

# **NIH Clinical Center**

## **Patient Safety and Clinical Quality Update**



***NIH Research Hospital Board***

**October 2020**

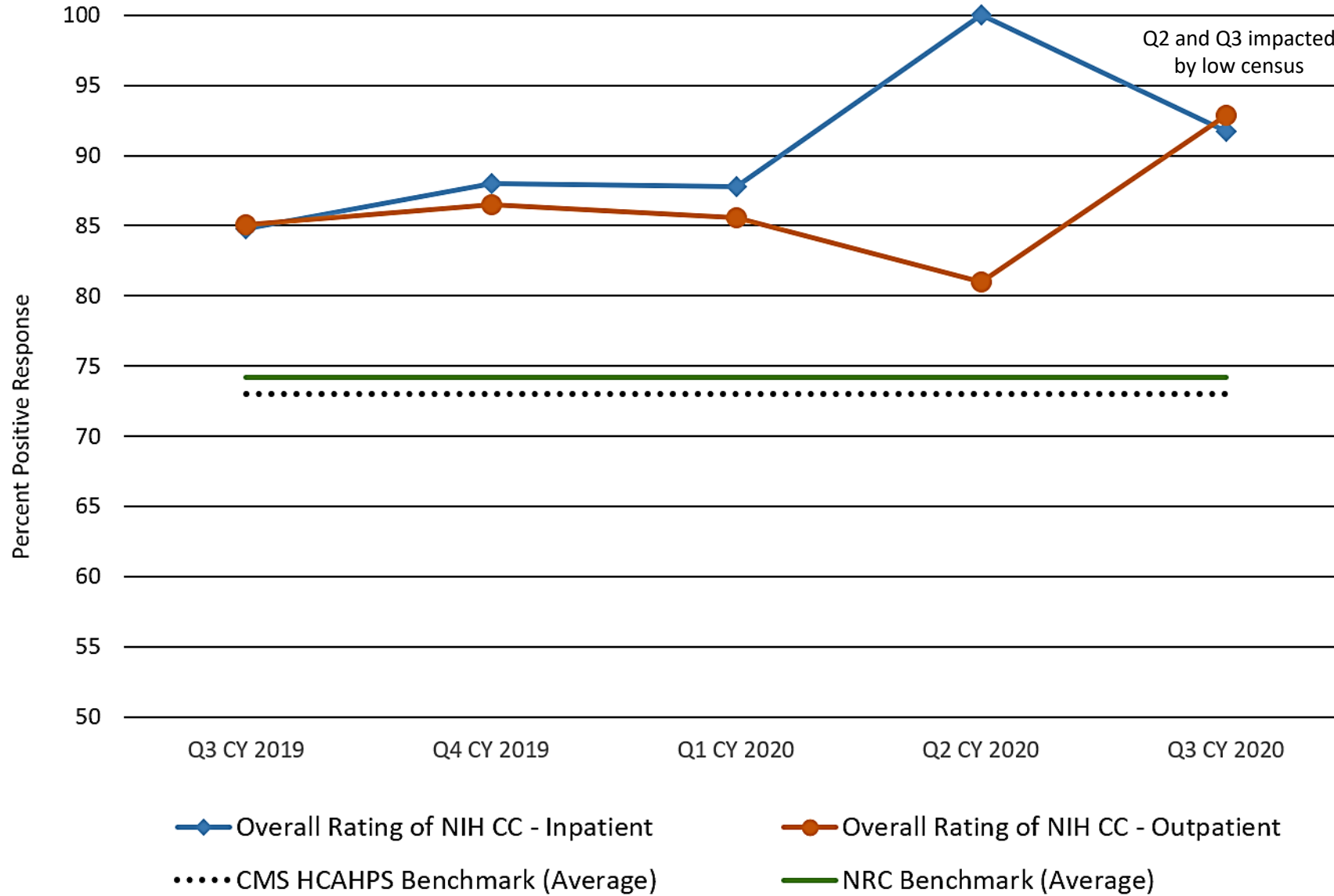
# Patient and Employee Safety Performance Metrics



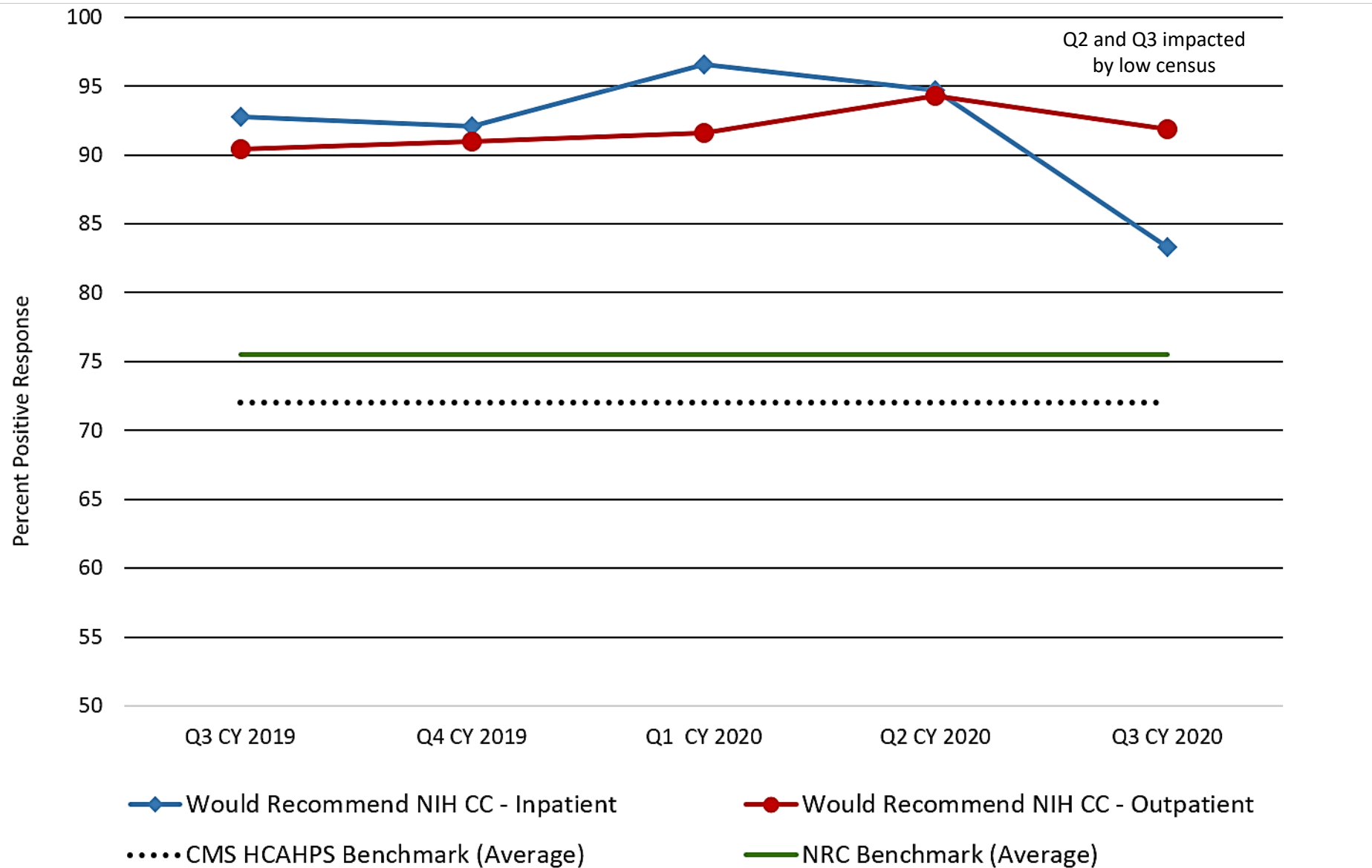
# Patients' Perceptions

- Overall Hospital Rating
- Would you Recommend the NIH CC?

