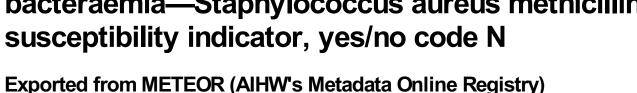
# Patient episode of Staphylococcus aureus bacteraemia—Staphylococcus aureus methicillin



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# Patient episode of Staphylococcus aureus bacteraemia—Staphylococcus aureus methicillin susceptibility indicator, yes/no code N

### Identifying and definitional attributes

Metadata item type: Data Element

Short name: Staphylococcus aureus bacteraemia methicillin susceptibility indicator

METEOR identifier: 458522

**Registration status:** <u>Health</u>, Superseded 09/12/2022

**Definition:** An indicator of whether the *Staphylococcus aureus* bacteraemia (SAB) isolate is

susceptible to oxacillin or methicillin (cefoxitin), as represented by a code.

Data Element Concept: Patient episode of Staphylococcus aureus bacteraemia—Staphylococcus aureus

methicillin susceptibility indicator

Value Domain: Yes/no code N

#### Value domain attributes

### Representational attributes

Representation class: Code

Data type: Boolean

Format: N

Maximum character length: 1

Value Meaning

Permissible values: 1 Yes

2 No

#### Source and reference attributes

Submitting organisation: Australian Institute of Health and Welfare

#### Data element attributes

#### Collection and usage attributes

Guide for use: This data element is used to record whether the Staphylococcus aureus organism

is Methicillin-susceptible (MSSA) or Methicillin-resistant (MRSA).

CODE 1 Yes

Record if the Staphylococcus aureus isolate is susceptibile to oxacillin or

methicillin (cefoxitin) (MSSA).

CODE 2 No

Record if the Staphylococcus aureus isolate is resistant to oxacillin or methicillin

(cefoxitin) (MRSA).

Intermediate level resistance is reported as 2 (resistant).

## Source and reference attributes

Submitting organisation: Australian Commission on Safety and Quality in Health Care (ACSQHC)

Origin: ACSQHC Healthcare Associated Infection Technical Working Group

**Relational attributes** 

Related metadata

references:

Has been superseded by <u>Patient episode of Staphylococcus aureus bloodstream</u> infection—Staphylococcus aureus methicillin susceptibility indicator, yes/no code N

Health, Standard 09/12/2022

Implementation in Data Set

Specifications:

Surveillance of healthcare associated infection: Staphylococcus aureus

bacteraemia NBPDS

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Conditional obligation: