



Invasive *Staphylococcus aureus*
Healthcare-Associated Infections Community Interface (HAIC) Case Report – 2026

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Patient's Name:		Phone No.: ()	
Address:	Address Type:	MRN:	
City:	State:	ZIP:	Hospital:
— PATIENT IDENTIFIER INFORMATION IS NOT TRANSMITTED TO CDC —			

1. STATE:	2. COUNTY:	2.a PLANNING REGION:	3. STATE ID:	4. PATIENT ID:	5. LABORATORY ID WHERE INCIDENT SPECIMEN IDENTIFIED:	6. FACILITY ID WHERE PATIENT TREATED:
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7. SEX: 1 ☐ Male 2 ☐ Female 9 ☐ Missing Value	8. DATE OF BIRTH: ____ - ____ - ____	10. RACE AND/OR ETHNICITY: (Check all that apply)	
	9. AGE ____ 1 ☐ Days 2 ☐ Mos. 3 ☐ Years	1 ☐ American Indian or Alaska Native 1 ☐ Asian 1 ☐ Black or African American	1 ☐ Hispanic or Latino 1 ☐ Middle Eastern or North African 1 ☐ Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander 1 ☐ White 1 ☐ Unknown

10a. WHAT TYPE OF HEALTH INSURANCE DID THE PATIENT HAVE AT THE TIME OF THE DISC? (Check all that apply)

1 ☐ Medicaid 1 ☐ Medicare 1 ☐ Private Insurance (including TRICARE) 1 ☐ VA Care 1 ☐ Self-pay (includes uninsured) 1 ☐ No charge 1 ☐ Other (specify): _____

9 ☐ Unknown

11. WEIGHT: ____ lbs. ____ oz. OR ____ kg. 1 ☐ Unknown	12. HEIGHT: ____ ft. ____ in. OR ____ cm. 1 ☐ Unknown	13. BMI (record only if ht. and/or wt. is not available) ____ 1 ☐ Unknown	14. DATE OF INCIDENT SPECIMEN COLLECTION (DISC): ____ - ____ - ____	15. IS THE ISOLATE MRSA OR MSSA? ☐ MRSA ☐ MSSA ☐ Unknown
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16. WAS THE PATIENT HOSPITALIZED AT THE TIME OF OR IN THE 29 CALENDAR DAYS AFTER THE DISC? 1 ☐ Yes 2 ☐ No 9 ☐ Unknown IF YES, date of admission: ____ - ____ - ____	17. WAS INCIDENT SPECIMEN COLLECTED 3 OR MORE CALENDAR DAYS AFTER HOSPITAL ADMISSION? 1 ☐ Yes (HO case) 2 ☐ No (CA or HACO case)
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18. INCIDENT SPECIMEN COLLECTION SITE: (Check all that apply)

1 ☐ Blood 1 ☐ Bone 1 ☐ CSF 1 ☐ Internal body site (specify): _____ 1 ☐ Joint/Synovial fluid 1 ☐ Muscle 1 ☐ Pericardial fluid 1 ☐ Peritoneal fluid
1 ☐ Pleural fluid 1 ☐ Other normally sterile site (specify): _____

