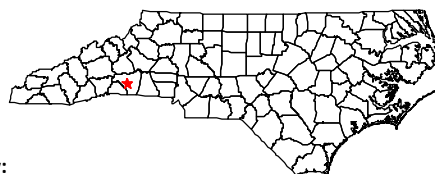


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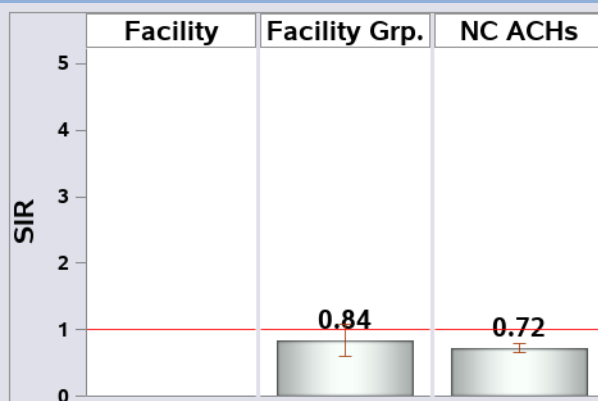
Hospital Type:	Acute Care Hospital
Medical Affiliation:	Undergraduate
Admissions in 2019	3,307
Patient Days in 2019	14,778
Total Number of Beds:	125
Number of ICU Beds:	10
FTE* Infection Preventionists:	1.00
Number of FTEs* per 100 beds:	0.80

(\*FTE = Full-time equivalent)



**Commentary From Facility:**  
 No comments provided.

**Catheter-Associated Urinary Tract Infections (CAUTI)**



**Figure 1: SIRs and 95% confidence intervals, Jan-Sep 2020.**

**Table 1. Number of Observed and Predicted Infections by ICU and Ward Type, Jan-Sep 2020.**

Unit Type	Observed Infections	Predicted Infections	How Does This Facility Compare to the National Experience?
Adult/Ped ICUs	2	Less than 1.0	No Conclusion
Adult/Ped Wards	1	Less than 1.0	No Conclusion
<b>All reporting units</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>Less than 1.0</b>	<b>No Conclusion</b>

Note: SIR=Standardized Infection Ratio. SIR is calculated by #Observed/#Predicted.

Note: SIR not calculated if <50 catheter days or <1 predicted infection.

Note: Red line represents the NHSN baseline experience, 2015.

**How Does This Facility Compare to the National Experience?**

No Conclusion: Data were reported, but there was not enough information to make a reliable comparison

**Methicillin-Resistant Staphylococcus aureus Laboratory-Identified Bacteremia (MRSA LabID)**

Note: LabID events are based on positive laboratory results only; not all LabID events represent true illnesses. Events reported here may be higher than events based on clinically-defined illness.

**Table 2. Number of Observed and Predicted MRSA Events, Jan-Sep 2020**

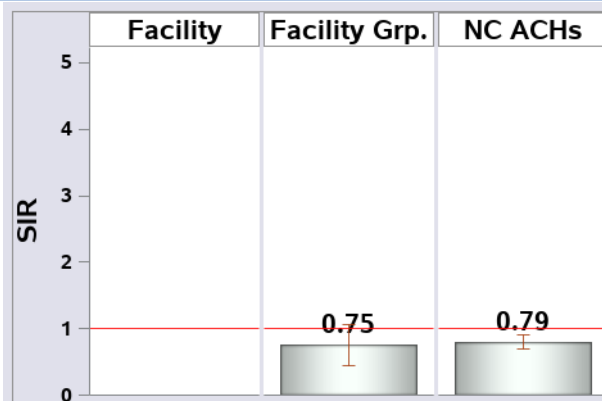
Unit Type	Observed Events	Predicted Events	How Does This Facility Compare to the National Experience?
Facility-wide inpatient	1	Less than 1.0	No Conclusion

Note: SIR=Standardized Infection Ratio. SIR is calculated by #Observed/#Predicted.

Note: Red line represents the NHSN baseline experience, 2015.

**How Does This Facility Compare to the National Experience?**

No Conclusion: Data were reported, but there was not enough information to make a reliable comparison



**Figure 2: SIRs and 95% Confidence Intervals, Jan-Sep 2020.**

**Clostridioides difficile Laboratory-Identified Infections (CDI LabID)**

Note: LabID events are based on positive laboratory results only - not all LabID events represent true illnesses. Rates reported here may be higher than rates based on clinically-defined illness.

