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Defense Centers for Public Health-Aberdeen

Acute Respiratory Disease Weekly Surveillance Summary Among Army Trainees

Week Ending 2 March 2024

Fort Jackson

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Strep Rate=(Strep Cultures (+)/Cultures) *100

Strep-ARD Surveillance Index (SASI)=(ARD Rate*Strep Rate)

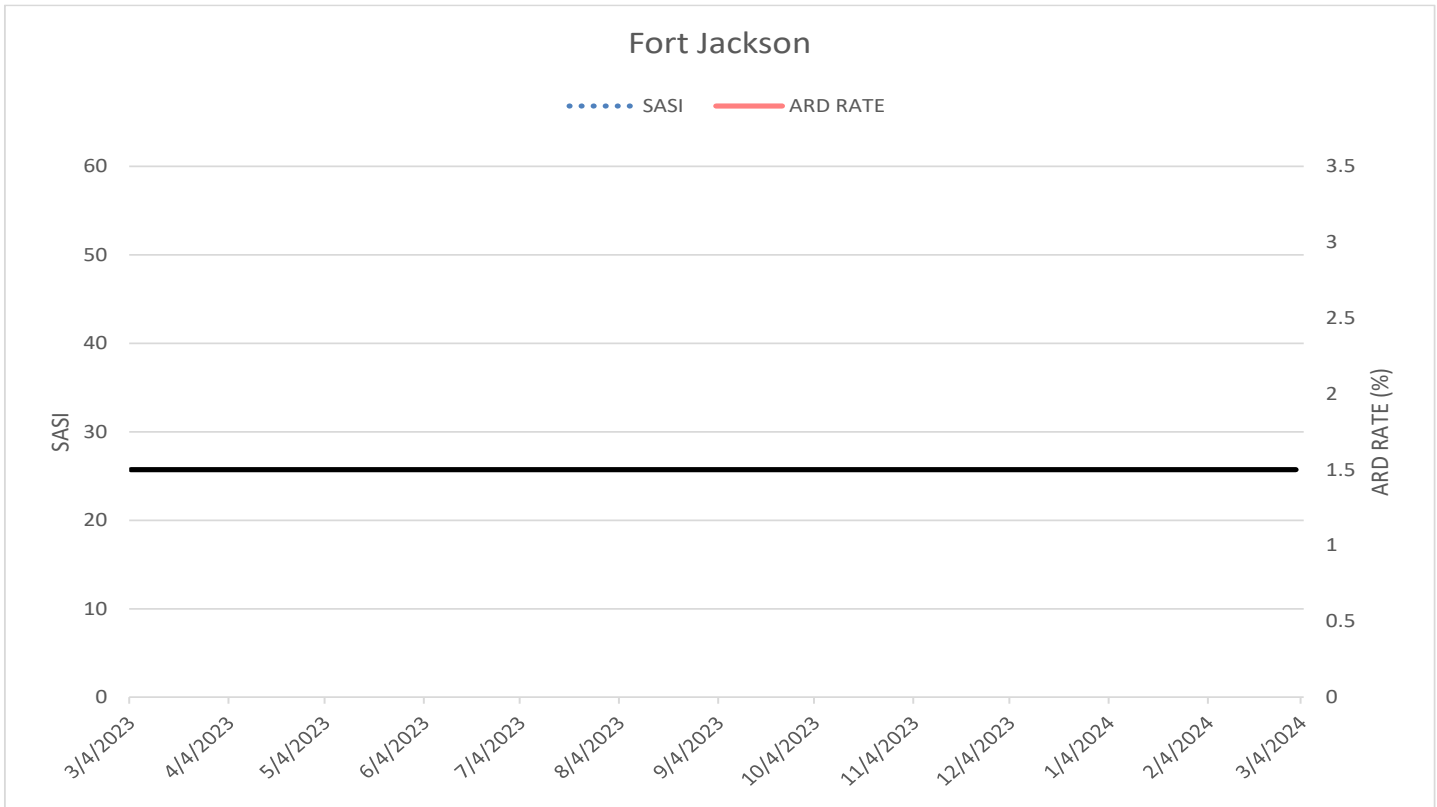
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Males			
Unit Strength	ARD Cases	Strep Test Done	Strep Positive
NA	NA	NA	NA