19. LOCATION OF SPECIMEN COLLECTION:	20. WERE CULTURES OF THE SAME OR OTHER STERILE SITES(S) POSITIVE WITHIN 29 DAYS AFTER DISC?
1 ☐ Outpatient Facility ID: _____ 3 ☐ Emergency room 8 ☐ Clinic/doctor's office 15 ☐ Dialysis center 11 ☐ Surgery 16 ☐ Observation/Clinical decision unit 4 ☐ Other outpatient 1 ☐ Inpatient Facility ID: _____ 1 ☐ ICU 6 ☐ OR 7 ☐ Radiology 2 ☐ Other Inpatient 5 ☐ LTCF Facility ID: _____ 13 ☐ LTACH Facility ID: _____ 14 ☐ Autopsy 10 ☐ Other 9 ☐ Unknown	1 ☐ Yes 2 ☐ No 9 ☐ Unknown IF YES, INDICATE SITE AND DATE OF LAST POSITIVE CULTURE: 1 ☐ Blood 1 ☐ Bone 1 ☐ CSF Date: _____ Date: _____ Date: _____ 1 ☐ Internal body site 1 ☐ Joint/Synovial fluid 1 ☐ Muscle Date: _____ Date: _____ Date: _____ 1 ☐ Peritoneal fluid 1 ☐ Pericardial fluid 1 ☐ Pleural fluid Date: _____ Date: _____ Date: _____ 1 ☐ Other normally sterile site (specify): _____ Date: _____
21. DATE OF FIRST SA BLOOD CULTURE AFTER WHICH SA NOT ISOLATED FOR 13 DAYS: ____ - ____ - ____	

22. SUSCEPTIBILITY RESULTS [S=Sensitive (1), I=Intermediate (2), R=Resistant (3), NS=Non-susceptible (4), SDD=Susceptible dose-dependent (5), U=Unknown/Not Reported (9)]

Cefazolin 1 ☐ S 2 ☐ I 3 ☐ R 9 ☐ U	Cefoxitin 1 ☐ S 3 ☐ R 9 ☐ U	Ceftaroline 1 ☐ S 5 ☐ SDD 3 ☐ R 9 ☐ U	Clindamycin 1 ☐ S 2 ☐ I 3 ☐ R 9 ☐ U
Daptomycin 1 ☐ S 4 ☐ NS 9 ☐ U	Doxycycline 1 ☐ S 2 ☐ I 3 ☐ R 9 ☐ U	Linezolid 1 ☐ S 3 ☐ R 9 ☐ U	Nafcillin 1 ☐ S 2 ☐ I 3 ☐ R 9 ☐ U
Oxacillin 1 ☐ S 3 ☐ R 9 ☐ U	Tetracycline 1 ☐ S 2 ☐ I 3 ☐ R 9 ☐ U	TMP-SMX 1 ☐ S 2 ☐ I 3 ☐ R 9 ☐ U	Vancomycin 1 ☐ S 2 ☐ I 3 ☐ R 9 ☐ U

23. WHERE WAS THE PATIENT LOCATED ON THE 3RD CALENDAR DAY BEFORE THE DISC?	24. IF CASE IS ≤12 MONTHS OF AGE, TYPE OF BIRTH HOSPITALIZATION:
1 ☐ Private residence 1 ☐ LTCF Facility ID: _____ 1 ☐ Hospital Inpatient Facility ID: _____ Was patient transferred from this hospital? 1 ☐ Yes 2 ☐ No 9 ☐ Unknown	1 ☐ NICU/SCN 2 ☐ Well Baby Nursery 9 ☐ Unknown
1 ☐ LTACH Facility ID: _____ 1 ☐ Homeless 1 ☐ Correctional or detention facility 1 ☐ Drug/alcohol rehabilitation 1 ☐ Other 1 ☐ Unknown	25. IF PATIENT <2 YEARS OF AGE WERE THEY BORN PREMATURE (<37 WEEKS GESTATION)? 1 ☐ Yes 2 ☐ No 9 ☐ Unknown IF YES, birth weight: ____ lbs. ____ oz. OR ____ g. OR 1 ☐ Unknown birth weight IF YES, estimated gestational age: ____ weeks OR 1 ☐ Unknown gestational age