# Overall Hospital Rating



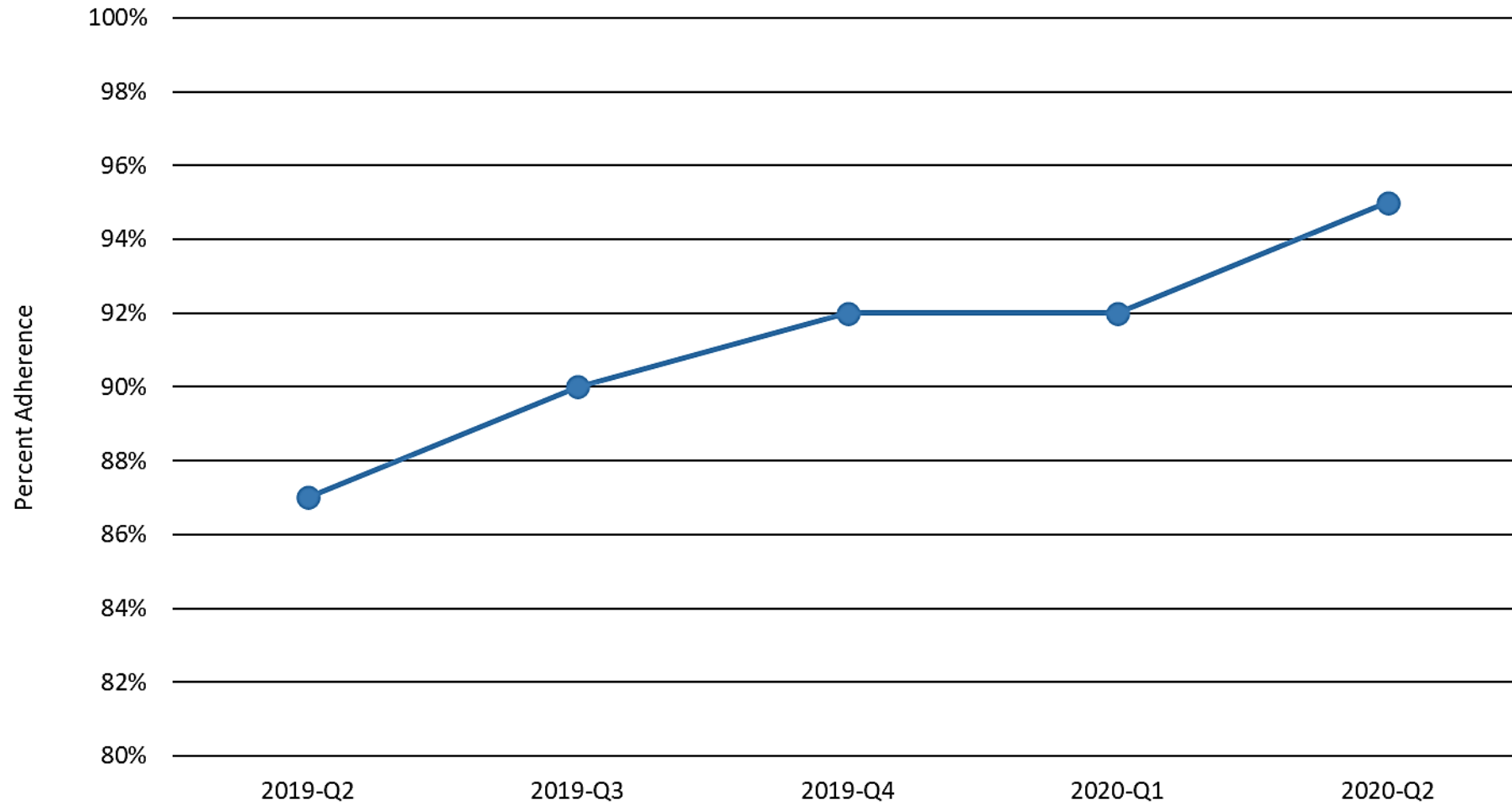
# Would You Recommend the NIH CC?



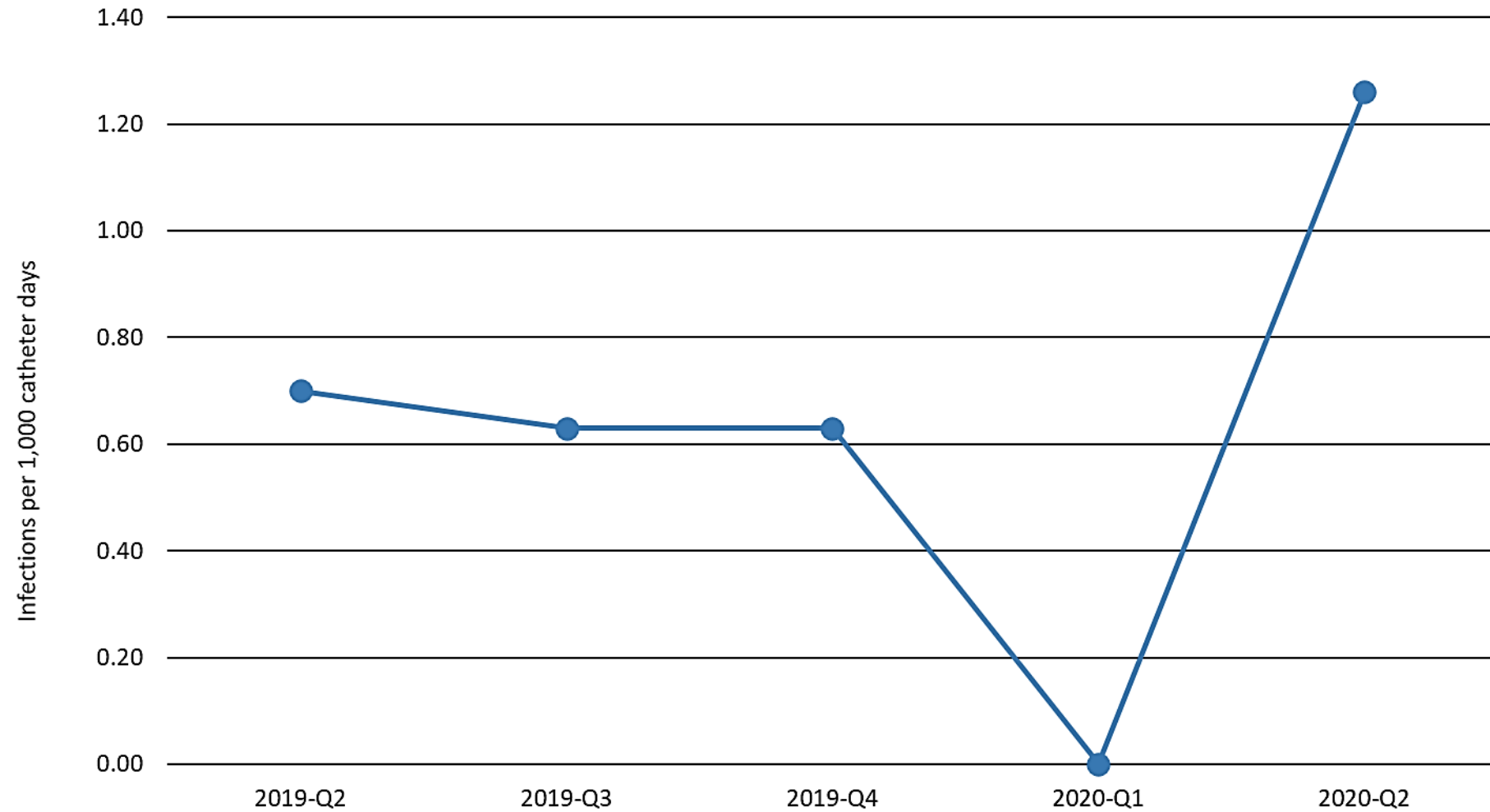
# Infection Control Metrics

- Hand Hygiene
- Central-Line Associated Bloodstream Infections
  - Whole-house
  - Intensive Care Unit
- Catheter Associated Urinary Tract Infections
  - Intensive Care Unit
  - Surgical Oncology

# Hand Hygiene Compliance



## Wholehouse Central-Line Associated Bloodstream Infection (CLABSI) Rate





## HA-CLABSI Review Tool

Instructions: The patient listed below has a tentative or final HA-CLABSI diagnosis.

- The Nurse Manager/ Clinical Manager or designee completes this form.
- Review CRIS documentation of clinical care, interventions, and nursing care assignments provided 48 hours prior to the infection.
- Conduct a collaborative, multidisciplinary review of this occurrence and complete this form.
- On page 2 identify any variabilities in practice that may apply to the patient being reviewed.

## Patient and Blood Culture Information

Patient Name (last, first)	MRN:	Blood Culture Collection date/time:
PCU:	DOB:	Organism:

## Line History

CVAD Type, Location, and # of Lumens:
CVAD insertion date: <input type="checkbox"/> Unknown <input type="checkbox"/> _____ CVAD removal date: <input type="checkbox"/> Unknown <input type="checkbox"/> Still in <input type="checkbox"/> _____

## CVAD care and maintenance provided 48 hours before referenced blood culture

When was the last:	Due Date	Actual Date Completed
CVAD dressing change		
CVAD connector change		
CVAD tubing change		
Baggie in place	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	If no, why not:
2-RN dressing change required <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	2-RN dressing changes documented <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> n/a	If not documented, why not:
High Touch Surface Cleaning documented per policy	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	If no, why not:
CHG bath completed	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	If no, why not:
Room reassignment completed every 30 days	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	If no, why not:
Does CVAD have history of occlusion? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No Date/Time rTPA last given:		
Lumen _____ <input type="checkbox"/> Blood return obtained		
Type of Infusion: <input type="checkbox"/> Continuous <input type="checkbox"/> Intermittent <input type="checkbox"/> n/a		
Was this patient frequently disconnected and reconnected from CVAD? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No		
Was the patient on pass 48 hours before blood culture was collected? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No		
If so, did the patient/family provide CVAD care while on pass? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No		

