

# MDROs: Defining High Risk Populations

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# MDRO COLONIZATION IN US NURSING HOMES

- MDRO colonization: 1/3<sup>rd</sup> of the 1.6 m
- Cross sectional data:
  - MRSA: 10 - 50 %
  - R-GNB: 20%
  - VRE: 4 - 9.6% (2015 data, new admits into inner city NHs: 33%)
- Prospective data, new acquisition:
  - MRSA: 10 - 29 %
  - R-GNB: 25 - 39%
  - VRE: 4 - 5% (2015 data, new admits from inner city NHs: 10-15%)



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# MDRO EMERGING ISSUES

- Prevalence of MDR GNB carriage and VRE exceeding that of MRSA (US NHs)
- Mainland China and Hong Kong in past decade:
  - Shanghai Bacterial Resistance Surveillance Project (23 hospitals, 1989-) & CHINET (15 hospitals, 2005-)
  - MRSA prevalence increased from <10% to over 50-70%
  - MDR *A. baumannii* incidence increased by 6-fold
  - ESBL-producing *E. coli* increased from 30% to 60%
  - VRE endemic in many hospitals

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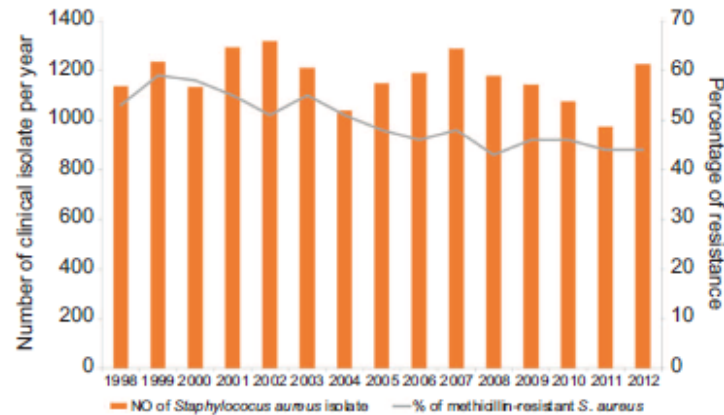
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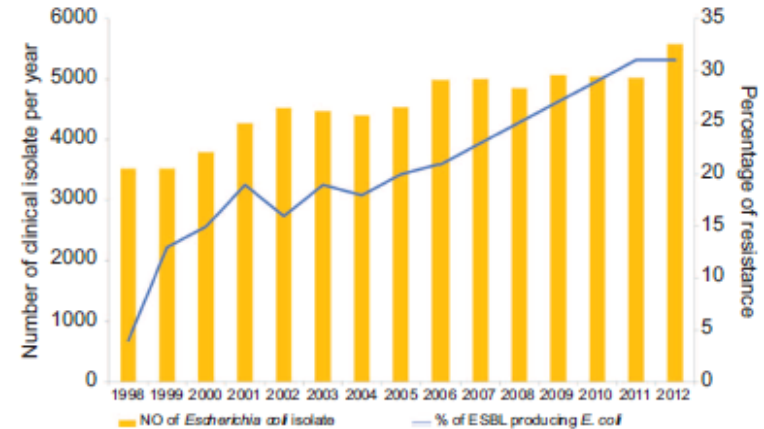
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# MDRO TRENDS: HONG KONG

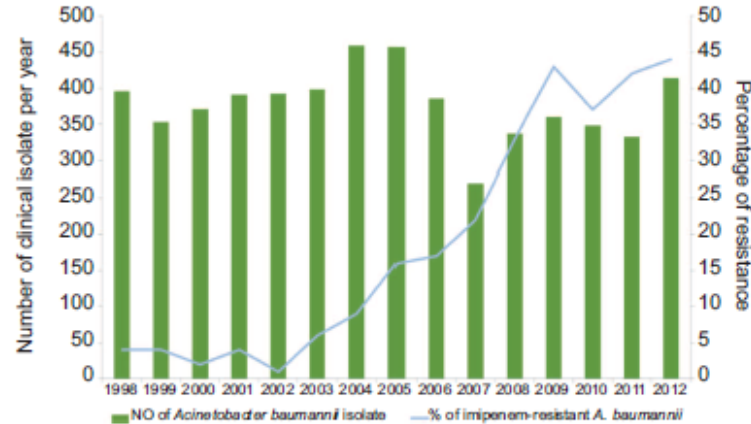
**A** Prevalence of MRSA in Queen Mary Hospital (1998-2012)



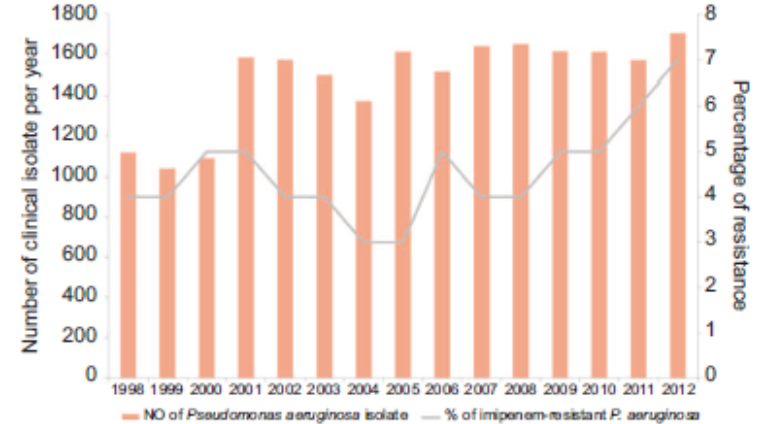
**B** Prevalence of ESBL-*E.coli* in Queen Mary Hospital (1998-2012)



**C** Prevalence of CRAB in Queen Mary Hospital (1998-2012)




**D** Prevalence of CRPA in Queen Mary Hospital (1998-2012)



CRAB = Carbapenem resistant *Acinetobacter baumannii*, CRPA = Carbapenem-resistant *Pseudomonas aeruginosa*