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26. WAS THE PATIENT IN AN ICU IN THE 2 DAYS BEFORE THE DISC? 1 ☐ Yes 2 ☐ No 9 ☐ Unknown IF YES, date of ICU admission: _____ - _____ - _____ OR 1 ☐ Date Unknown	27. WAS THE PATIENT IN AN ICU ON THE DISC OR IN THE 2 DAYS AFTER THE DISC? 1 ☐ Yes 2 ☐ No 9 ☐ Unknown IF YES, date of ICU admission: _____ - _____ - _____ OR 1 ☐ Date Unknown
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28. TYPES OF INFECTION ASSOCIATED WITH CULTURE(S): (Check all that apply) 1 ☐ None 1 ☐ Unknown	
1 ☐ Abscess (not skin) 1 ☐ AV Fistula/Graft Infection 1 ☐ Bacteremia 1 ☐ Bursitis 1 ☐ Catheter Site Infection	1 ☐ Cellulitis 1 ☐ Chronic Ulcer/Wound (non-decubitus) 1 ☐ Decubitus/Pressure Ulcer 1 ☐ Empyema 1 ☐ Endocarditis
1 ☐ Epidural Abscess 1 ☐ Meningitis 1 ☐ Peritonitis 1 ☐ Pneumonia 1 ☐ Osteomyelitis	1 ☐ Septic Arthritis 1 ☐ Septic Emboli 1 ☐ Septic Shock 1 ☐ Skin Abscess 1 ☐ Surgical Incision
1 ☐ Surgical Site (Internal) 1 ☐ Traumatic Wound 1 ☐ Urinary Tract 1 ☐ Other: (specify) _____	

28a. DOES THE PATIENT HAVE:	
IMPLANTED CARDIAC DEVICE (E.G., PROSTHETIC HEART VALVE, PACEMAKER, AICD, LVAD)? 1 ☐ Yes 2 ☐ No 9 ☐ Unknown IF YES, is it associated with the MRSA/MSSA infection? 1 ☐ Yes 2 ☐ No 9 ☐ Unknown If associated with the infection, specify type (check all that apply): 1 ☐ CIED pocket/generator infection 1 ☐ CIED lead infection 1 ☐ CIED unspecified infection location 1 ☐ Prosthetic heart valve	IMPLANTED ORTHOPEDIC DEVICE (E.G., PROSTHETIC JOINT OR ORTHOPEDIC HARDWARE)? 1 ☐ Yes 2 ☐ No 9 ☐ Unknown IF YES, is it associated with the MRSA/MSSA infection? 1 ☐ Yes 2 ☐ No 9 ☐ Unknown If associated with the infection, specify type (check all that apply): 1 ☐ Prosthetic joint, hip 1 ☐ Prosthetic joint, knee 1 ☐ Prosthetic joint, other
1 ☐ LVAD driveline infection 1 ☐ LVAD pump/pump pocket infection 1 ☐ LVAD unspecified infection location 1 ☐ Other, specify: _____	1 ☐ Hardware, spine 1 ☐ Hardware, other 1 ☐ Other, specify: _____

NON-DIALYSIS PROSTHETIC VASCULAR GRAFT? 1 ☐ Yes 2 ☐ No 9 ☐ Unknown IF YES, is it associated with the MRSA/MSSA infection? 1 ☐ Yes 2 ☐ No 9 ☐ Unknown