Females			
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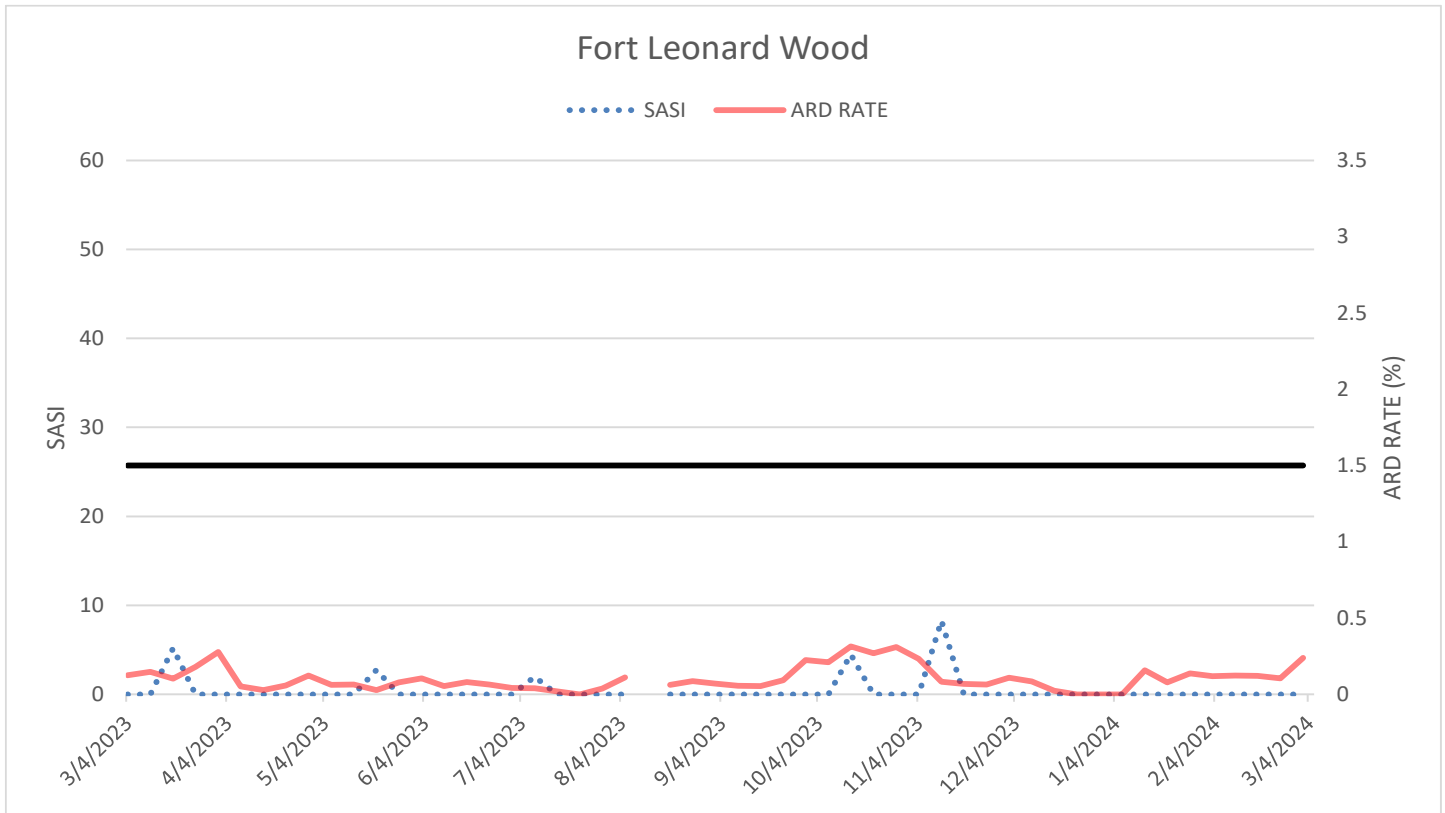
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2,872	7	4	0