## List lessons learned and opportunities for improvement from your review:

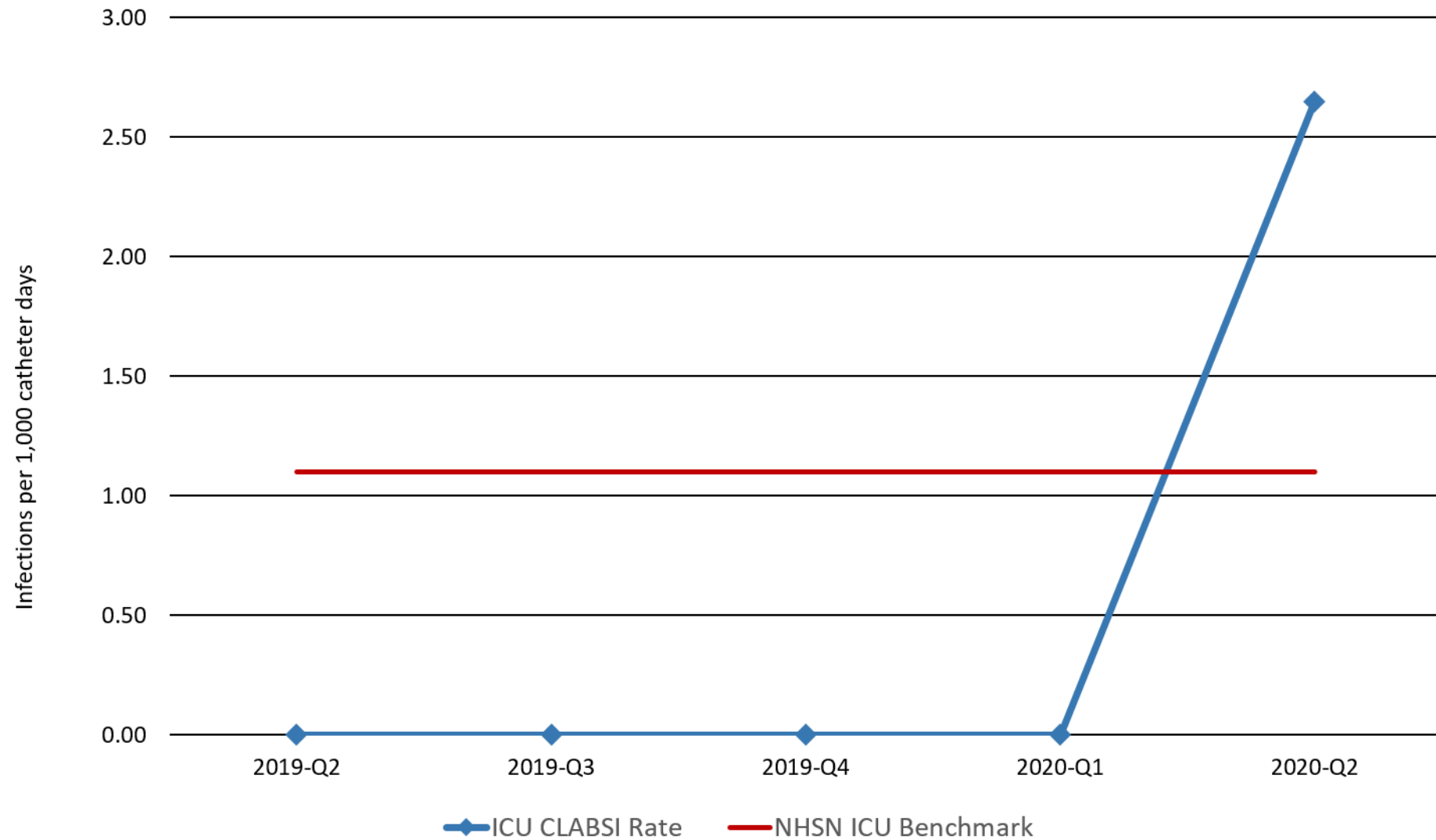
Lessons Learned	Opportunities for Improvement

Variability in Patient and Practice  
INSTRUCTIONS AND DEFINITIONS

- Based on the HA-CLABSI discussion, review the following definitions.
- Identify any variabilities (as many as apply) to the patient being reviewed.

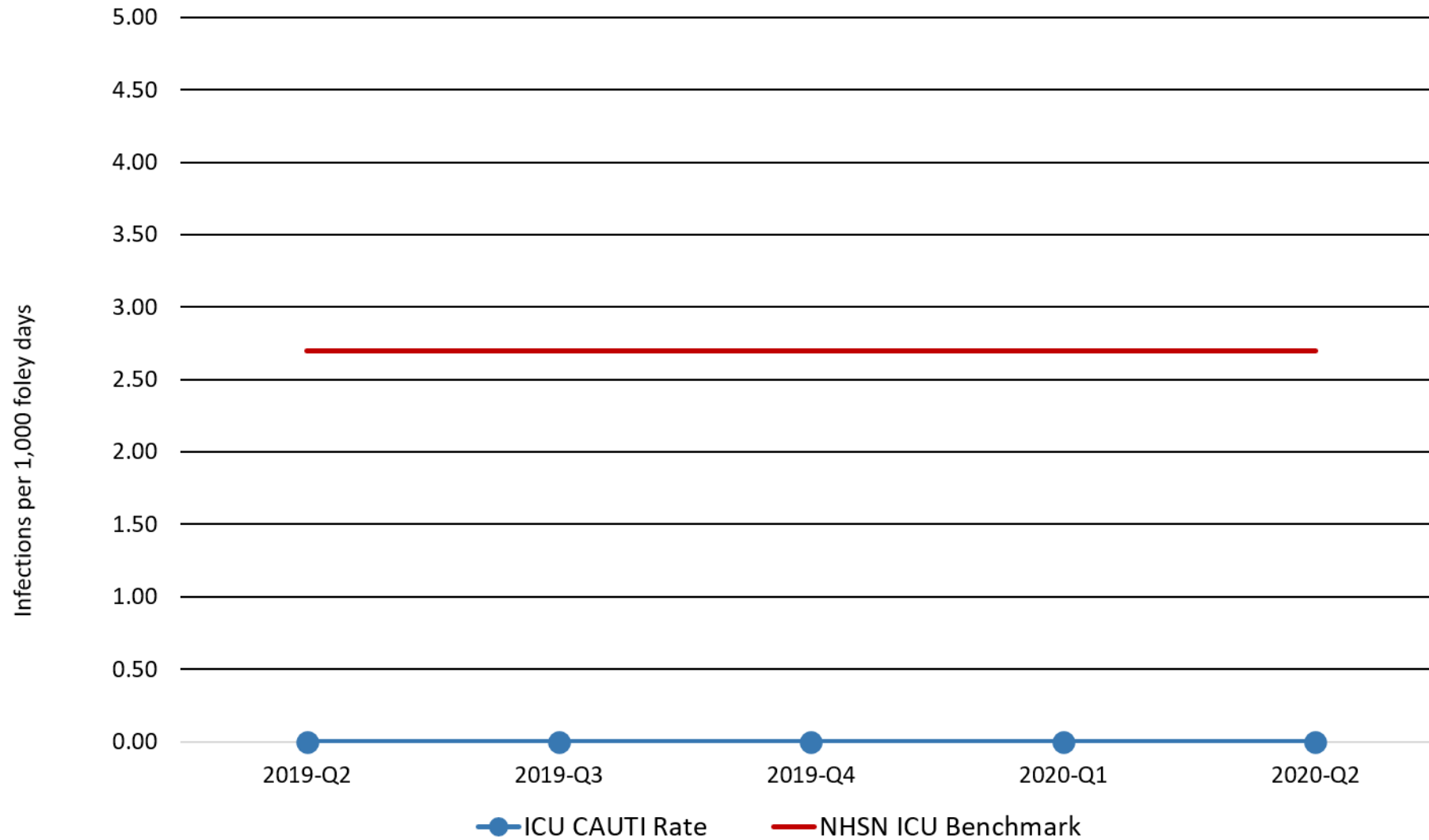
	Variability	Explanation	Examples
<input type="checkbox"/>	CVAD Care & Maintenance	Variation in routine nursing care encountered in caring and maintaining CVAD	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Line connected and disconnected multiple times</li> <li>rTPA administered within 48 hours prior to referenced blood culture</li> <li>Dressing changed more frequently than scheduled due to placement, skin issues, dressing not adhering well, etc.</li> <li>Connector changes not documented</li> <li>Dressing changes not documented per SOP/PRO</li> </ol>
<input type="checkbox"/>	Environmental	Environmental organisms or housekeeping issues identified as barriers to adequate cleaning and disinfection.	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Organisms found in aqueous environments and can live on surfaces/equipment</li> <li>Clutter in room made cleaning difficult</li> <li>Variation in housekeeping practices</li> <li>Tub cleaning procedure not followed</li> </ol>
<input type="checkbox"/>	Procedure	CVAD was used during a procedure off home unit in the preceding 48 hours before blood cultures	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Procedure off home unit such as IR, OR, CT, MRI</li> <li>Frequent accessing of line during the procedure</li> </ol>
<input type="checkbox"/>	Patient Hygiene	Patient experiencing general personal hygiene issues	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Copious body secretions</li> <li>Infrequent showering</li> <li>Poorly maintained acrylic nails</li> </ol>
<input type="checkbox"/>	Patient & family engagement	Education provided by nursing has not resonated with patient and family. Mismatch between patient's verbal understanding and demonstration of understanding.	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Care of CVAD while on pass</li> <li>Patient or family disconnects patient from IV</li> <li>Family not adhering to isolation standards</li> <li>Patient and family not adhering to hand hygiene guidelines</li> <li>Patient and/or family not adhering to recommendations for care and maintenance of CVAD</li> </ol>
<input type="checkbox"/>	Clinical Condition	Patient's clinical condition requires line to stay in place despite increase infection risk	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Low platelets</li> <li>No feasible alternate IV access</li> <li>Unable to tolerate procedure to place or change IV line</li> </ol>