28b. DOES THE PATIENT HAVE ANOTHER TYPE OF IMPLANTED PROSTHETIC DEVICE ASSOCIATED WITH THE INFECTION? 1 ☐ Yes 2 ☐ No 9 ☐ Unknown IF YES, specify type (check all that apply): 1 ☐ CSF shunt/drain 1 ☐ Percutaneous drain/tube (non-CSF) 1 ☐ Urinary catheter or stent 1 ☐ Other, specify: _____	
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29. UNDERLYING CONDITIONS: (Check all that apply) 1 ☐ None 1 ☐ Unknown			
CHRONIC LUNG DISEASE 1 ☐ Cystic fibrosis 1 ☐ Chronic pulmonary disease	IMMUNOCOMPROMISED CONDITION 1 ☐ HIV infection 1 ☐ AIDS/CD4 count <200 1 ☐ Primary immunodeficiency 1 ☐ Transplant, hematopoietic stem cell 1 ☐ Transplant, solid organ	NEUROLOGIC CONDITION 1 ☐ Cerebral palsy 1 ☐ Chronic cognitive deficit 1 ☐ Dementia 1 ☐ Epilepsy/seizure/seizure disorder 1 ☐ Multiple sclerosis 1 ☐ Neuropathy 1 ☐ Paresis 1 ☐ Parkinson's Disease 1 ☐ Spinal cord injury	RENAL DISEASE 1 ☐ Chronic kidney disease Lowest serum creatinine: _____mg/DL 1 ☐ Unknown or not done
CHRONIC METABOLIC DISEASE 1 ☐ Diabetes mellitus 1 ☐ With chronic complications	LIVER DISEASE 1 ☐ Chronic liver disease 1 ☐ Ascites 1 ☐ Cirrhosis 1 ☐ Hepatic encephalopathy 1 ☐ Variceal bleeding	PLEGIAS/PARALYSIS 1 ☐ Hemiplegia 1 ☐ Paraplegia 1 ☐ Quadriplegia	SKIN CONDITION 1 ☐ Blistering disease 1 ☐ Burn 1 ☐ Decubitus/pressure ulcer 1 ☐ Eczema 1 ☐ Psoriasis 1 ☐ Surgical wound 1 ☐ Other chronic ulcer or chronic wound
CARDIOVASCULAR DISEASE 1 ☐ CVA/Stroke/TIA 1 ☐ Congenital heart disease 1 ☐ Congestive heart failure 1 ☐ Myocardial infarction 1 ☐ Peripheral vascular disease (PVD)	GASTROINTESTINAL DISEASE 1 ☐ Diverticular disease 1 ☐ Inflammatory bowel disease 1 ☐ Peptic ulcer disease 1 ☐ Short gut syndrome	MALIGNANCY 1 ☐ Malignancy, hematologic 1 ☐ Malignancy, solid organ (non-metastatic) 1 ☐ Malignancy, solid organ (metastatic)	OTHER 1 ☐ Connective tissue disease 1 ☐ Obesity or morbid obesity 1 ☐ Pregnant 1 ☐ Other (specify only for cases ≤12 months of age): _____

30. WAS THE PATIENT HOMELESS IN THE YEAR BEFORE DISC? 1 ☐ Yes 2 ☐ No 9 ☐ Unknown	
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31. SUBSTANCE USE:	
SMOKING 1 ☐ None documented 1 ☐ Unknown 1 ☐ Tobacco 1 ☐ E-Nicotine delivery system 1 ☐ Marijuana	ALCOHOL ABUSE: 1 ☐ Yes 2 ☐ None documented 9 ☐ Unknown
INJECTION DRUG USE (IDU): 1 ☐ Yes 2 ☐ None documented 9 ☐ Unknown	
If IDU, which substance(s) (check all that apply) 1 ☐ Opioid, schedule I 1 ☐ Opioid, schedule II-IV 1 ☐ Opioid, NOS 1 ☐ Cocaine	If IDU, did the patient receive medication assisted treatment (MAT)/ medication for opioid use disorder (MOUD) during the current hospitalization? 1 ☐ Yes 2 ☐ No 9 ☐ NA (not hospitalized or does not inject opioids)
1 ☐ Methamphetamine 1 ☐ Other (specify): _____ 1 ☐ Unknown substance	

32. PRIOR HEALTHCARE EXPOSURE(S):

PREVIOUS DOCUMENTED MRSA/MSSA INFECTION OR COLONIZATION

1 ☐ Yes 2 ☐ No 9 ☐ Unknown

IF YES: _____ OR previous STATE I.D.: _____
Month Year

OVERNIGHT STAY IN LTACH IN THE YEAR BEFORE DISC

1 ☐ Yes 2 ☐ No 9 ☐ Unknown

Facility ID _____

PREVIOUS HOSPITALIZATION IN THE YEAR BEFORE DISC?