# IMPACT OF MDROs

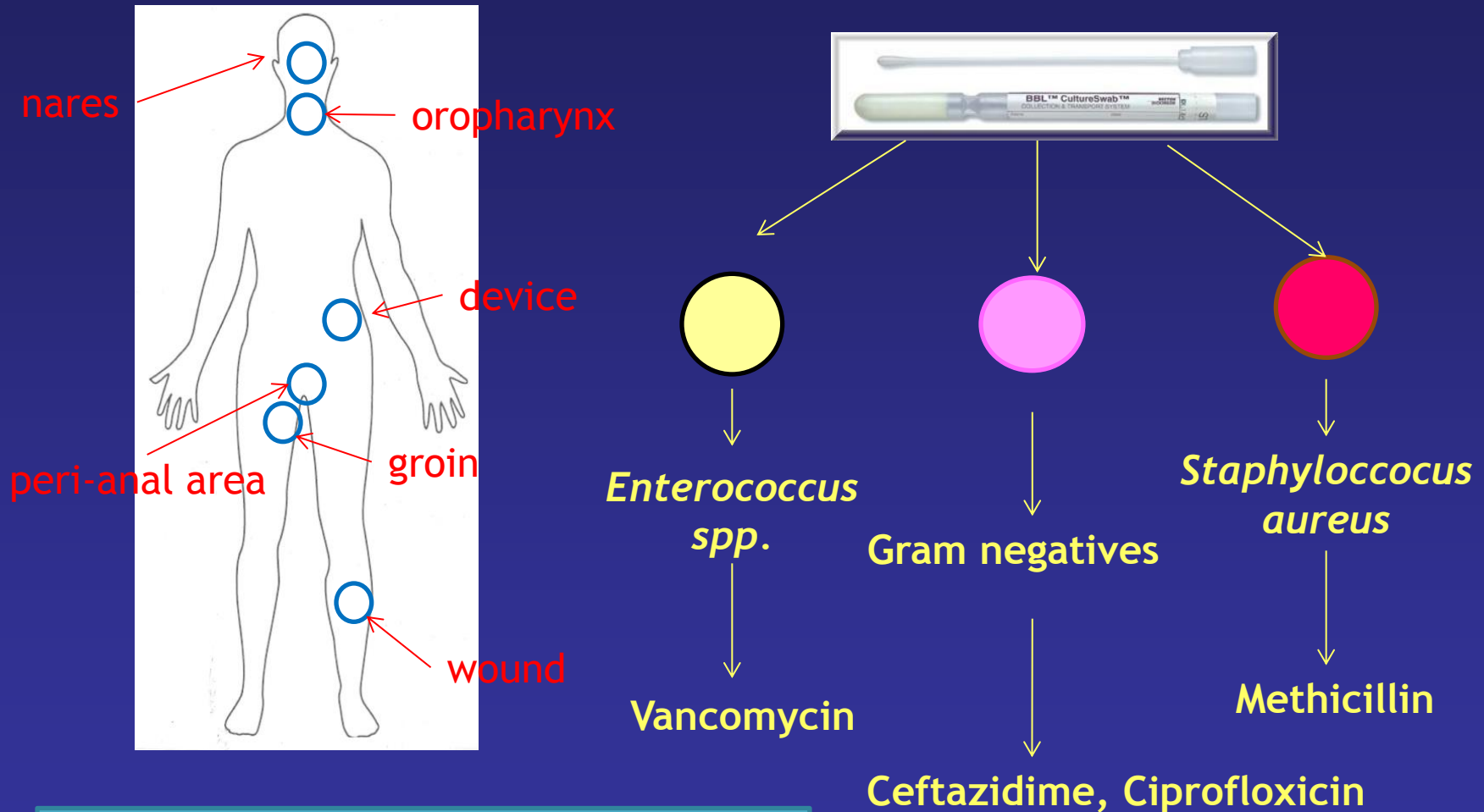
- One of the greatest healthcare challenges
- Prevalence is increasing
- Responsible for
  - over 12,000 deaths
  - 3.5 billion dollars (in US)
- New antibiotics  Resistance
- New antibiotics not the only solution, need effective infection prevention strategies

# RISK FACTORS FOR MDROs

- Use of indwelling devices
- Functional disability
- Presence of wounds
- Prior antimicrobial usage
- Prior hospitalization

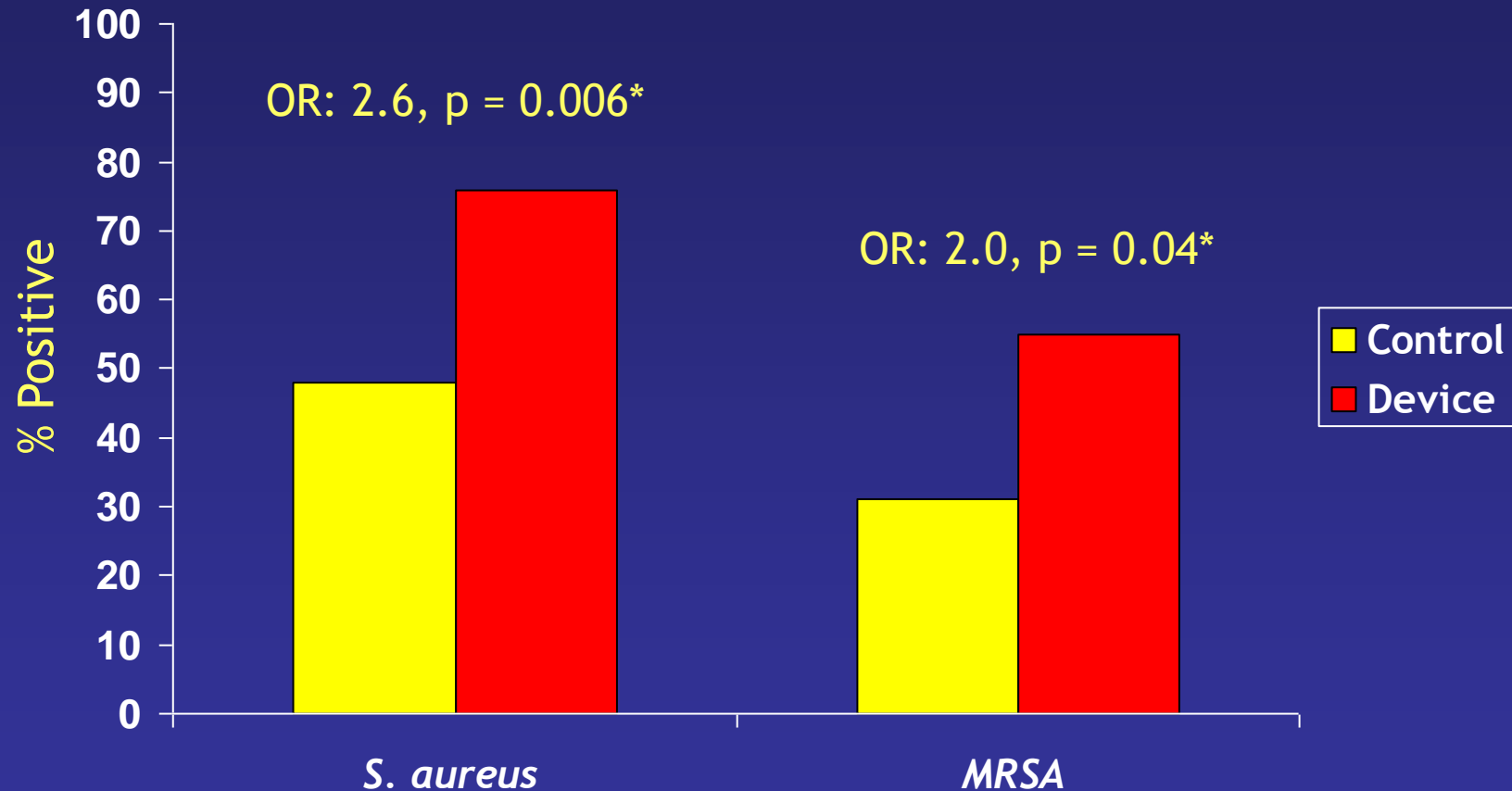
*Move from pathogen-based to risk-factor based infection prevention programs?*