Females			
Unit Strength	ARD Cases	Strep Test Done	Strep Positive
882	2	0	0

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(formerly Fort Benning)



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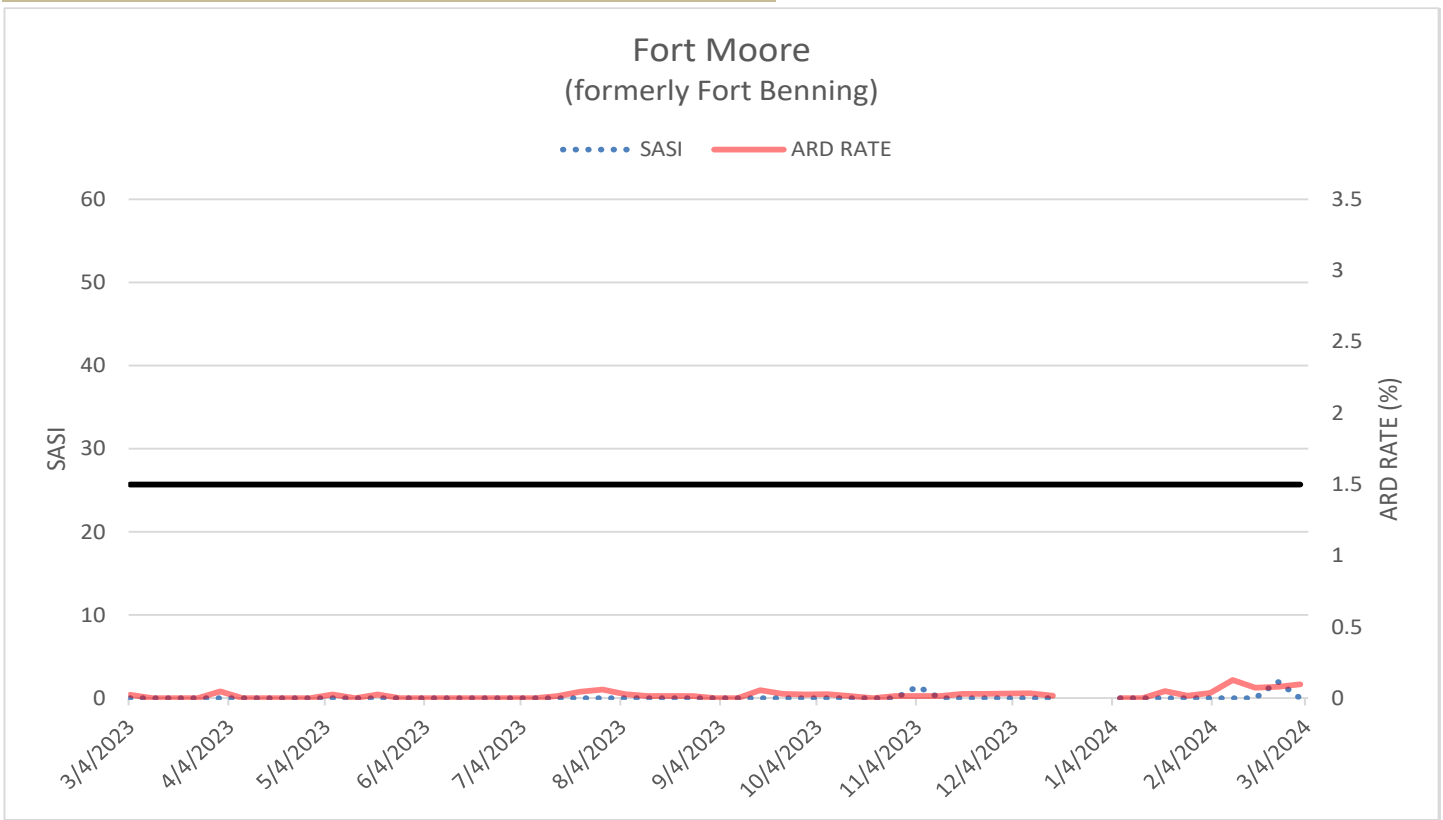
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Females			
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146	0	0	0

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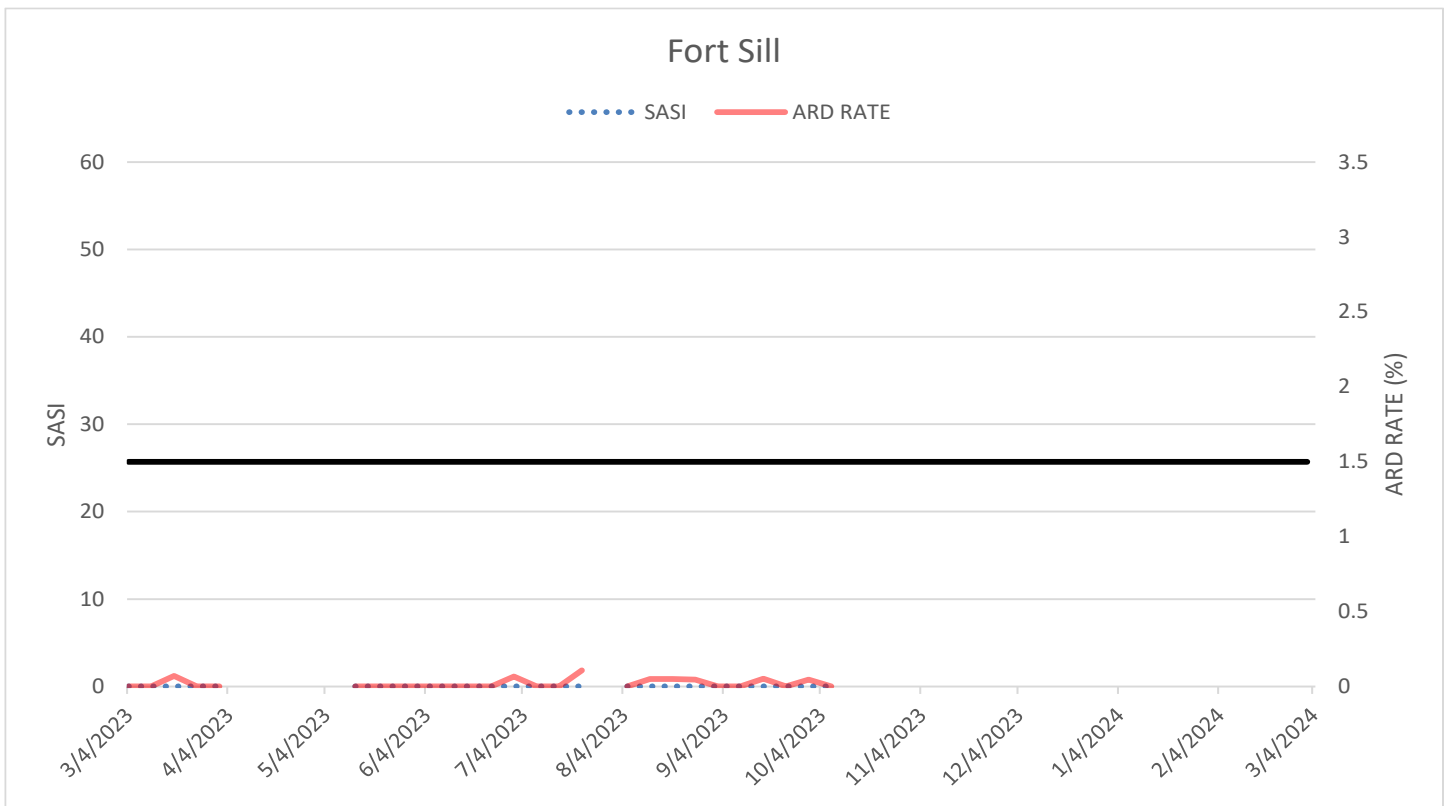
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