1 ☐ Yes 2 ☐ No 9 ☐ Unknown

IF YES, DATE OF DISCHARGE CLOSEST TO DISC: ____-____-____

OR, 1 ☐ Date unknown

Facility ID: _____

OVERNIGHT STAY IN LTCF IN THE YEAR BEFORE DISC

1 ☐ Yes 2 ☐ No 9 ☐ Unknown

Facility ID _____

SURGERY IN THE YEAR BEFORE DISC 1 ☐ Yes 2 ☐ No 9 ☐ Unknown

IF YES, list the surgeries and dates of surgery that occurred within 90 days prior to the DISC:

Surgery	Date
1. _____	____-____-____
2. _____	____-____-____
3. _____	____-____-____
4. _____	____-____-____

CENTRAL LINE IN PLACE ON THE DISC (UP TO THE TIME OF COLLECTION), OR AT ANY TIME IN THE 2 CALENDAR DAYS BEFORE DISC

1 ☐ Yes 2 ☐ No 9 ☐ Unknown

CHECK HERE if central line in place for >2 calendar days 1 ☐

DIALYSIS IN THE YEAR BEFORE DISC (Hemodialysis or Peritoneal dialysis)

1 ☐ Yes 2 ☐ No 9 ☐ Unknown

CURRENT CHRONIC DIALYSIS 1 ☐ Yes 2 ☐ No 9 ☐ Unknown

TYPE: 1 ☐ Hemodialysis 1 ☐ Peritoneal 1 ☐ Unknown

IF HEMODIALYSIS, type of vascular access:

1 ☐ AV fistula/graft 1 ☐ Hemodialysis central line 1 ☐ Unknown

33. PATIENT OUTCOME 1 ☐ Survived 2 ☐ Died

DATE OF DISCHARGE: ____-____-____ OR 1 ☐ Date Unknown

1 ☐ Left against medical advice (AMA)

IF SURVIVED, DISCHARGED TO:

- 1 ☐ Private Residence 6 ☐ Correctional or detention facility
2 ☐ LTCF Facility ID: _____ 7 ☐ Drug/alcohol rehabilitation
3 ☐ LTACH Facility ID: _____ 4 ☐ Other
5 ☐ Homeless 9 ☐ Unknown

3 ☐ Hospitalized > 1 year 9 ☐ Unknown

DATE OF DEATH: ____-____-____ OR 1 ☐ Date Unknown

ON THE DAY OF OR IN THE 6 CALENDAR DAYS BEFORE DEATH, WAS THE PATHOGEN OF INTEREST ISOLATED FROM A SITE THAT MEETS THE CASE DEFINITION?

1 ☐ Yes 2 ☐ No 9 ☐ Unknown

34a. DID THE PATIENT HAVE A POSITIVE TEST(S) FOR SARS-COV-2 (MOLECULAR ASSAY, ANTIGEN OR OTHER VIRAL TEST; EXCLUDING SEROLOGY) IN THE 90 DAYS BEFORE OR DAY OF THE DISC?

1 ☐ Yes 2 ☐ No 9 ☐ Unknown

SPECIMEN COLLECTION DATES FOR POSITIVE TESTS IN THE 90 DAYS BEFORE OR DAY OF DISC:

First positive test: ____-____-____ 1 ☐ Unknown

Most recent positive test: ____-____-____ 1 ☐ Unknown

COVID-NET CASE ID in the year before or day of the DISC: _____ ☐ None or N/A

34. WAS CASE FIRST IDENTIFIED THROUGH AUDIT?

1 ☐ Yes 2 ☐ No

9 ☐ Unknown

35. CRF STATUS:

- 1 ☐ Complete
2 ☐ Incomplete
3 ☐ Edited & Correct
4 ☐ Chart unavailable after 3 requests

36. DOES THIS CASE HAVE RECURRENT MRSA/MSSA DISEASE?

1 ☐ Yes 2 ☐ No

9 ☐ Unknown

IF YES, PREVIOUS (1ST) STATE I.D.

37. DATE REPORTED TO EIP SITE:

____-____-____

38. DATE ABSTRACTION:

____-____-____

39. S.O. INITIALS:

40. COMMENTS: