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C. difficile surveillance

Quarterly report

January - March 2023

Key points

- CDI reports for hospital inpatients aged 2 years and over decreased by 11% (from 104 to 93 episodes) during January – March 2023 compared to October – December 2022.
- CDI rate per 1,000 bed days decreased by 11% during January – March 2023 compared to October – December 2022.
- CDI reports for community patients aged 2 years and over increased by 14% (from 51 to 58 episodes) during January – March 2023 compared to October – December 2022.
- CDI reports for hospital inpatients aged 2 years and over decreased by 5% between the 2021/22 and 2022/23 financial years.
- During January - March 2023 the most prevalent ribotypes for CDI inpatients are 078-like (18%), 002 (17%) and 005 (14%) (Table 1). The most predominate community ribotypes are also 078-like (21%), 002 (14%) and 005 (9%) (Table 2).

For further information or clarification on HCAI definitions, please refer to previous reports or contact hcaipr@hscni.net

Surveillance quarterly reports for C.difficile and S.aureus.

Access previous and current reports here:

2023 Q1 CDI Report	
2023 Q1 SA Report	2022 Q1 CDI Report
2023 Q2 CDI Report	2022 Q1 SA Report
2023 Q2 SA Report	2022 Q2 CDI Report
2023 Q3 CDI Report	2022 Q2 SA Report
2023 Q3 SA Report	2022 Q3 CDI Report
2023 Q4 CDI Report	2022 Q3 SA Report
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2024 Q1 CDI Report	2022 Q4 SA Report
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