to decline, falling to below 40% in week 4 from a peak of more than 50% in week 52
• This trend was driven by declining A(H3N2) activity
• Influenza B has predominated among influenza detections (>55%) this week with activity levels for type B remaining stable

Note: Week 40 corresponds to the first week of October. Data Source: BCCDC Public Health Laboratory; current to January 31, 2018.