



Healthcare Organization Commitment

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Position

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Commitment Details

How many hospitals are represented in this commitment?

Last Report	Current
1	1

Action Plan

An Antimicrobial Stewardship Program is established at UC Irvine Health. Implementing Vancomycin pharmacokinetic dosing per Pharmacy for patient safety. IV to PO conversions are being monitored on a monthly basis.

Commitment Update

UC Irvine implemented Vancomycin Dosing Per Pharmacy program in January 2018 with the goal to further ensure the safety of vancomycin use for patients hospitalized at UC Irvine. According to Safety and Quality Information System (SQIS), a program used to track adverse events, there was zero report of vancomycin associated nephrotoxicity for 2018. A

quality assurance process was also established and will be used to track nephrotoxicity associated with vancomycin.

Other

Challenge 3B - Antimicrobial Stewardship

Please describe any best practices your organization has learned through your commitment and share valuable lessons or challenges that were overcome

When implementing new programs on patient safety, it is important to monitor and track associated outcomes to provide feedback to staff to ensure both compliance and safety, and to promptly identify new opportunities for improvement. The criteria that were built pre-implementation for performing staff to notify program manager(s) were beneficial, promoting effective communications.

Impact Details

Initial Commitment	Commitment Update	Project Next Year
Lives Lost 0	Lives Lost 0	Lives Lost
Lives Spared Harm Target 0	Actual Lives Spared Harm in last 12 months 0	Lives Spared Harm Target for following calendar year 0
Lives Saved Target 0	Actual Lives Saved in last 12 months (might differ from initial target) 0	Projected Target of Lives Saved for following calendar to try to finish commitment 0
	New Lives Lost (lives lost – actual lives saved)	

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