## ICU Central-Line Associated Bloodstream Infection (CLABSI) Rate



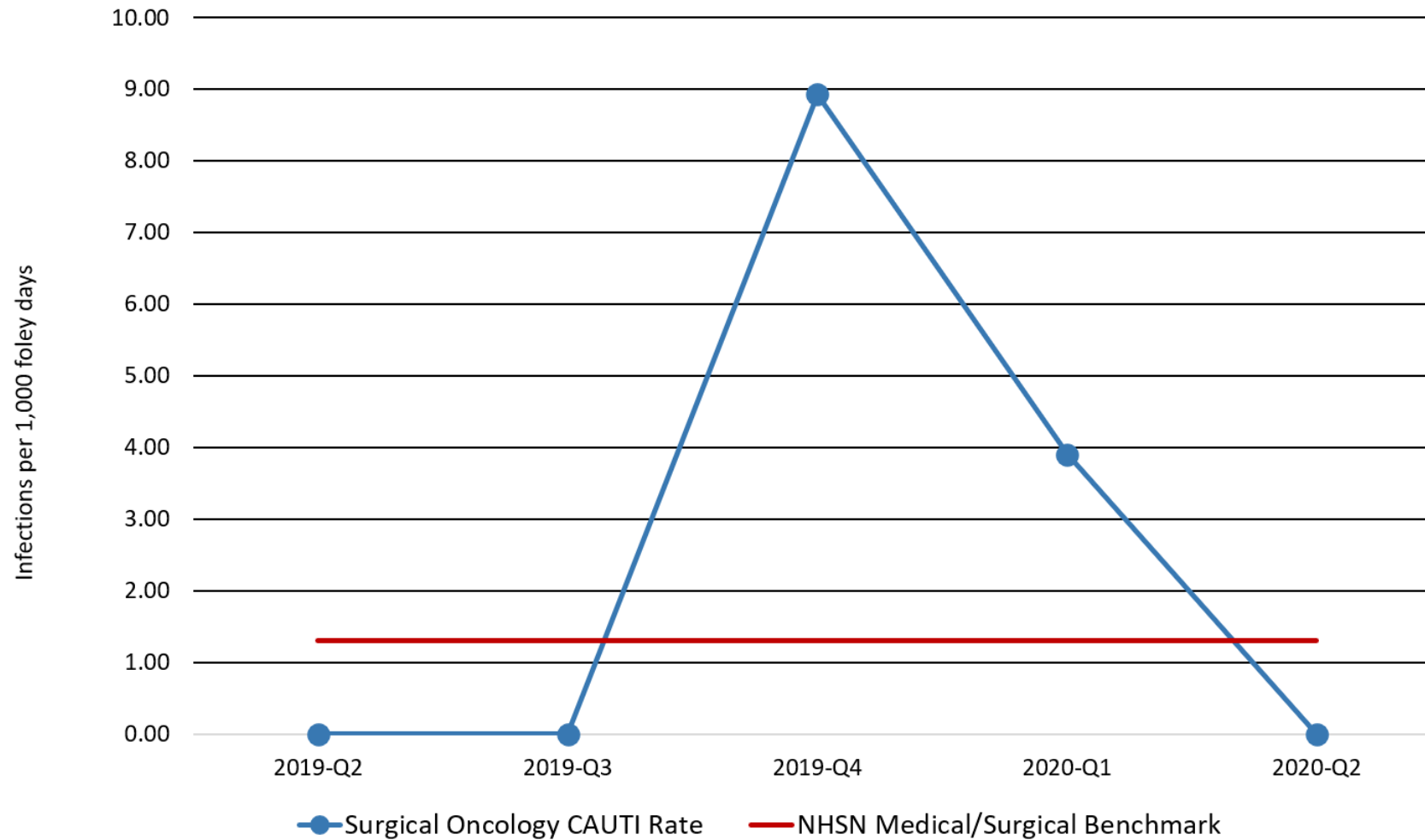
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# ICU Catheter-Associated Urinary Tract Infections (CAUTI) Rate



2013 CDC National Healthcare Safety Network (NHSN) Benchmark: Critical Care Units, Medical/Surgical -major teaching mean 2.7