# TOTAL COHORT 178 PATIENTS; 88 NO-DEVICE, 90 WITH URINARY CATHETER, FEEDING TUBE OR BOTH; TOTAL FOLLOW-UP VISITS: 907



Outcome measure = site-level & patient-level colonization, infections

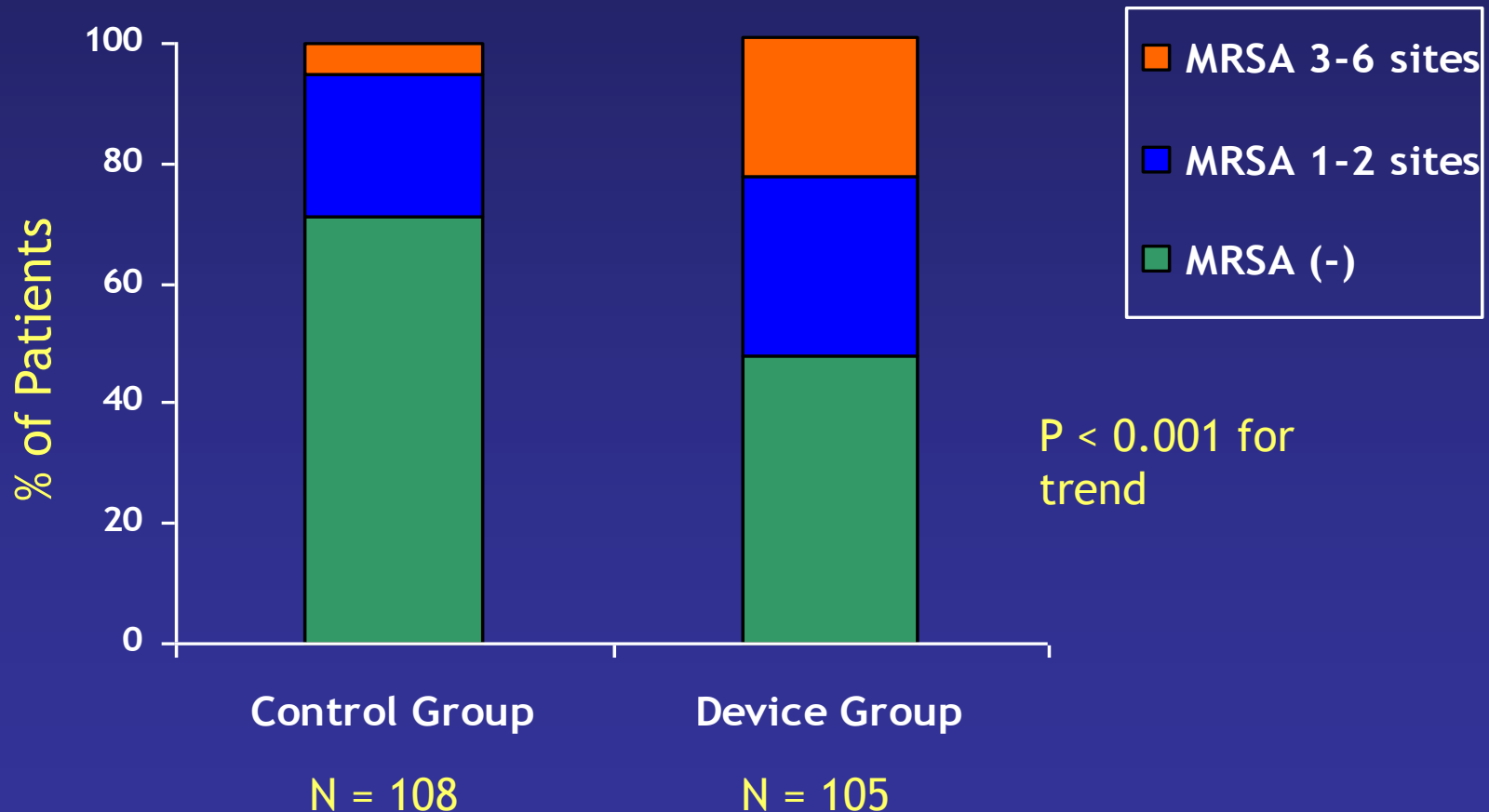
# INDWELLING DEVICES, CROSS-SECTIONAL: ADDED RISK OF *S. AUREUS* & MRSA



\* Adjusted for age, function, comorbidities



# INDWELLING DEVICES, CROSS-SECTIONAL: ADDED RISK OF MULTI-SITE COLONIZATION



# INDWELLING DEVICES, PROSPECTIVE COHORT: ADDED RISK OF INFECTION

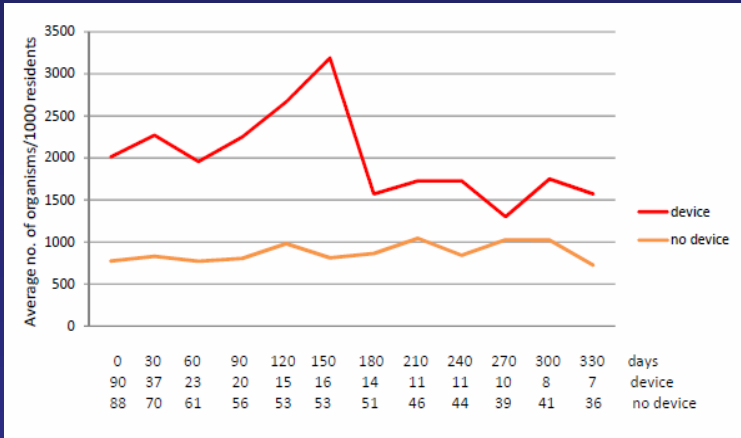
	No. of residents with infection	Follow-up time (resident-days)	Rate (per 1000 resident-days)
No Device (n=88)	50	19,320	2.6
Feeding tube (n=30)	17	3,000	5.7
Urinary catheter (n=48)	34	3,840	8.9
Feeding tube and urinary catheter (n=12)	10	1,050	9.5

