

# Establishment—number of healthcare-associated Methicillin-resistant Staphylococcus aureus (MRSA) bloodstream infection patient episodes

**Metadata item type:** Data Element Concept  
**METEOR identifier:** 751483  
**Registration status:**

- [Health](#), Standard 10/06/2022

**Definition:** The number of [healthcare-associated Methicillin-resistant Staphylococcus aureus \(MRSA\) bloodstream infection patient episodes](#), attributed to care provided by the hospital, reported during a specified reference period.

## Object Class attributes

### Identifying and definitional attributes

**Object class:** [Establishment](#)  
**Definition:** Institutions, organisations or the community from which health services are provided. The term establishment covers conventional health establishments and also organisations which may provide services in the community.  
**Specialisation of:** [Organisation](#)

### Source and reference attributes

**Origin:** National Health Data Committee

## Property attributes

### Identifying and definitional attributes

**Property:** [Number of healthcare-associated Methicillin-resistant Staphylococcus aureus \(MRSA\) bloodstream infection patient episodes](#)  
**Definition:** A count of [healthcare-associated Methicillin-resistant Staphylococcus aureus \(MRSA\) bloodstream infection patient episodes](#) reported during a specified reference period.  
**Property group:** [Illness and/or Injury event](#)

### Source and reference attributes

**Reference documents:** ACSQHC (Australian Commission on Safety and Quality in Health Care) 2021. Implementation Guide for the Surveillance of Staphylococcus aureus bloodstream infection. Sydney: ACSQHC, viewed 10 February 2022  
<https://www.safetyandquality.gov.au/publications-and-resources/resource-library/implementation-guide-surveillance-staphylococcus-aureus-bloodstream-infection>

## Data element concept attributes

### Source and reference attributes

**Submitting organisation:** Australian Institute of Health and Welfare

## Relational attributes

**Related metadata references:**

Supersedes [Establishment—number of healthcare-associated Methicillin-resistant Staphylococcus aureus \(MRSA\) bacteraemia patient episodes](#)

- [Health](#), Superseded 10/06/2022

**Data Elements implementing this Data Element Concept:**

[Establishment—number of healthcare-associated Methicillin-resistant Staphylococcus aureus \(MRSA\) bloodstream infection patient episodes, total episodes N\[NNNN\]](#)

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