## Surgical Oncology Catheter-Associated Urinary Tract Infections (CAUTI) Rate

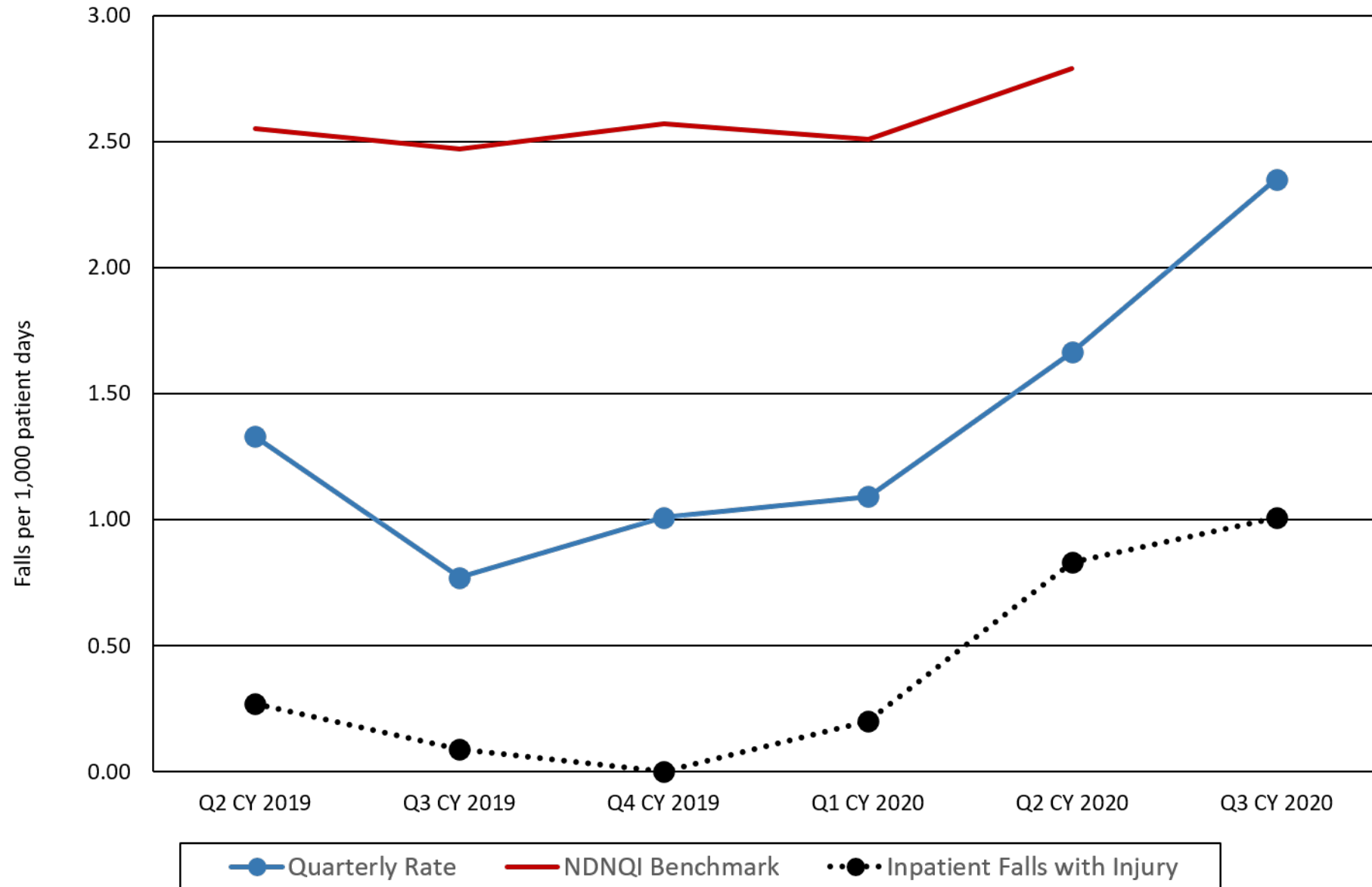


2013 CDC National Healthcare Safety Network (NHSN) Benchmark: Inpatient Wards, Medical/Surgical mean 1.3

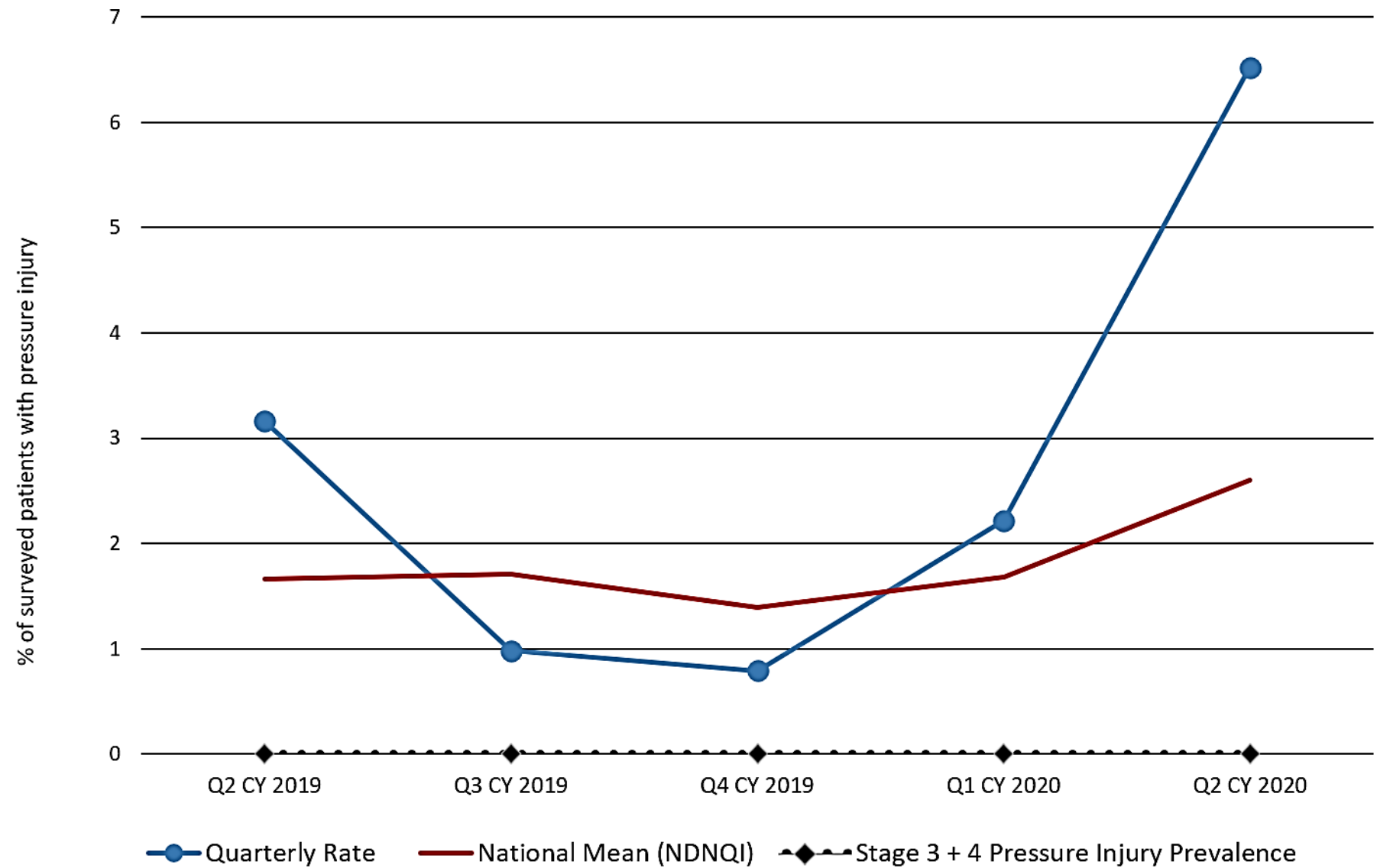
# Nursing Quality Metrics

- Falls
- Pressure Injury
- Medication Administration Barcoding

# Inpatient Falls Rate

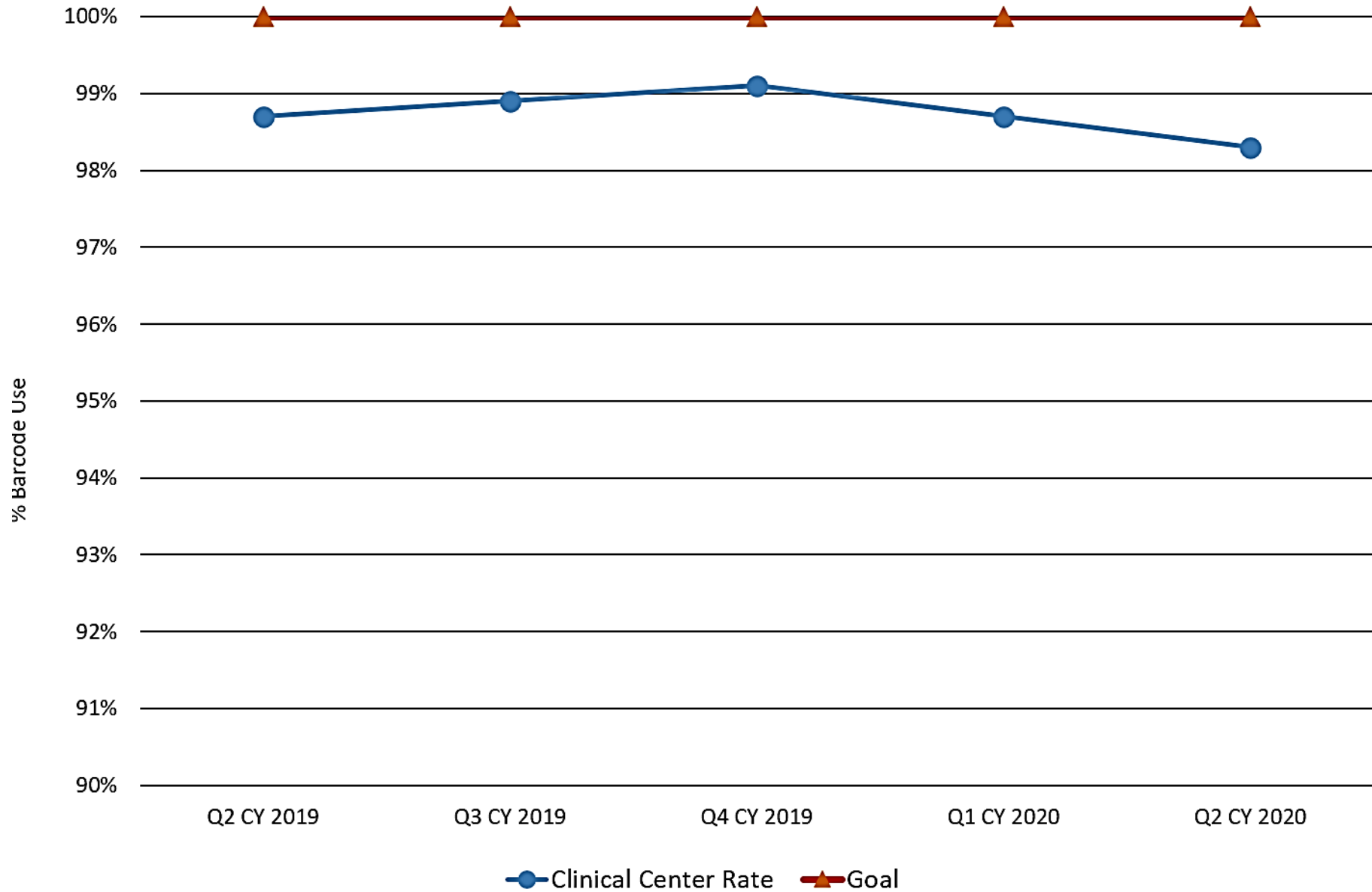


# Pressure Injury Prevalence



NDNQI Benchmark for Total Pressure Injury Rate only