# INDWELLING DEVICES: ADDED RISK OF MDROs

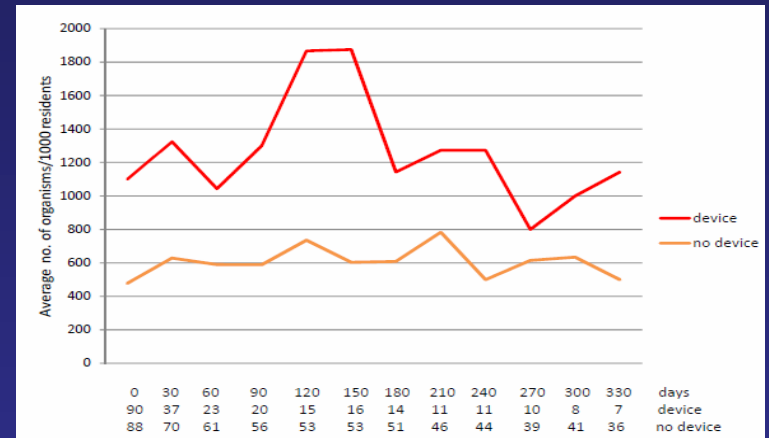
	No. of Organisms Isolated (per 1000 resident-days of follow-up)			
	Total MDRO	MRSA	VRE	R-GNB
No Device	29	7.4	1.2	20
Feeding Tube	63	25	4.3	33.7
Urinary Catheter	68	19.8	3.6	44.8
Feeding Tube & Urinary Catheter	91	28.5	14.3	48.6

# INDWELLING DEVICES: ADDED BURDEN OF MDROs

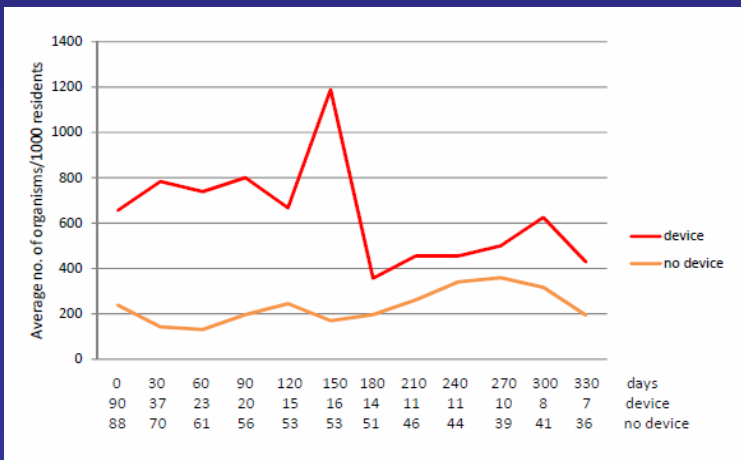
All MDROs



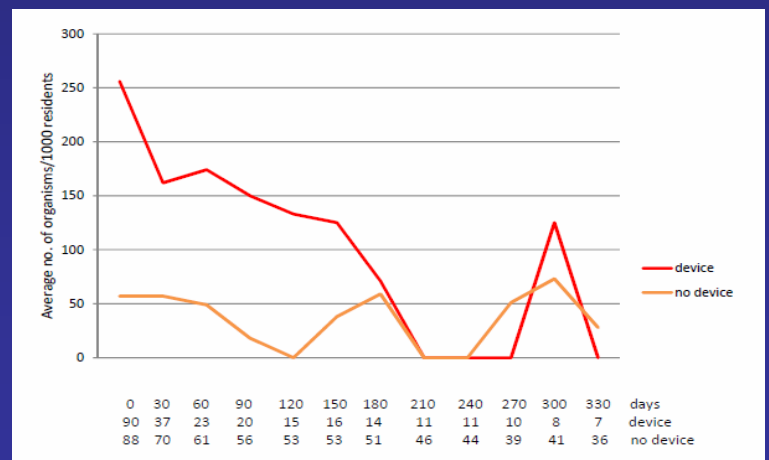
R-GNB



MRSA



VRE



# INDWELLING DEVICES: SHORTER TIME TO NEW MRSA ACQUISITION

Organism	Days to Acquisition, Avg ± SD			P (without vs. with)
	All (n=82)	Without indwelling device (n=61)	With indwelling device (n=21)	
<b>MRSA</b>	126.6 ± 79.1	143.8 ± 78.1	75.0 ± 60.0	0.03
<b>VRE</b>	186.0 ± 108.4	176.3 ± 113.9	225.0 ± 106.1	0.60
<b>CAZ-R GNB</b>	176.0 ± 94.1	182.3 ± 90.4	135.0 ± 148.5	0.53
<b>CIP-R GNB</b>	75.5 ± 65.7	74.4 ± 66.0	80.0 ± 70.1	0.85

# INDWELLING DEVICES: NUMBERS OF NH RESIDENTS WITH PERSISTENT CIP-R GNB COLONIZATION, BY SPECIES

No. and name(s) of species present	Preexisting Colonization (n=27)	New Acquisition (n=19)
1 <i>Escherichia coli</i>	10	3
<i>Proteus mirabilis</i>	2	4
<i>Pseudomonas aeruginosa</i>	1	0
<i>Providencia stuartii</i>	2	0
<i>Morganella morganii</i>	1	4
2 <i>E. coli, P. mirabilis</i>	7	4
<i>E. coli, P. stuartii</i>	0	1
<i>P. mirabilis, P. stuartii</i>	0	1
<i>P. mirabilis, P. fluorescens</i>	1	0
3 <i>E. coli, P. mirabilis, M. morganii</i>	0	1
<i>E. coli, P. mirabilis, K. pneumoniae</i>	1	0
≥4	1	0

# INDWELLING DEVICES: ADDED RISK OF MRSA/VRE COCOLONIZATION

	Overall		Device		Non-device		IRR <sup>a</sup>
	EV	IR	EV	IR	EV	IR	
<b>MRSA/VRE Cocolonization</b>	22	2.4 (1.6-3.6)	17	6.5 (3.9-10)	5	0.8 (0.2-1.7)	5.2 (1.5-18.1)*
<b>MRSA only</b>	189	21 (18-24)	77	29 (23-36)	112	18 (14-21)	1.7 (1.2-2.6)*
<b>VRE only</b>	22	2.4 (1.6-3.6)	10	3.8 (1.9-6.8)	12	1.9 (1.0-3.2)	2.5 (0.9-6.2)

EV = Resident-Months Colonized, IR = Incidence Rate/100 resident-months, IRR=Incidence Rate Ratio

<sup>a</sup> IRR for device vs. non-device adjusted for repeated measures using GEE

\* p-value <0.01

# INDWELLING DEVICES: ADDED RISK OF MDR *A. BAUMANNII*

	No. of Residents (row %)		
	Cases	Controls	P
Feeding Tube (n=54)	3 (6)	51 (94)	0.02
Urinary Catheter (n=87)	12 (14)	75 (86)	0.68
Feeding Tube & Urinary Catheter (n=27)	10 (37)	17 (63)	<0.001

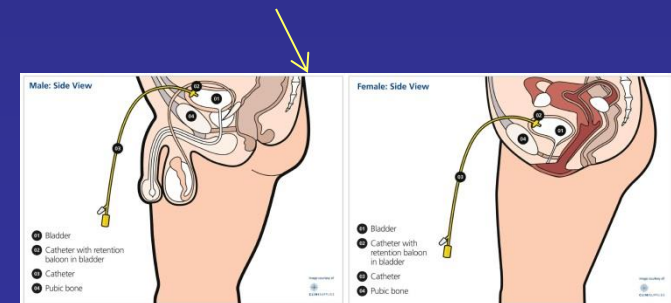
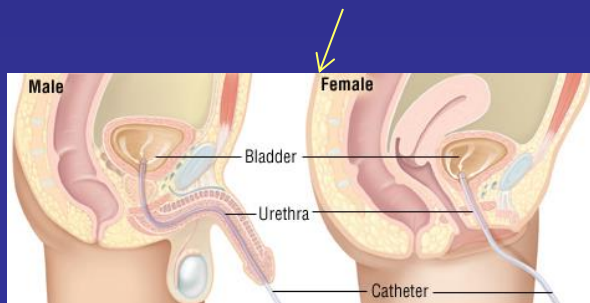


