



- Influenza Highlights**
- Basic Research**
- Genomic sequencing: ~2000 isolates released to GenBank
 - Interface between avian and human influenza
- Diagnostics**
- Utilizing new technologies for rapid and sensitive identification (MChip)
- Therapeutics**
- Maximizing potential use of existing drugs
 - Developing new antivirals
- Pre-Pandemic and Pandemic Vaccines**
- New strategies/technologies to improve existing vaccines
 - Development of strain-specific and "universal" pandemic vaccines