**Table 3. Number of Observed and Predicted CDIs, Jan-Sep 2020**

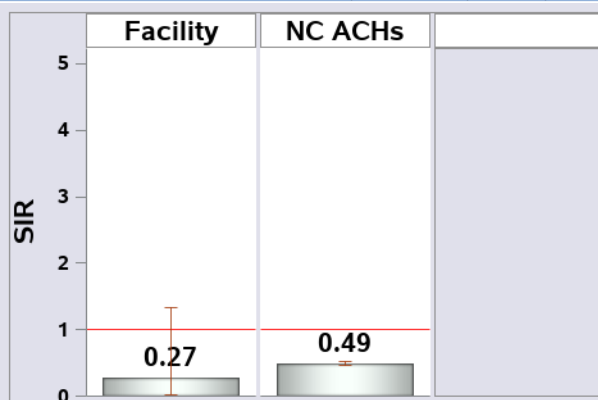
Unit Type	Observed Events	Predicted Events	How Does This Facility Compare to the National Experience?
Facility-wide inpatient	1	3.7	Same

Note: SIR=Standardized Infection Ratio. SIR is calculated by #Observed/#Predicted.

Note: Red line represents the NHSN baseline experience, 2015.

**How Does This Facility Compare to the National Experience?**

= Same: About the same number of infections as predicted by the national baseline experience



**Figure 3: SIRs and 95% Confidence Intervals, Jan-Sep 2020.**

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**Central Line-Associated Bloodstream Infections (CLABSI)**

**Table 4. Number of Observed and Predicted CLABSI Infections by ICU and Ward Type, Jan-Sep 2020**

Unit Type	Observed Infections	Predicted Infections	How Does This Facility Compare to the National Experience?
Adult/Ped ICUs	0	Less than 1.0	No Conclusion
Adult/Ped Wards	0	Less than 1.0	No Conclusion
<b>All reporting units</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>Less than 1.0</b>	<b>No Conclusion</b>

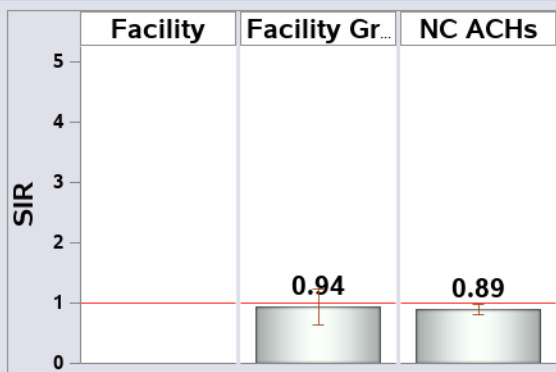
Note: SIR=Standardized Infection Ratio. SIR is calculated by #Observed/#Predicted.

Note: SIR not calculated if <50 central line days or <1 predicted infection.

Note: Red line represents the NHSN baseline experience, 2015.

**How Does This Facility Compare to the National Experience?**

No Conclusion: Data were reported, but there was not enough information to make a reliable comparison



**Figure 4: SIRs and 95% confidence intervals, Jan-Sep 2020.**

**Surgical Site Infections (SSI) after Abdominal Hysterectomies**

Note from N.C. Division of Public Health: Data are unavailable for this time period.

**Surgical Site Infections (SSI) after Colon Surgeries**

**Table 6. Number of Observed and Predicted SSI Infections (colon surgeries), Jan-Sep 2020.**

Unit Type	Observed Infections	Predicted Infections	How Does This Facility Compare to the National Experience?
Facility-wide inpatient	0	Less than 1.0	No Conclusion

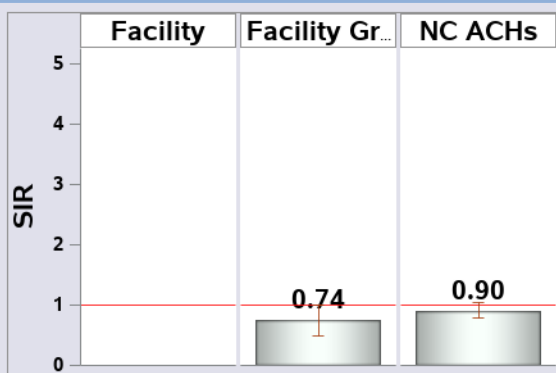
Note: SIR=Standardized Infection Ratio. SIR is calculated by #Observed/#Predicted.

Note: Infections from deep incisional and/or organ space.

Note: Red line represents the NHSN baseline experience, 2015.

**How Does This Facility Compare to the National Experience?**

No Conclusion: Data were reported, but there was not enough information to make a reliable comparison



**Figure 6: SIRs and 95% Confidence Intervals, Jan-Sep 2020.**

**Ventilator-Associated Events (VAE)**

Note from N.C. Division of Public Health: VAEs are not reportable at this facility type after 2018Q3