# INDWELLING DEVICES: NEW ACQUISITION AT OF EXTRA-NASAL SITES

	No. residents (column %)		
Anatomic site of acquisition	Persistent carrier (n=11)	Transient carrier (n=39)	Total (n=50)
Nares	6 (55)	10 (26)	16 (32)
Extranasal site	5 (45)	29 (74)	34 (68)

# MDRO DIFFERENCES IN DEVICE TYPE

	No. of MDRO positive samples No. Positive Samples/No. Samples Collected (%)		
Organism	Urethral Catheter	Suprapubic Catheter	P
MRSA	158/1795 (8.8)	60/686 (8.8)	.97
VRE	97/1795 (5.4)	28/686 (4.1)	.18
CTZ-R GNB	89/1795 (5.0)	46/686 (6.7)	.09
<b>CIP-R GNB</b>	<b>326/1795 (18.2)</b>	<b>168/686 (24.5)</b>	<b>&lt;0.001</b>



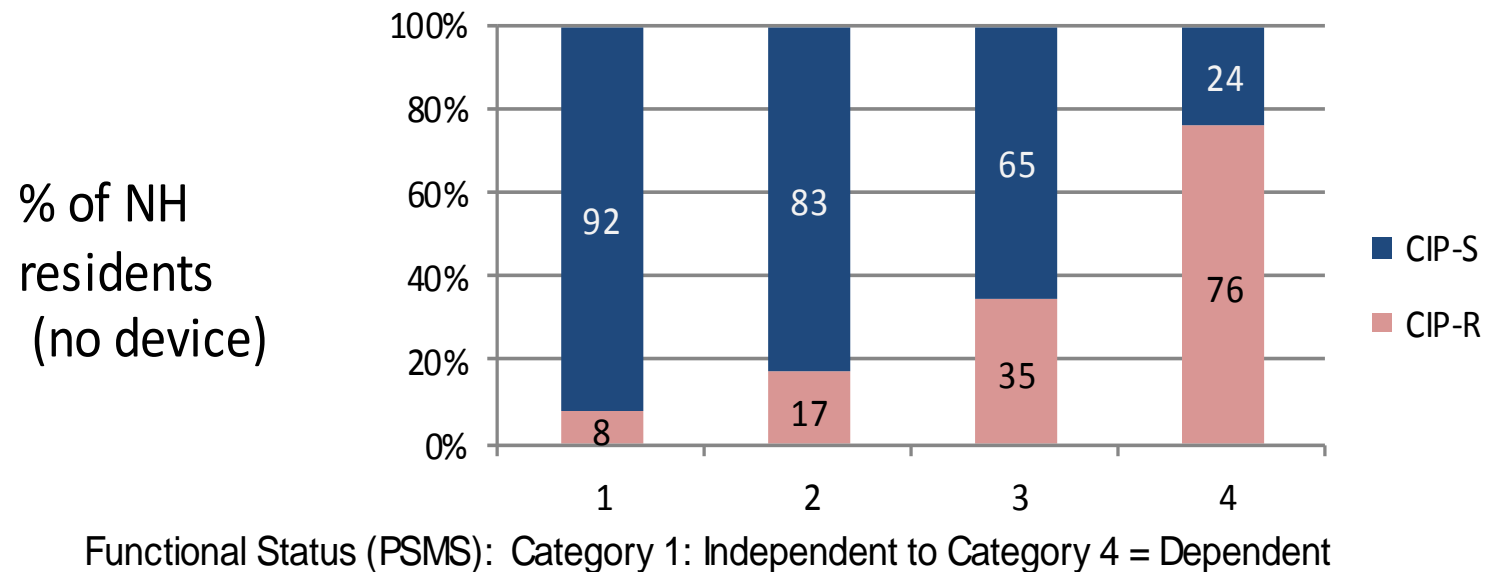
# TAKE-HOME MESSAGES (2-18)

- Device residents at a heightened risk
  - Overall MRSA prevalence, new acquisition
  - MRSA acquisition at extra-nasal sites
  - Greater burden of colonization (>1 anatomic sites)
  - MRSA/VRE co-colonization
  - MDR *A. baumannii* colonization
  - Persistence in GNB colonization

# RISK FACTORS FOR MDROs

- Use of indwelling devices
- Functional disability
- Presence of wounds
- Prior antimicrobial usage
- Prior hospitalization

# FUNCTIONAL DISABILITY, CROSS SECTIONAL: ADDED RISK OF CIP-R GNB



# FUNCTIONAL DISABILITY, PROSPECTIVE: ADDED RISK OF NEW MDRO ACQUISITION

	Value for residents	
Risk factor	Not colonized with any MDRO (n=11)	Having new acquisition of any MDRO (n=57)
PSMS, mean $\pm$ SD	15.9 $\pm$ 5.6	20.9 $\pm$ 5.4 <sup>a</sup>
Comorbidity score	2.4 $\pm$ 2.3	2.5 $\pm$ 1.5
Any hospital visit, no./total (%)	1/11 (9)	16/57 (28)
Any antibiotic use, no./total (%)	6/11 (55)	42/57 (74)
Device use, no./total (%)	1/11 (9)	14/57 (25)

<sup>a</sup> P $\leq$ 0.05

# FUNCTIONAL DISABILITY, PROSPECTIVE: ADDED RISK OF MRSA/VRE COCOLONIZATION

Characteristic	MRSA/VRE co-colonization (n=17)	No co-colonization (n=246)	Rate Ratio (95% CI)
Functional disability, mean	26.3	22	1.3 (1.1, 1.4)***
Male, No. (%)	13 (76)	103 (42)	3.1 (0.9, 10.4)
Wound, No. (%)	8 (53)	62 (27)	3.4 (1.4, 8.6)**
Antibiotics, No. (%)	9 (53)	82 (33)	3.0 (1.0, 9.1)
Hospitalization, No. (%)	6 (38)	69 (30)	1.6 (0.3, 9.9)

\*\*P < .01

\*\*\* P < .001

# FUNCTIONAL DISABILITY: ADDED RISK OF MDR *A. BAUMANNII*

Risk Factor	Adjusted OR (95% CI)	P
PSMS > 24	5.1 (1.8, 14.9)	<0.004
Prior colonization with <i>P. mirabilis</i>	5.8 (1.9, 17.9)	<0.003
Diabetes	3.4 (1.2, 9.9)	<0.03