# Medication Administration Barcode Use

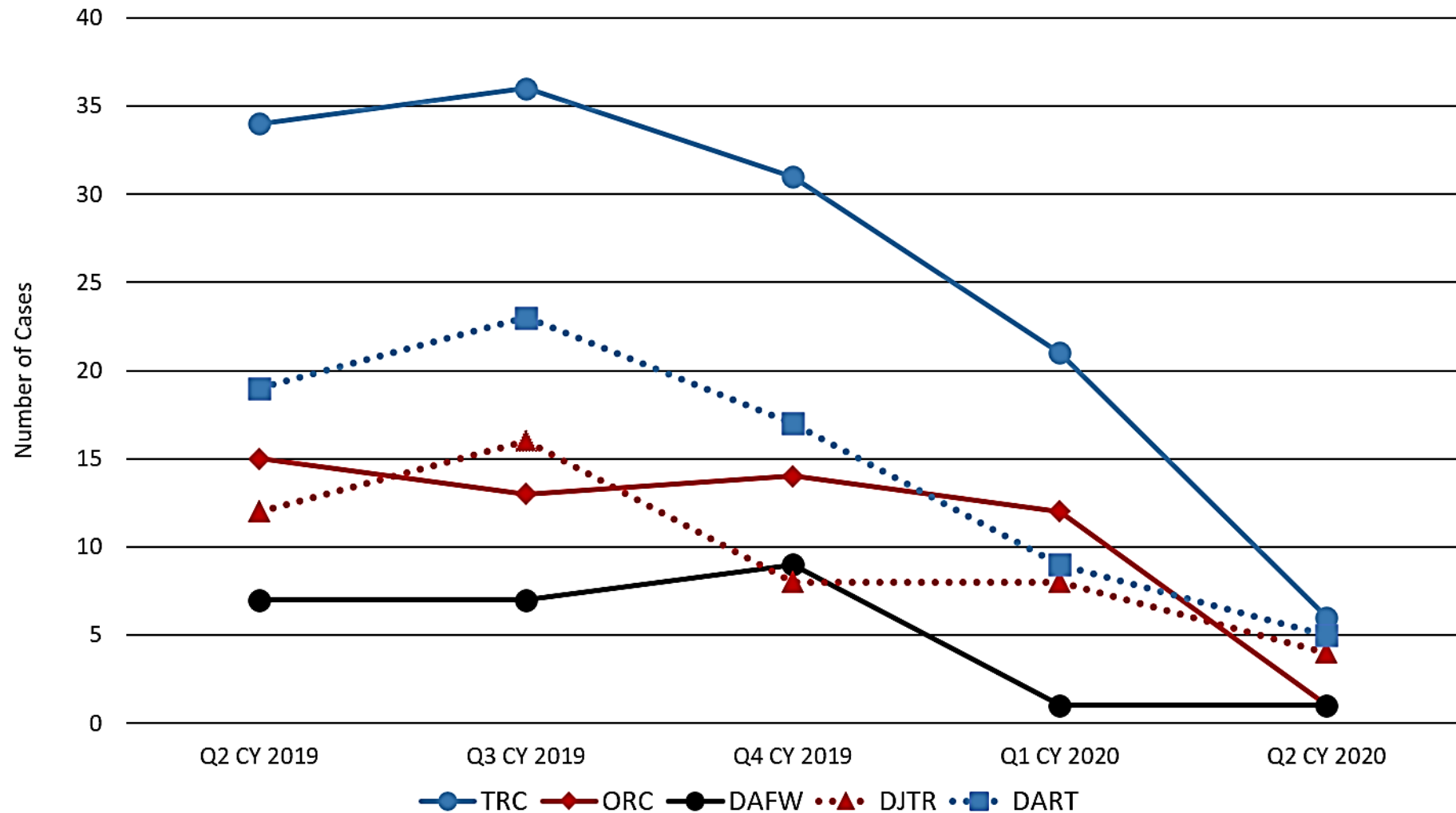




# Employee Safety

- Occupational Injury and Illness

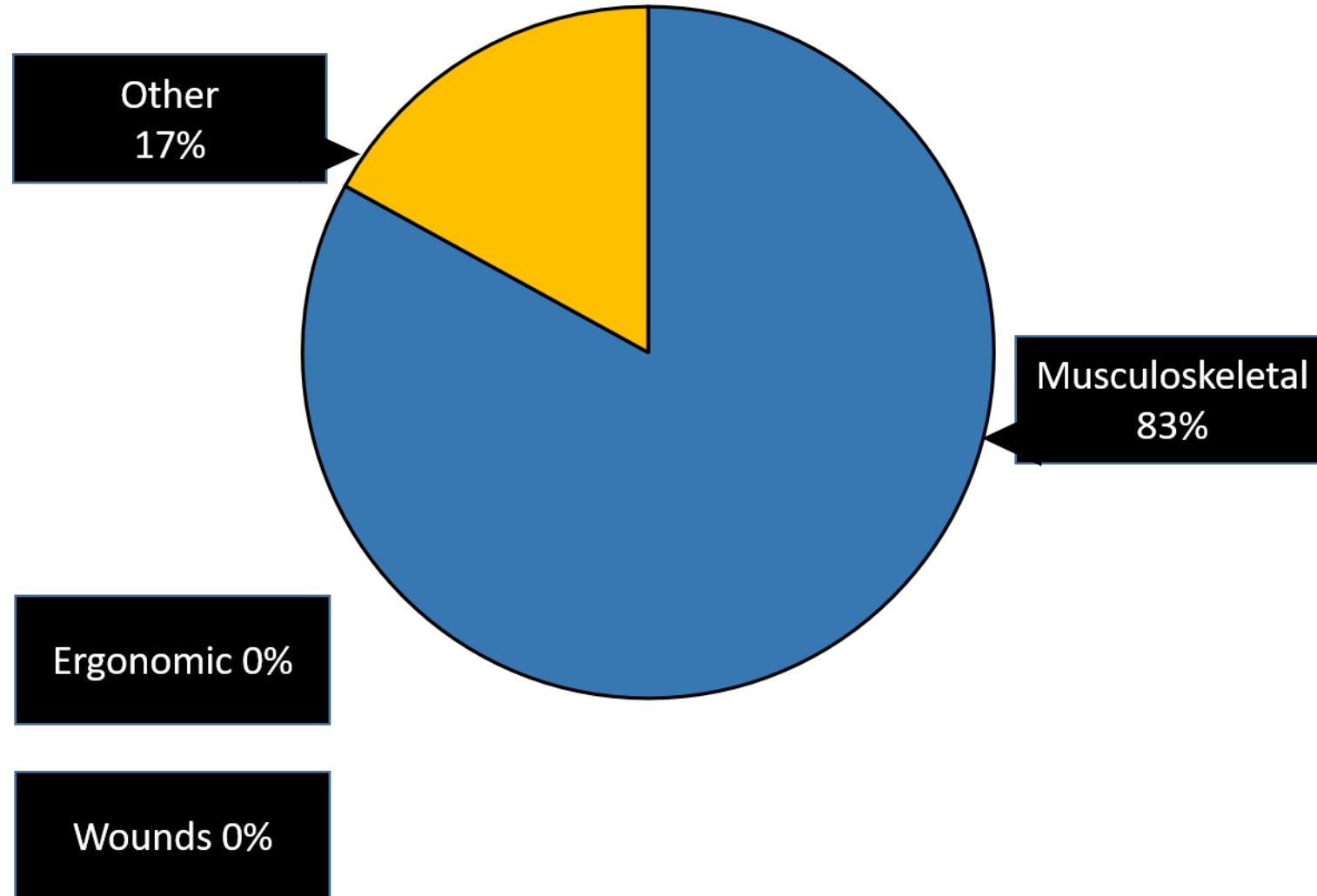
# Occupational Injuries and Illnesses for CC Employees



**TRC:** Total Recordable Cases; **ORC:** Other Recordable Cases; **DAFW:** Days Away From Work; **DJTR:** Days Job Transfer, Restriction; **DART:** Days Away, Restricted or Transferred (DAFW + DJTR)

