



Viral diagnostic test for respiratory tract infection

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Topic

- Epidemiology of respiratory tract infection
- Diagnostic test for RTI
- Clinical use of diagnostic test

Epidemiology of RTI

- Age
- Site of infection
 - Upper respiratory tract
 - Lower respiratory tract
- Seasonal variation
- Geographic location
- Outbreak

Etiologic causes

● Common pathogens

- Adenovirus
- Influenza virus
- Parainfluenza virus
- RSV
- Enterovirus
- Rhinovirus

● Emerging pathogens

- Human coronavirus
- Human metapneumovirus
- Human bocavirus

● Less common pathogens

- Measles
- Mumps
- Rubella
- EBV
- HSV
- CMV
- VZV
- Reovirus
- HIV
- HPV

Upper respiratory tract infection