# GOWN & GLOVE STUDY

- Objective: Estimate the frequency of MRSA transmission to gowns & gloves worn by healthcare personnel interacting with NH residents
- Setting: Residents & HCP from 13 NHs
- Methods: MRSA on residents, HCP G&G after care
- Results: 113/403 (28%) residents with MRSA

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ORIGINAL ARTICLE

## Transmission of Methicillin-Resistant *Staphylococcus aureus* (MRSA) to Healthcare Worker Gowns and Gloves During Care of Nursing Home Residents

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OBJECTIVE. To estimate the frequency of methicillin-resistant *Staphylococcus aureus* (MRSA) transmission to gowns and gloves worn by

# ODDS OF GOWN OR GLOVE CONTAMINATION, BY TYPE OF CARE

		<b>Gown</b>		<b>Glove</b>	
<b>Type of Care</b>	N	OR (95% CI)	P	OR (95% CI)	P
<b>Dressing</b>	138	2.3 (1.5, 3.6)	<0.01	1.8 (1.3, 2.5)	<0.01
<b>Transfer</b>	167	2.1 (1.4, 3.1)	<0.01	1.3 (0.9, 1.7)	0.19
<b>Hygiene</b>	106	2.0 (1.2, 3.3)	<0.01	1.6 (1.1, 2.3)	0.02
<b>Change linens</b>	129	1.8 (1.2, 2.8)	<0.01	1.8 (1.1, 2.8)	0.01
<b>Diaper</b>	108	1.7 (1.0, 2.7)	0.04	1.5 (1.1, 2.1)	0.02

# PATHWAY FROM FUNCTIONAL DISABILITY TO ANTIMICROBIAL RESISTANCE IN NH RESIDENTS

- Aim 1:
  - Develop and examine a risk-stratification model utilizing resident-, HCW (caregiver)-, and environmental-level factors to identify three categories of NH residents:
    - (1) never acquire an MDRO
    - (2) intermittently acquire an MDRO
    - (3) newly acquire an MDRO and remain persistently colonized
- Aim 2:
  - Design and evaluate the effectiveness of a multi-component intervention to reduce new acquisition of MDROs in the functionally-disabled NH residents at highest risk.

# PATHWAYS STUDY DESIGN

- Design: First 2 years- prospective, longitudinal study; Second 2 years- cluster randomized trial
- Facilities: 6 NHs in SE MI
- Population: Residents newly admitted to the facility (within 10 days of admission)
- Study Duration: 2013-2018 (ongoing)
- Inclusion: New admission, Informed consent
- Exclusion: Readmits, Hospice care

# PATHWAYS ENROLLMENT

- 652 NH residents from 6 facilities enrolled

Facility	Sum of Eligible	Sum of Enrolled	% Enrolled	Sum of Visits
1	260	133	51.2	269
2	195	82	42.1	251
3	356	169	47.5	402
4	290	137	47.2	338
5	132	55	41.7	139
6	151	76	50.3	208
<b>Total</b>	<b>1384</b>	<b>652</b>	<b>47.1</b>	<b>1607</b>

# PATHWAYS ENROLLMENT

- 652 NH residents from 6 facilities enrolled

Location	Total samples No. swabs	% Positive swabs	Any MDRO No. swabs	VRE No. swabs	MRSA No. swabs	RGNB No. swabs
Nares	1129	13	151	9	132	12
Oral	1097	12	136	55	61	41
Groin	1139	22	252	175	29	114
Perirectal	796	40	317	229	23	143
Hand	1139	24	278	152	127	35
Wound	23	43	10	3	7	3
FT site	50	28	14	5	7	7
SP cath site	14	86	12	4	7	4
<b>Total</b>	<b>5387</b>	<b>22%</b>	<b>1170 (22)</b>	<b>632 (12)</b>	<b>393 (7)</b>	<b>359 (6)</b>

# EARLY FINDINGS OF PATHWAYS STUDY

Resident Visits	Environmental visit positive for MDROs, No. visits positive (%)			
	MRSA	VRE	R-GNB	Any MDRO
<b>MRSA</b>				
Positive (n=110)	74/110 (67)	55/110 (50)	28/110 (25)	92/110 (84)
Negative (n=448)	68/448 (15)	186/448 (42)	87/448 (19)	259/448 (58)
<b>VRE</b>				
Positive (n=181)	57/181 (31)	136/181 (75)	45/181 (25)	158/181 (87)
Negative (n=337)	85/337 (23)	105/377 (28)	70/377 (19)	193/377 (51)
<b>R-GNB</b>				
Positive (n=135)	32/135 (24)	63/135 (47)	40/135 (30)	93/135 (69)
Negative (n=423)	110/423 (26)	178/423 (42)	75/423 (18)	258/423 (61)
<b>Any MDRO</b>				
Positive (n=303)	98/303 (32)	169/303 (56)	74/303 (24)	232/303 (77)
Negative (n=255)	44/255 (17)	72/255 (28)	41/255 (16)	119/255 (47)

# TAKE-HOME MESSAGES (19-31)

- Functional disabled residents at a heightened risk
  - Ciprofloxacin-resistant GNB colonization
  - MDRO acquisition
  - MRSA/VRE co-colonization
  - MDR *A. baumannii* colonization
  - Resident MDRO colonization and environmental contamination



# RISK FACTORS FOR MDROs: WOUNDS

- Use of indwelling devices
- Functional disability
- Presence of wounds
- Prior antimicrobial usage
- Prior hospitalization

# PRESENCE OF WOUNDS, PROSPECTIVE: ADDED RISK OF MRSA/VRE COCOLONIZATION

Characteristic	MRSA/VRE co-colonization (n=17)	No co-colonization (n=246)	Rate Ratio (95% CI)
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Male, No. (%)	13 (76)	103 (42)	3.1 (0.9, 10.4)
<b>Wound, No. (%)</b>	<b>8 (53)</b>	<b>62 (27)</b>	<b>3.4 (1.4, 8.6)**</b>
Antibiotics, No. (%)	9 (53)	82 (33)	3.0 (1.0, 9.1)
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\*\*P < .01

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# PRESENCE OF WOUNDS: CHENG 2015, HONG KONG STUDY

	GI colonization by CRAB	
	OR (95% CI)	P
Age, years	1.0 (1.0, 1.1)	<.001
Male	2.2 (1.4, 3.3)	<.001
Resident of elderly home <sup>a</sup>	7.0 (4.4, 11.2)	<.001
<b>Presence of chronic wound or ulcer</b>	<b>3.5 (1.9, 6.4)</b>	<b>&lt;.001</b>
Use of beta-lactam/beta-lactamase inhibitors <sup>b</sup>	2.3 (1.5, 3.6)	<.001
Use of cephalosporin <sup>b</sup>	3.4 (1.6, 7.2)	.002
Use of carbapenem <sup>b</sup>	3.3 (1.8, 6.0)	<.001
Use of fluoroquinolones <sup>b</sup>	1.8 (1.1, 3.2)	.027

GI = Gastrointestinal, CRAB = Carbapenem-resistant *Acinetobacter baumannii*, CI = Confidence interval, OR = Odds ratio

<sup>a</sup>Persons living in long-term care facilities for elderly people in Hong Kong

<sup>b</sup>in preceding 6 months before identification of CRAB

Cheng VC, et al. *Eur J Clin Microbiol Infect Dis* 2015;34:2359-2366.