# Percent of Occupational Injuries and Illnesses

Apr Jun 2020 n= 6

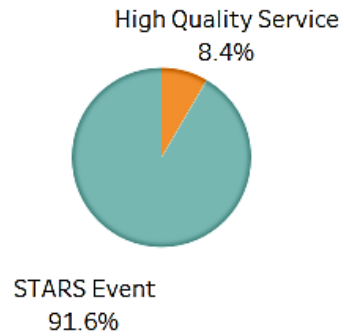


# Patient Safety Event Reporting

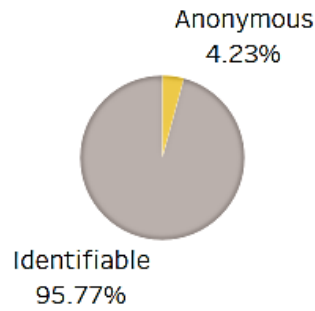


# Safety, Tracking, and Reporting System Dashboard

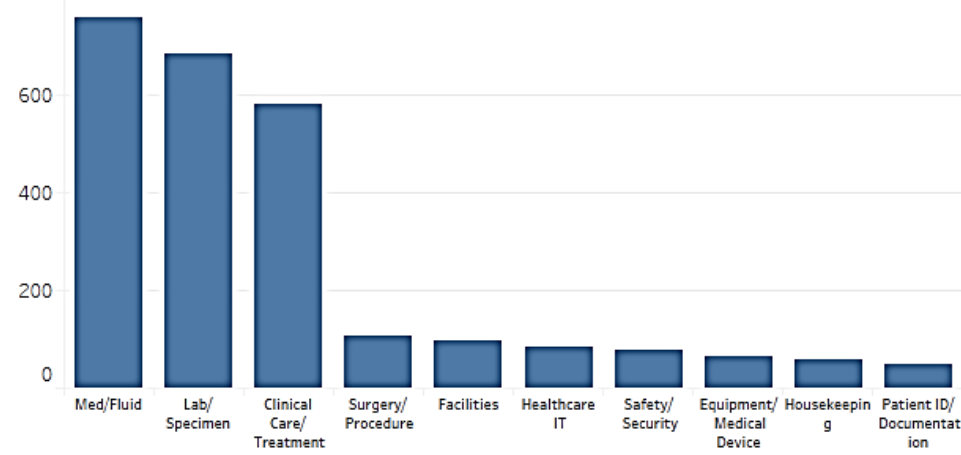
Types of STARS %



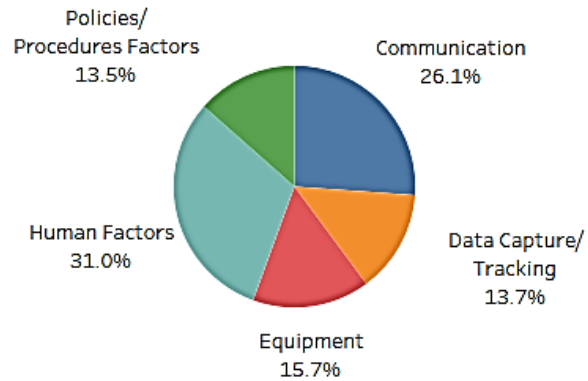
Anonymous vs Non-Anonymous



Top 10 General Event Types

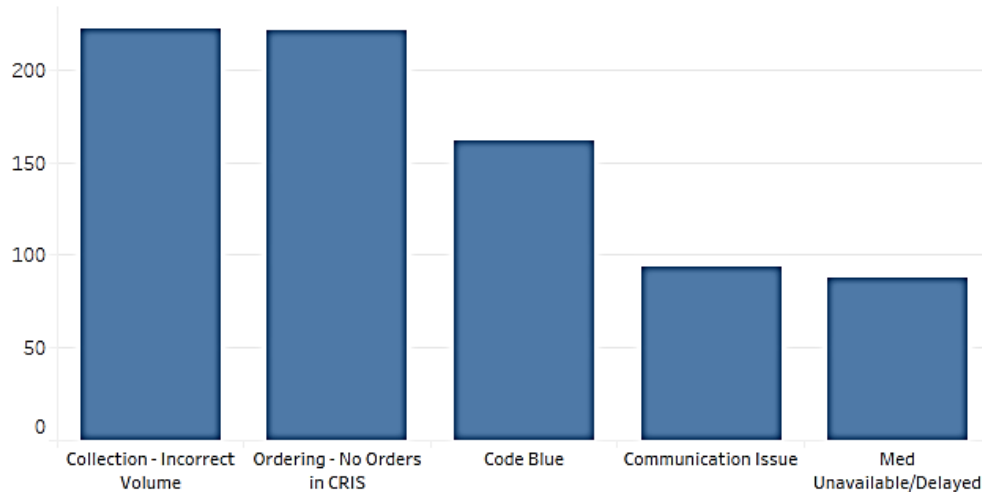


Top 5 Contributing Factors



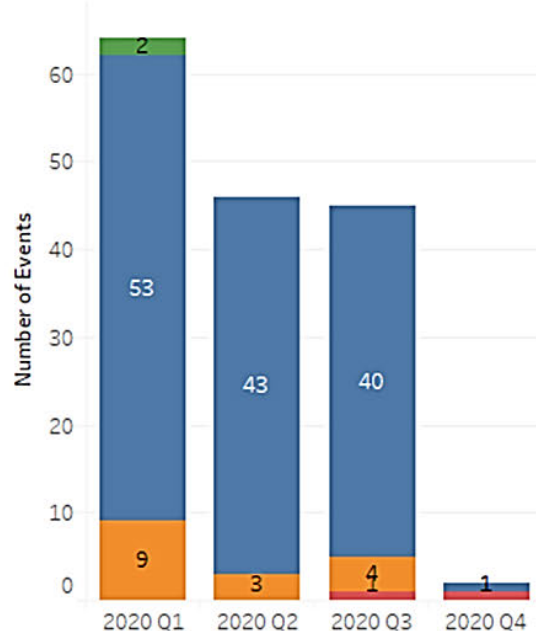
Top 5 Specific Event Types

*Excludes: Unscheduled Appointment - Walk-in, Other - Please Specify*

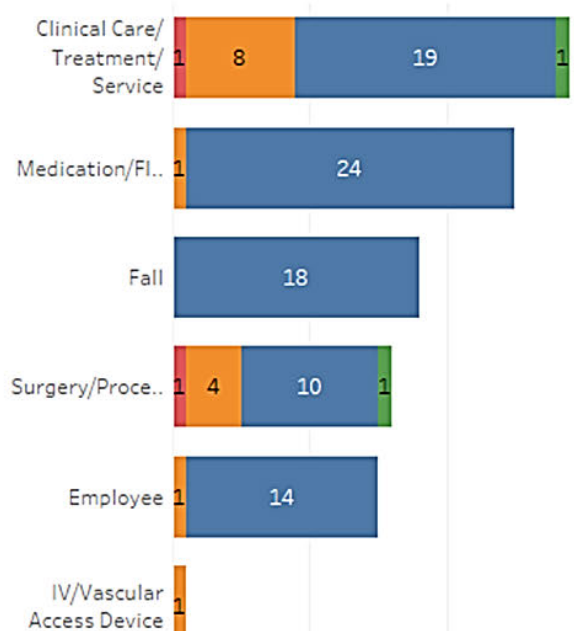


Date Range: 1/2/2020 - 10/7/2020

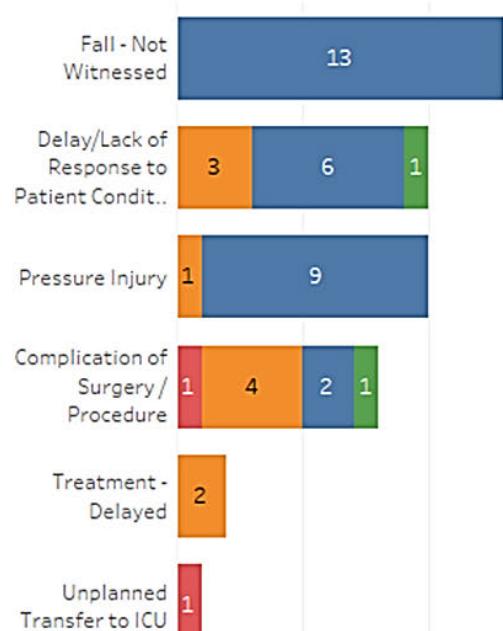
### Harm Events by Month



### Top 5 GETs



### Top 5 SETs

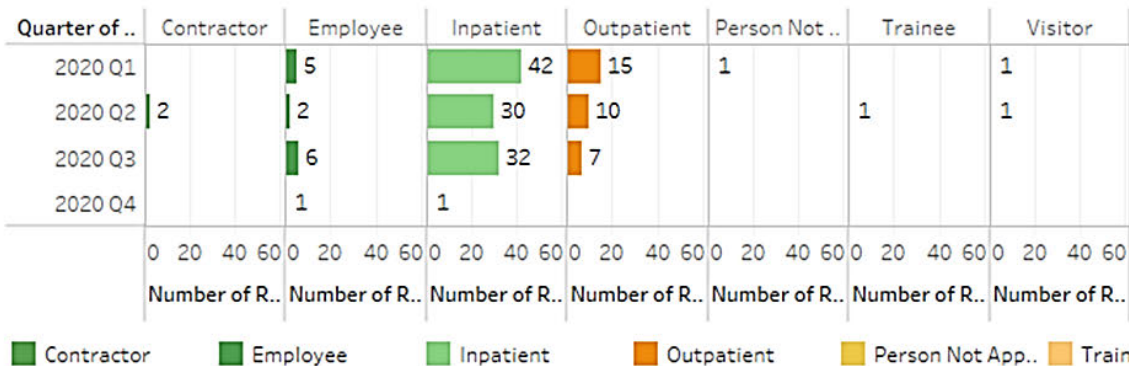


■ Death
 ■ Mild Harm
 ■ Moderate Harm
 ■ Severe Harm

### Entered Anonymously?



### Type of Person Affected

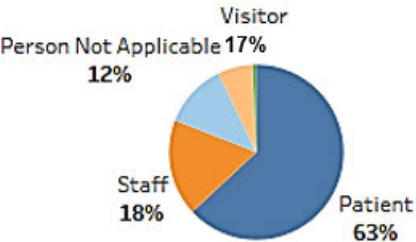


# Events with Harm Dashboard

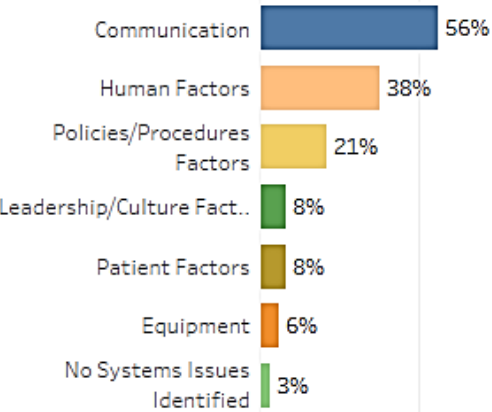
Events Entered Between 3/10/2020 – 10/7/2020

