

**North Carolina Healthcare-Associated Infections Report**  
**Data from January 1 – March 31, 2016**  
**Alamance Regional Medical Center, Burlington, Alamance County**

**2015 Hospital Survey Information**

Hospital Type:	Acute Care Hospital
Medical Affiliation:	No
Admissions in 2015:	12,603
Patient Days in 2015:	47,979
Total Number of Beds:	238
Number of ICU Beds:	32
FTE* Infection Preventionists:	1.00
Number of FTEs* per 100 beds:	0.42

\*FTE = Full-time equivalent



**Commentary From Facility:**

Cone Health is committed to preventing harm from Healthcare Associated Infections across our community. We have dedicated multi-disciplinary teams focused on process improvements to ensure improved outcomes for our patients. If you would like further information, please contact Cone Health Infection Prevention Department. Thank you.

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

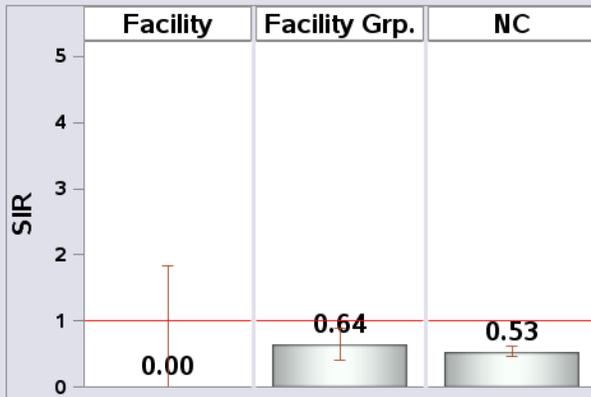


Figure 1: SIRs and 95% confidence intervals, Jan-Mar 2016.

Table 1. Number of Observed and Predicted Infections by ICU and Ward Type, Jan-Mar 2016.

Unit Type	Observed Infections	Predicted Infections	How Does This Facility Compare to the National Experience?
All reporting units	0	1.6	Same

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, 2009.

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

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

**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-Mar 2016

Unit Type	Observed Events	Predicted Events	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: Red line represents the NHSN baseline experience, 2010-2011.

**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

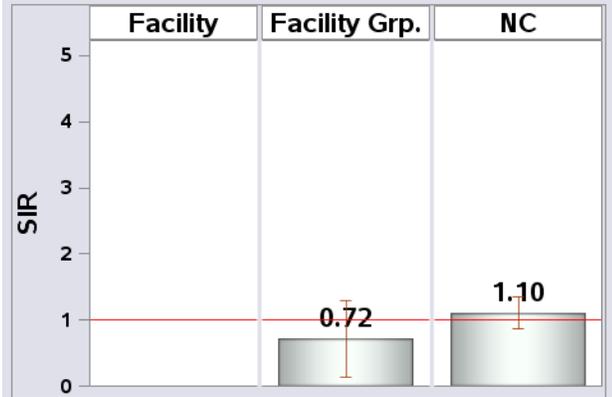


Figure 2: SIRs and 95% Confidence Intervals, Jan-Mar 2016.

**Clostridium 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-Mar 2016

Unit Type	Observed Events	Predicted Events	How Does This Facility Compare to the National Experience?
Facility-wide inpatient	9	5.8	Same

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

Note: Red line represents the NHSN baseline experience, 2010-2011.

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

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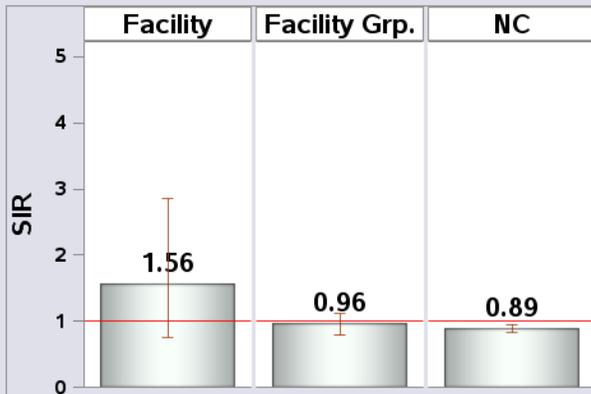


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**Central Line-Associated Bloodstream Infections (CLABSI)**

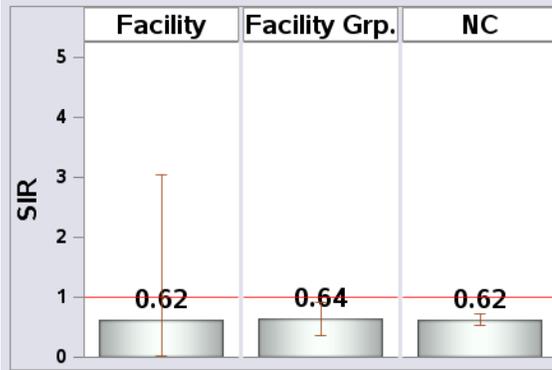


Figure 4: SIRs and 95% confidence intervals, Jan-Mar 2016.

Table 4. Number of Observed and Predicted CLABSI Infections by ICU and Ward Type, Jan-Mar 2016

Unit Type	Observed Infections	Predicted Infections	How Does This Facility Compare to the National Experience?
Adult/Ped Units	1	1.6	Same
Neonatal Units	0	Less than 1.0	No Conclusion
<b>All reporting units</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>1.6</b>	<b>Same</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, 2006-2008.

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

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

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

Table 5. Number of Observed and Predicted SSI Infections (abdominal hysterectomies), Jan-Mar 2016.

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, 2006-2008.

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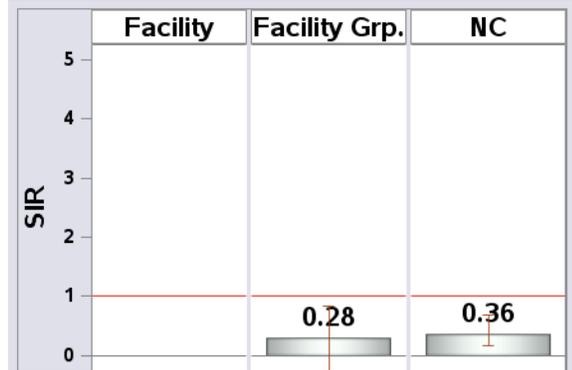


Figure 5: SIRs and 95% Confidence Intervals, Jan-Mar 2016.

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

Table 6. Number of Observed and Predicted SSI Infections (colon surgeries), Jan-Mar 2016.

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.

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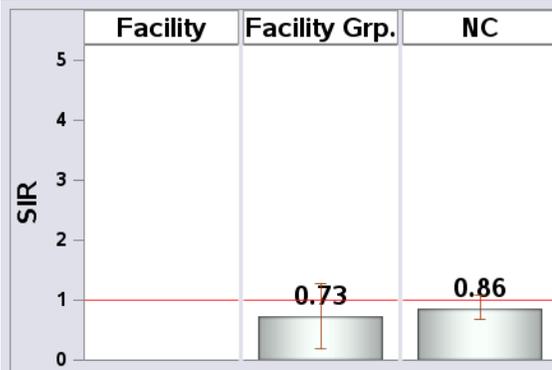


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**Ventilator-Associated Events (VAE)**

Note from N.C. Division of Public Health: VAE are not reportable at this facility type