# PRESENCE OF WOUNDS: ADDED RISK OF POST-DISCHARGE MRSA, US

Variable	Adjusted mOR (95% CI)	Prevalence of Risk Factor among Case patients, %
MRSA colonization <sup>a</sup>	7.71 (3.60-16.51)	63
CVC at discharge	2.16 (1.13-4.11)	33
Discharge to NH	2.65 (1.41-4.99)	49
<b>Chronic wound during post-discharge period</b>	<b>4.41 (2.14-9.09)</b>	<b>35</b>
Discharge with non-CVC invasive device	3.03 (1.24-7.39)	15

CI = Confidence interval, CVC = Central Venous Catheter, mOR = Matched odds ratio, MRSA = methicillin-resistant *Staphylococcus aureus*.

<sup>a</sup>MRSA colonization was defined as (1) MRSA recovered from a nonsterile site during the hospitalization or (2) MRSA infection/colonization in the prior 12 months.

# PRESENCE OF WOUNDS: ADDED RISK OF VRE, US

Organism	No. (%) of cultures yielding the organism				
	Rectum	Nares	Wound	CVC insertion site	PEG entry site
<b>MRSA</b>	99 (6)	33 (6)	112 (7)	6 (1)	10 (3)
<b>VRE</b>	<b>615 (38)</b>	20 (4)	<b>275 (18)</b>	19 (2)	26 (8)
<b>ESBL-producing GNB</b>	146 (9)	8 (2)	85 (6)	9 (1)	13 (4)
<b>KPC-producing GNB</b>	3 (0.2)	0 (0)	0 (0)	0 (0)	0 (0)
<b>IMP-R <i>P. aeruginosa</i></b>	46 (3)	4 (1)	33 (2)	5 (0.5)	6 (2)
<b>IMP-R <i>A. baumannii</i></b>	97 (6)	19 (4)	104 (7)	10 (1)	16 (5)
<b>IMP-S MDR <i>A. baumannii</i></b>	13 (1)	2 (0.4)	21 (1)	6 (1)	4 (1)
<b>Other IMP-S MDR GNB</b>	66 (4)	4 (1)	34 (2)	4 (0.4)	6 (2)
<b>IMP-S MDR <i>P. aeruginosa</i></b>	11 (1)	0 (0)	6 (0.4)	2 (0.2)	1 (0.3)
<b>IMP-R <i>Enterobacterspp.</i></b>	2 (0.1)	0 (0)	2 (0.1)	0 (0)	0 (0)
<b>Other IMP-R GNB</b>	2 (0.1)	0 (0)	0 (0)	0 (0)	0 (0)
<b>Total no. of cultures</b>	1,629	521	1,518	926	328

# PRESENCE OF WOUNDS:

Organism	No. (%) of wound cultures yielding the organism
<b>TIP Study (n=91 wound cultures)</b>	
MRSA	19 (21)
VRE	6 (7)
CTZ-R GNB	36 (40)
CIP-R GNB	53 (58)
Any MDRO	63 (69)
<b>Pathways study (n=26 wound cultures)</b>	
MRSA	8 (31)
VRE	5 (19)
CTZ-R GNB	2 (8)
CIP-R GNB	4 (15)
Any MDRO	12 (46)

# ANTIBIOTIC USE IN LTCFs

- On any given day: 3-15% on antibiotics
- 50-80% receive at least one course per year
- 25-75% do not meet clinical guidelines



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# ANTIBIOTIC USE: ADDED RISK OF MDROs

Characteristic	Residents (n=176)	Adjusted <sup>a</sup> Hazard ratio (95% CI)
Any use of antibiotics	65 (37)	NA
Any use of quinolones	32 (18)	1.89 (1.28-2.81)
Any use of third- or fourth-generation cephalosporins	12 (6.8)	1.57 (1.03-2.40)

<sup>a</sup>Adjusted for clustering at the facility level in the generalized estimating equations and for whether the resident had a foley catheter and a hospitalization in the prior 90 days



# HIGH ANTIBIOTIC USE IN FACILITIES: ADDED RISK FOR ANTIBIOTIC-RELATED HARMS

Characteristic	Antibiotic Use, No (%)		
	Low (n=33,822)	Medium (n=31,425)	High (n=24,943)
Any antibiotic complication (primary composite outcome)	11.4%	12.4%	13.3%
Any antibiotic complication w/ potential for indirect harms to non-recipients (secondary composite outcome)	11.2%	12.1%	13.0%



# HIGH ANTIBIOTIC USE IN FACILITIES: ADDED RISK FOR ANTIBIOTIC-RELATED HARMS

Characteristic	Adjusted Odds Ratio (95% CI)	P Value
<b>Nursing home tertile of antibiotic use</b>		
Low	1 [Reference]	
Medium	1.08 (0.97-1.21)	.18
High	1.24 (1.07-1.42)	.003
<b>Nursing home assessment</b>		
Recent hospital admission w/in 90 days	0.97 (0.90-1.05)	.44
Years in long-term care (per yr)	0.95 (0.94-0.97)	<.001
Do-not-resuscitate order	0.85 (0.80-0.90)	<.001
<b>Health care system use</b>		
Prescription drugs in past 12 months (per drug)	1.03 (1.03-1.04)	<.001
Emergency department visit w/in 12 months	1.18 (1.13-1.23)	<.001
Inpatient admissions in past 12 months	1.42 (1.31-1.54)	<.001

