# Number of healthcare-associated Methicillin-sensitive



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Metadata 751530

# Number of healthcare-associated Methicillinsensitive Staphylococcus aureus (MSSA) bloodstream infection patient episodes

### Identifying and definitional attributes

Metadata item type: Property
METEOR identifier: 751530

Registration status: Health, Standard 10/06/2022

**Definition:** A count of <u>healthcare-associated Methicillin-sensitive Staphylococcus</u>

aureus (MSSA) bloodstream infection patient episodes reported during a

specified reference period.

Property group: <u>Illness and/or Injury event</u>

## Collection and usage attributes

**Comments:** MSSA is an isolate of *Staphylococcus aureus* that is identified by a laboratory as

being methicillin susceptible (ACSQHC unpublished).

#### Source and reference attributes

Submitting organisation: Australian Institute of Health and Welfare

**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/resourcelibrary/implementation-guide-surveillance-staphylococcus-aureus-bloodstream-

infection

#### Relational attributes

Related metadata

references:

Supersedes Number of healthcare-associated Methicillin-sensitive Staphylococcus

aureus (MSSA) bacteraemia patient episodes

Health, Superseded 10/06/2022

Data Element Concepts implementing this

property:

<u>Establishment—number of healthcare-associated Methicillin-sensitive</u> <u>Staphylococcus aureus (MSSA) bloodstream infection patient episodes</u>

Health, Standard 10/06/2022