Antimicrobial Susceptibility Report January 1, 2017 to December 31, 2017 North East LTC (Excluding Hospitals)

Urinary Tract Pathogens (in Order of Frequency) - % Susceptible

Organism	Number of Isolates	Amox clavulanic	Ampicillin	Cefazolin (1)	Ceftazidime	Ceftriaxone	Ciprofloxacin	Gentamicin	Meropenem	Nitrofurantoin	Trimethoprim- Sulfamethoxazole
E. coli ^	1308	81	45	77		81	47	90	100	92	65
Enterococcus species ^^^^	388										
Klebsiella pneumoniae *	238	99		92		92	96	96	99	36	89
Proteus mirabilis +	205	100	93	100		100	78	100	100		81
Group B Streptococcus ^^	88										
Pseudomonas aeruginosa	84				92		74	83			

Organism Notes:

* Includes ESBL and AMP-C isolates (7.6% of total Klebsiella pneumoniae isolates identified as ESBL and AMP-C).

^ Includes ESBL and AMP-C isolates (18.2% of total E.coli isolates identified as ESBL and AMP-C). In Ontario, E.coli is found to be 98.1% susceptible to Fosfomycin.

^ This isolate is predictably susceptible to Penicillin.

Clindamycin, Trimethoprim/Sulfamethoxazole and all Cephalosporins are ineffective against Enterococcus species. Enterococcus isolates recovered from urine are generally susceptible to amoxicillin and nitrofurantoin. Susceptibility to Amoxicillin is 97.1% and to Nitrofurantoin is 97.4%

+ Includes ESBL and AMP-C isolates (0.0% of total Proteus mirabilis isolates identified as ESBL and AMP-C).

Antibiotic Notes:

(1) Cefazolin interpretation predicts results for Cephalexin (Keflex) in accordance with CLSI standards for urinary sites only (not systemic).

All Other Specimen Types excluding (Urines and Surveillance) - Organisms in Order of **Frequency - % Susceptible**

Organism	Number of Isolates	Cefazolin	Ceftazidime	Ciprofloxacin	Clindamycin	Cloxacillin	Erythromycin	Gentamicin	Tetracycline (2)	Trimethoprim- Sulfamethoxazole
Staphylococcus aureus ^^^	268	75			51	75	46		98	100
Pseudomonas aeruginosa	86		93	87				93		
Group B Streptococcus ^^	<30									

Organism Notes:

^^ This isolate is predictably susceptible to Penicillin.

MRSA is resistant to all B-Lactams (penicillins, cephalosporins, B-lactam/B-lactamase inhibitor combinations, and carbapenems). MRSA constitutes 26.5% of total Staphylococcus aureus isolates identified.

Antibiotic Notes:

(2) Organisms that are susceptible to Tetracycline are also considered susceptible to Doxycycline.

General Notes:

Antibiogram results, patient risk factors for resistant organisms, and resistance epidemiology should be considered together to help guide empiric treatment of initial infections. Treatment should be re-evaluated as additional information from culture and sensitivity become available.

Calculation of results based on first isolate per patient.

