

Healthcare associated *Staphylococcus aureus* bacteraemia clinical criteria, code N

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Identifying and definitional attributes

Metadata item type:	Value Domain
METEOR identifier:	388926
Registration status:	Health , Superseded 09/12/2022
Definition:	A code set representing the key clinical criteria that are used to determine whether a patient episode of <i>Staphylococcus aureus</i> bacteraemia (SAB) is healthcare associated, when the patient's first SAB blood culture was collected less than or equal to 48 hours after hospital admission.

Representational attributes

Representation class:	Code	
Data type:	Number	
Format:	N	
Maximum character length:	1	
	Value	Meaning
Permissible values:	1	The patient episode of SAB is a complication of the presence of an indwelling medical device (e.g. intravascular line, haemodialysis vascular access, CSF shunt, urinary catheter)
	2	The patient episode of SAB occurs within 30 days of a surgical procedure where the SAB is related to the surgical site
	3	The patient episode of SAB was diagnosed within 48 hours of a related invasive instrumentation or incision
	4	The patient episode of SAB is associated with neutropenia (Neutrophils: less than $1 \times 10^9/L$) contributed to by cytotoxic therapy
Supplementary values:	7	Not applicable
	8	Unknown
	9	Not stated/inadequately described

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Related metadata references:	Has been superseded by Healthcare associated <i>Staphylococcus aureus</i> bloodstream infection clinical criteria code N Health , Standard 09/12/2022
Data elements implementing this value domain:	Patient episode of <i>Staphylococcus aureus</i> bacteraemia—most probable healthcare associated <i>Staphylococcus aureus</i> bacteraemia clinical criteria, code N Health , Superseded 09/12/2022

