

Establishment—number of healthcare-associated Methicillin-sensitive Staphylococcus aureus (MSSA) bacteraemia patient episodes, total episodes N[NNNN]

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Identifying and definitional attributes

Metadata item type:	Data Element
Short name:	Number of healthcare-associated Methicillin-sensitive Staphylococcus aureus (MSSA) bacteraemia patient episodes
METEOR identifier:	585132
Registration status:	Health! , Standard 25/01/2018
Definition:	The total number of healthcare-associated Methicillin-sensitive Staphylococcus aureus (MSSA) bacteraemia patient episodes , attributed to care provided by the hospital, reported during a specified reference period.

Data element concept attributes

Identifying and definitional attributes

Data element concept:	Establishment—number of healthcare-associated Methicillin-sensitive Staphylococcus aureus (MSSA) bacteraemia patient episodes
METEOR identifier:	585138
Registration status:	Health! , Standard 25/01/2018
Definition:	The number of healthcare-associated Methicillin-sensitive Staphylococcus aureus (MSSA) bacteraemia patient episodes , attributed to care provided by the hospital, reported during a specified reference period.
Object class:	Establishment
Property:	Number of healthcare-associated Methicillin-sensitive Staphylococcus aureus (MSSA) bacteraemia patient episodes

Source and reference attributes

Submitting organisation:	Australian Institute of Health and Welfare
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Value domain attributes

Identifying and definitional attributes

Value domain:	Total episodes N[NNNN]
METEOR identifier:	439403
Registration status:	Health! , Standard 15/11/2012
Definition:	Number of episodes.

Representational attributes

Representation class:	Total
Data type:	Number
Format:	N[NNNN]

Maximum character length: 5

Data element attributes

Collection and usage attributes

Guide for use: The number of healthcare-associated MSSA cases at a hospital may be zero.

Comments: MSSA is an isolate of *Staphylococcus aureus* that is identified by a laboratory as being methicillin susceptible (ACSQHC unpublished).

Source and reference attributes

Submitting organisation: Australian Institute of Health and Welfare

Reference documents: ACSQHC (Australian Commission on Safety and Quality in Health Care), unpublished. Endorsed amendments to the *Staphylococcus aureus* bacteraemia (SAB) Data set specification (DSS). Sydney: ACSQHC.

Relational attributes

Related metadata references: Has been superseded by [Establishment—number of healthcare-associated Methicillin-sensitive Staphylococcus aureus \(MSSA\) bloodstream infection patient episodes, total episodes N\[NNNN\]](#)
[Health!](#), Qualified 16/03/2022

See also [Episode of admitted patient care](#)
[Health!](#), Standard 01/03/2005
[Independent Hospital Pricing Authority](#), Standard 31/10/2012
[National Health Performance Authority \(retired\)](#), Retired 01/07/2016
[Tasmanian Health](#), Standard 02/09/2016

See also [Establishment—number of healthcare-associated Methicillin-resistant Staphylococcus aureus \(MRSA\) bacteraemia patient episodes, total episodes N\[NNNN\]](#)
[Health!](#), Standard 25/01/2018

See also [Establishment—number of healthcare-associated Methicillin-resistant Staphylococcus aureus \(MRSA\) bloodstream infection patient episodes, total episodes N\[NNNN\]](#)
[Health!](#), Qualified 16/03/2022

See also [Non-admitted patient](#)
[Health!](#), Standard 01/03/2005

Implementation in Data Set Specifications: [Healthcare-associated infections NBEDS 2016-2021](#)
[Health!](#), Standard 25/01/2018

Implementation start date: 01/07/2016
Conditional obligation:

Reporting of this data element is conditional on a 'Yes' response to the [Establishment—Staphylococcus aureus bacteraemia surveillance indicator, yes/no code N](#) data element.

**Implementation in
Indicators:**

[Australian Health Performance Framework: PI 2.2.2–Healthcare-associated Staphylococcus aureus bloodstream infections, 2019](#)

[Health!](#), Standard 09/04/2020

[Australian Health Performance Framework: PI 2.2.2–Healthcare-associated Staphylococcus aureus bloodstream infections, 2020](#)

[Health!](#), Standard 13/10/2021

[National Healthcare Agreement: PI 22–Healthcare associated infections: Staphylococcus aureus bacteraemia, 2018](#)

[Health!](#), Superseded 19/06/2019

[National Healthcare Agreement: PI 22–Healthcare associated infections: Staphylococcus aureus bacteraemia, 2019](#)

[Health!](#), Superseded 13/03/2020

[National Healthcare Agreement: PI 22–Healthcare associated infections: Staphylococcus aureus bacteraemia, 2020](#)

[Health!](#), Standard 13/03/2020

[National Healthcare Agreement: PI 22–Healthcare associated infections: Staphylococcus aureus bacteraemia, 2021](#)

[Health!](#), Standard 16/09/2020

[National Healthcare Agreement: PI 22–Healthcare associated infections: Staphylococcus aureus bacteraemia, 2022](#)

[Health!](#), Standard 24/09/2021