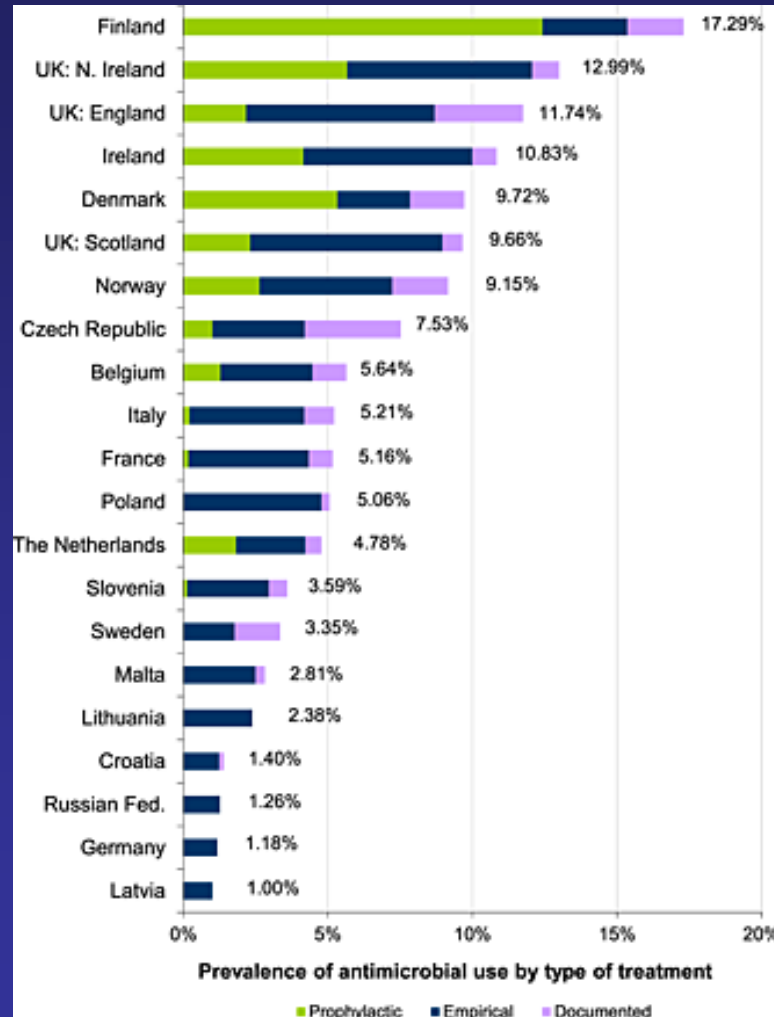
# ANTIBIOTIC USE: ADDED RISK OF VRE

Variable	Hazard Ratio (95% CI)	P
Age of $\geq 65$ yr	1.89 (1.09-3.30)	.025
Non-home residence	2.03 (1.14-3.60)	.010
Diabetes	2.83 (1.56-5.14)	.001
PVOD	2.41 (1.21-4.78)	.012
Cephalosporin exposure in past 3 mo	3.01 (1.51-6.01)	.002
Fluoroquinolone exposure in past 3 mo	2.80 (1.16-6.78)	.022
Immunosuppressive status	3.69 (1.87-7.23)	<.001

# ANTIBIOTIC USE: HIGHLY VARIABLE ACROSS SE MI NHs

	Facility						
	1	2	3	4	5	6	Total
<b>No. follow-up visits</b>	96	177	100	93	107	122	695
<b>Clinically-defined Infection, %</b>	14%	32%	21%	26%	41%	28%	28%
<b>Infection rate, per 1000 device-days</b>	4.6	16.3	8.9	9.5	16.6	10.5	11.7
<b>Antibiotic days with UTI or pneumonia</b>	10.5	10.9	10.5	8.5	13.1	12.5	11.3

# ANTIBIOTIC USE: HIGHLY VARIABLE ACROSS EUROPEAN NHs



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## Multidrug-resistant bacteria in geriatric clinics, nursing homes, and ambulant care – Prevalence and risk factors

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### ABSTRACT

Colonization/infection with multidrug-resistant bacteria (MDRB) such as methicillin-resistant *Staphylococcus aureus* (MRSA), vancomycin-resistant enterococci (VRE), and extended-spectrum beta-lactamase (ESBL) producing Enterobacteriaceae, is an increasing problem not only in hospitals but also in long-term care facilities. The aim of this study was to determine the prevalence as well as the risk factors of colonization/infection with MRSA, VRE, and ESBL producing Enterobacteriaceae in geriatric clinics, nursing homes, and ambulant care in Frankfurt am Main, Germany. 288 patients from 2 geriatric clinics ( $n=46$ ), 8 nursing homes ( $n=178$ ), and 2 ambulant care facilities ( $n=64$ ) as well as 64 staff members were screened for MDRB in the time period from October 2006 to May 2007. 58 patients (20.1%) and 4 staff members (6.2%) were colonized with MDRB. Among patients, 27 (9.4%) were colonized with MRSA, 11 (3.8%) were screened positive for VRE, and 25 (8.7%) were found to be colonized with ESBL producing Enterobacteriaceae. Prevalence of MDRB in geriatric clinics, nursing homes, and ambulant care facilities were 32.6%, 18.5%, and 15.6%, respectively. Significant risk factors for MDRB were immobility (OR: 2.7,

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	Any MDRO	
	OR (95% CI)	P
Age ≥ 85 years	1.69 (0.94-3.01)	.079
Previous hospital stay	2.06 (1.06-3.97)	.033
Immobility	2.67 (1.45-4.89)	.002
Urinary catheter	3.13 (1.67-5.85)	<.001
Stoma	2.08 (0.68-6.33)	.193
Percutaneous endoscopic gastrostomy	2.01 (0.81-4.9)	.125
Decubitus/wound	2.27 (1.45-4.91)	.033
Diabetes	0.83 (0.41-1.67)	.729
Presence of a care level	1.25 (0.63-2.47)	.615
History of MRSA	2.08 (0.68-6.33)	.193

# PRIOR HOSPITALIZATION: ADDED RISK OF ESBL PRODUCING ENTEROBACTERIACEAE, GERMANY

	ESBL	
	OR (95% CI)	P
Age $\geq$ 85 years	1.8 (0.79-4.19)	.21
Previous hospital stay	4.7 (1.36-15.92)	.008
Immobility	3.0 (1.22-7.47)	.02
Urinary catheter	4.6 (1.99-10.72)	<.001



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## Transmission of methicillin-resistant *staphylococcus aureus* in the long term care facilities in Hong Kong

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### Abstract

**Background:** The relative contribution of long term care facilities (LTCFs) and hospitals in the transmission of methicillin-resistant *Staphylococcus aureus* (MRSA) is unknown.

**Methods:** Concurrent MRSA screening and *spa* type analysis was performed in LTCFs and their network hospitals to estimate the rate of MRSA acquisition among residents during their stay in LTCFs and hospitals, by colonization pressure and MRSA transmission calculations.

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	MRSA carrier (n=436)	Non-MRSA carrier (n=1584)	P
Hospital stay, past year	315 (72%)	851 (54%)	<0.001
Total no. of hosp. days, past year	18.8	9.8	<0.001
Nasogastric tube	83 (19%)	193 (12%)	<0.001
Urinary catheter	80 (18%)	153 (9%)	<0.001
Wound or ulcer	41 (9.4%)	39 (2.5%)	<0.001

# TAKE-HOME MESSAGES (SLIDES 33-45)

- Residents with a wound, antibiotic use or recent hospitalization at a heightened risk
  - MRSA/VRE co-colonization
  - Invasive MRSA infection
  - Carbapenem-resistant *A. baumannii*
  - VRE colonization
  - Antibiotic-related harms
  - ESBL *Enterobacteriaceae* colonization

# SUMMARY

- Risk factors for MDROs:
  - Use of indwelling devices
  - Functional disability
  - Presence of wounds
  - Prior antimicrobial usage
  - Prior hospitalization
- Strategies:
  - Identify high risk groups, common infections, MDROs
  - QA programs to implement strategies to reduce MDROs, infections
  - Hand hygiene, enhanced barrier precautions, environmental cleaning, antimicrobial stewardship, staff education