168  
Total COVID  
Related Events

Person Affected



Contributing Factors



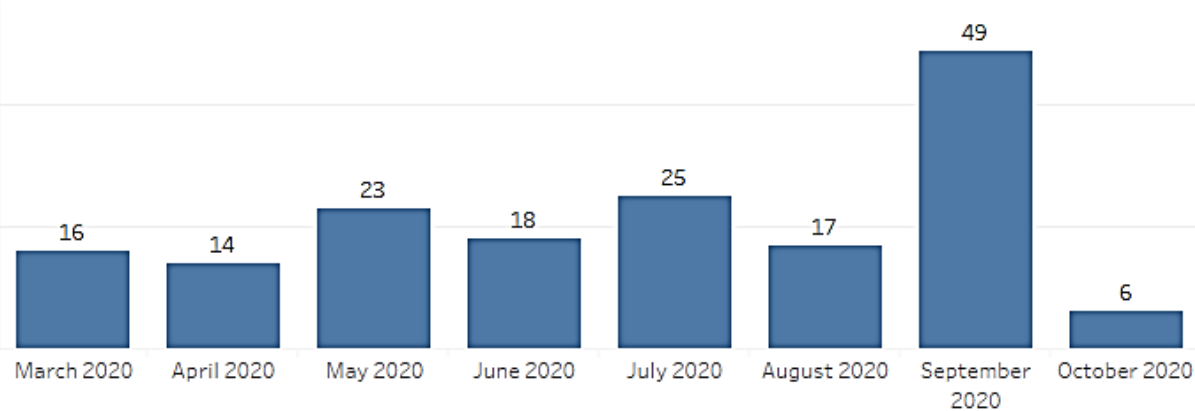
General Event Types

Infection	62
Clinical Care/Treatment/Service	40
Lab/Specimen	17
Safety/Security	12
Professional Conduct	11
Employee	6
Surgery/Procedure	3
Supplies	3
Patient ID/Documentation/Consent	3
Facilities	3
Diagnostic Imaging	3
Blood Product/Cellular Therapy	2
Medication/Fluid	1
Housekeeping	1
Healthcare IT	1
Grand Total	168

Top 10 Specific Event Types

Process Issue/Procedure Not Followed	48
Communication Issue	23
Suspected Infection	7
Inappropriate Unprofessional Behavior	7
Collection (Delay/Wrong Time/Not Collected)	5
Treatment Delayed	5
Access Issues/Trespassing	4
Unplanned Admission	3
Code Blue	3
Admissions/Registration Issue	3

Date of Event



COVID  
Related  
STARS  
Reports

# Culture of Patient Safety Survey





# Culture of Patient Safety Survey

Designed by AHRQ to evaluate domains of safety culture

- Communication/Hand-offs
- Teamwork
- Non-punitive response to errors
- Reporting
- Organizational learning
- Leadership support

Survey last fielded in 2017

Clinical Center 2020 survey specifics

- CRIS Users and CC Staff
- 1,172 total participants
- 65% have direct patient contact

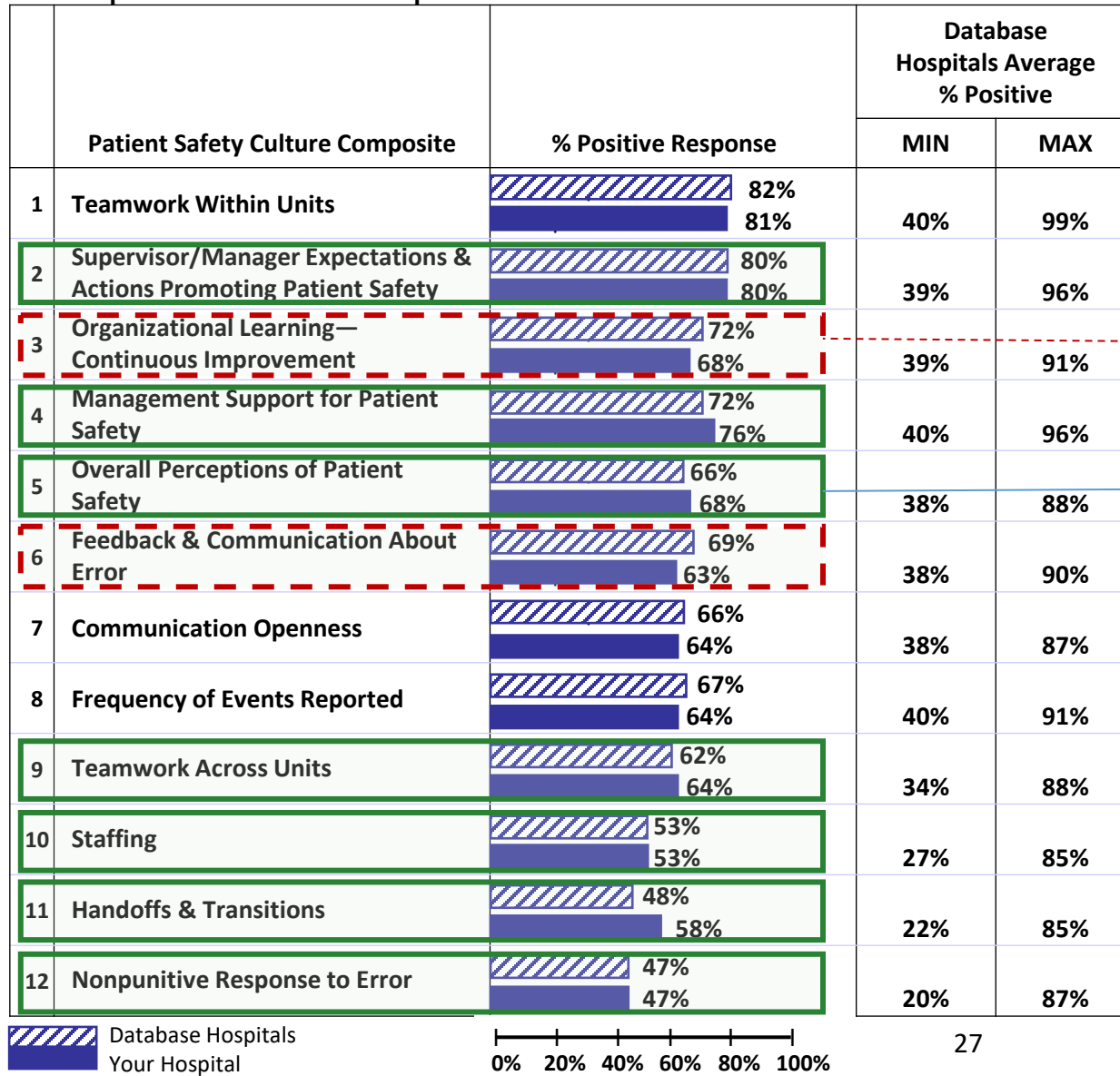
# Clinical Center Scores 2020 and 2017

## Composite Level Trending Results

	Patient Safety Culture Composite	Your Hospital 's % Positive		Difference	Change
		Recent	Previous		
1	Teamwork Within Units	81%	73%	8	↑
2	Supervisor/Manager Expectations & Actions Promoting Patient Safety	80%	76%	4	↑
3	Organizational Learning—Continuous Improvement	68%	64%	4	↑
4	Management Support for Patient Safety	76%	70%	6	↑
5	Overall Perceptions of Patient Safety	68%	58%	10	↑
6	Feedback & Communication About Error	67%	61%	2	↑
7	Communication Openness	64%	60%	4	↑
8	Frequency of Events Reported	64%	59%	5	↑
9	Teamwork Across Units	64%	55%	9	↑
10	Staffing	53%	48%	5	↑
11	Handoffs & Transitions	58%	37%	21	↑
12	Nonpunitive Response to Error	47%	41%	6	↑

# Clinical Center Compared to AHRQ Hospitals 2020

## Composite-Level Comparative Results for NIH Clinical Center



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**2017**

**Below national average in  
12 of the 12 domains**

**2020**

**Equal to or above in  
7 of the 12 domains**



**It takes a  
VILLAGE!**

# gratitude

- The quality or feeling of being grateful or thankful.
- A feeling of thankfulness or appreciation, as for gifts or favours.
- Thanks, thankfulness, appreciation, gratefulness.

## Examples:

signs of gratitude and support were  
there at the Crawford ranch.  
gratitude for every bl