

Table 1. Detection of antiviral drug-resistant viruses in Japan during the 2025/2026 influenza season

as of May 15, 2026

	A(H1N1)pdm09						A(H3N2)						B				
	Baloxavir	Oseltamivir	Peramivir	Zanamivir	Laninamivir	Amantadine	Baloxavir	Oseltamivir	Peramivir	Zanamivir	Laninamivir	Amantadine	Baloxavir	Oseltamivir	Peramivir	Zanamivir	Laninamivir
Resistant (%)	0	1 (1.1%)	1 (1.1%)	0	0	51 (100%)	11 (1.2%)	0	0	0	0	306 (100%)	0	0	0	0	0
Number of viruses tested	76	92	92	49	49	51	910	259	259	259	259	306	339	88	88	88	88
Number of viruses reported	195						5,329						3,095				

Baloxavir was examined by focus reduction assay, rhPCR allelic discrimination and/or PA sequencing.

NA inhibitors were examined by fluorescence-based NA-Fluor assay, chemiluminescence-based NA-XTD assay, real time RT-PCR allelic discrimination and/or NA sequencing.

Amantadine was examined by M2 sequencing.