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FREEDOM OF INFORMATION REQUEST FOI/012942 - MRSA

Can you please let me know under FOI, whether your trust:

Has changed its MRSA screening after the 2014 PHE guidance called 'implementation of modified admission MRSA screening guidance for NHS (2014). - NO

If so, what was your screening regime? N/A

If you restricted screening, have MRSA acquisitions (positive screen after 48 hours in hospital or after a negative screen) increased? N/A

If so, but how much N/A

Please tell me the number of MRSA bacteraemias for the years 2013/14, 2014/15 and 2015/16.

13/14 = 1 pre 48 hr and 1 post 48 hr. 14/15 = 1 pre 48 hr. 15/16 = 2 post 48 hr.

If you restricted screening and if either MRSA acquisitions or MRSA bacteraemias increased, did you go back to universal screening? N/A

If you moved to restricted screening and returned to universal screening, how long did you practice restricted screening. N/A