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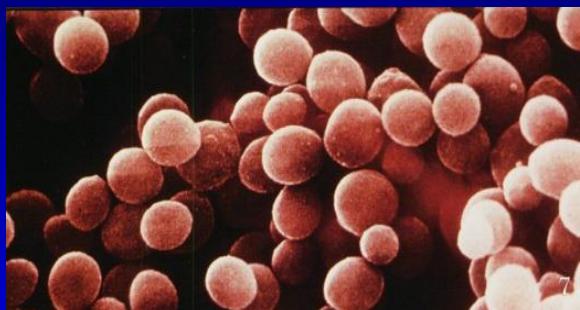
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## *Definizione di Batteri Multiresistenti: MDR, XDR e PR*

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# *Staphylococcus aureus* meticillino-resistente (MRSA)



Antibiotico	Sensibilità (S/I/R)
Ampicillina	R
Clindamicina	R
Ciprofloxacina	R
Daptomicina	S
Eritromicina	R
Acido fusidico	R
Gentamicina	R
Linezolid	S
Tobramicina	R
Oxacillina	R
Penicillina	R
Cotrimoxazolo	S
Teicoplanina	S
Vancomicina	S
Fosfomicina	R

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- XDR (Extensively-drug resistant): battere suscettibile a non più di due classi di categorie di antimicrobici attivi
- PR (Pan-resistant): battere non suscettibile a nessuno degli antimicrobici attivi, disponibili in commercio

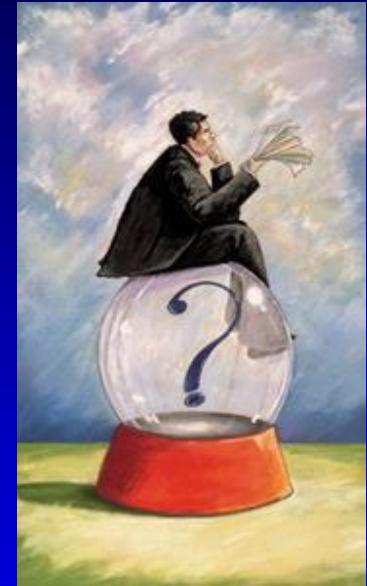
# *Pseudomonas aeruginosa*

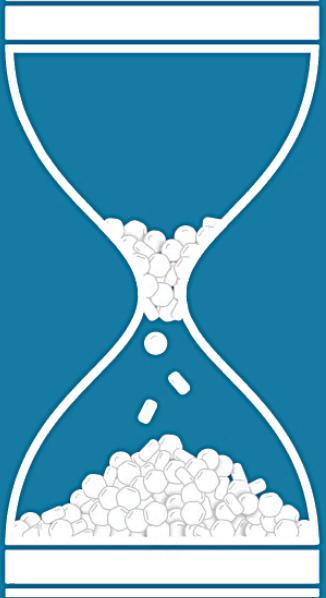
XDR

Co-trimoxazolo	R
Pip./Tazo.	R
Cefepime	R
Ceftazidime	R
Cefotaxime	R
Imipenem	R
Meropenem	R
Amikacina	S
Gentamicina	R
Ciprofloxacina	R
Levofloxacina	R
Colistina	S

PR

Co-trimoxazolo	R
Pip./Tazo.	R
Cefepime	R
Ceftazidime	R
Cefotaxime	R
Imipenem	R
Meropenem	R
Amikacina	R
Gentamicina	R
Ciprofloxacina	R
Levofloxacina	R
Colistina	R





# **NO TIME TO WAIT:** SECURING THE FUTURE FROM DRUG-RESISTANT INFECTIONS

**REPORT TO THE  
SECRETARY-GENERAL  
OF THE UNITED NATIONS**

**APRIL 2019**

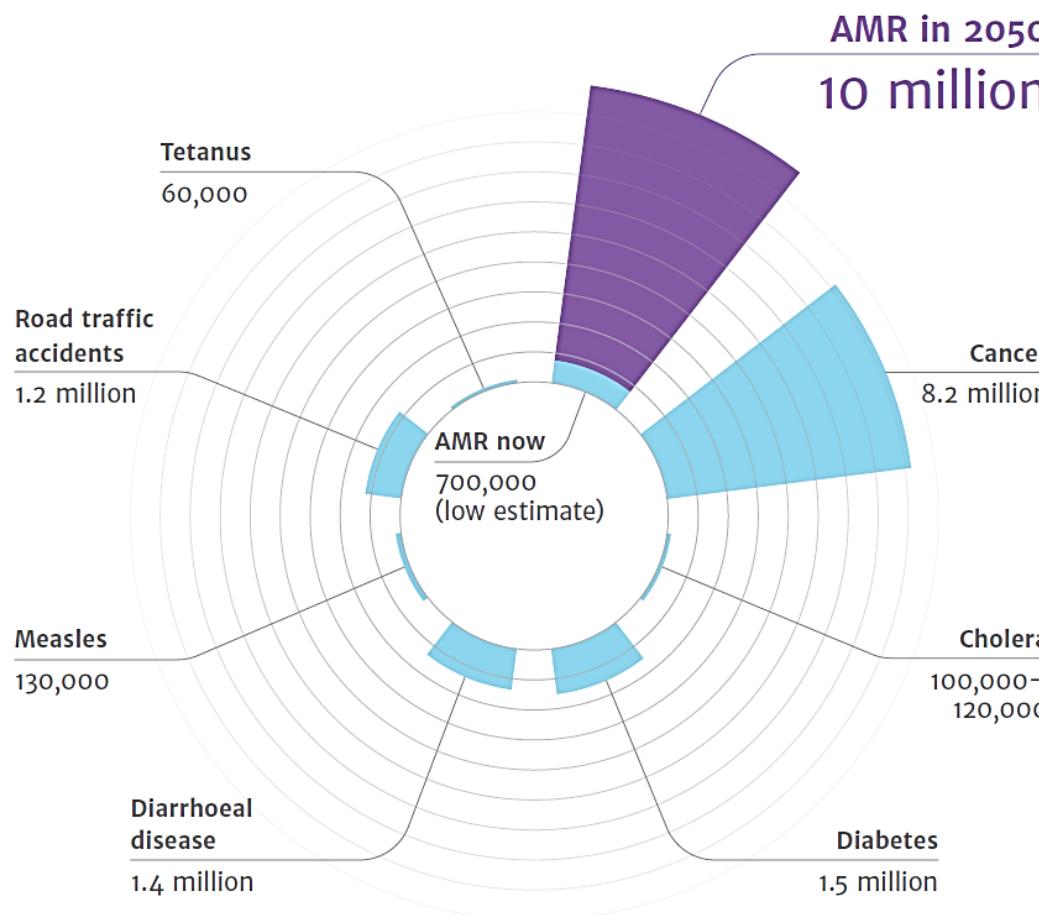
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**Antimicrobial Resistance**



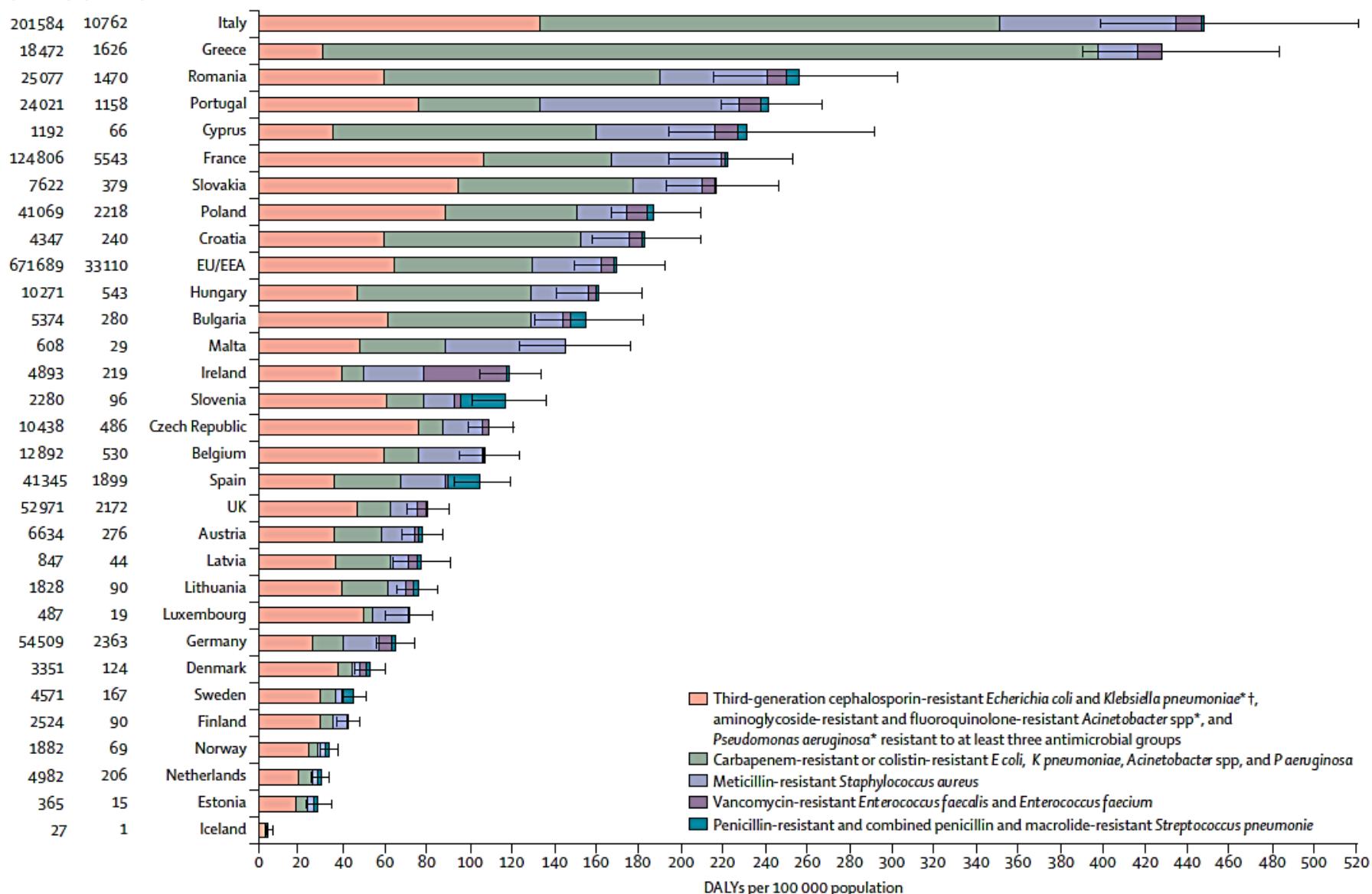


# Review on Antimicrobial Resistance

Tackling drug-resistant infections globally



Cases  
(median)  
Deaths  
(median)



# Attributable deaths and disability-adjusted life-years caused by infections with antibiotic-resistant bacteria in the EU and

Lancet Infect Dis 2019; 56:

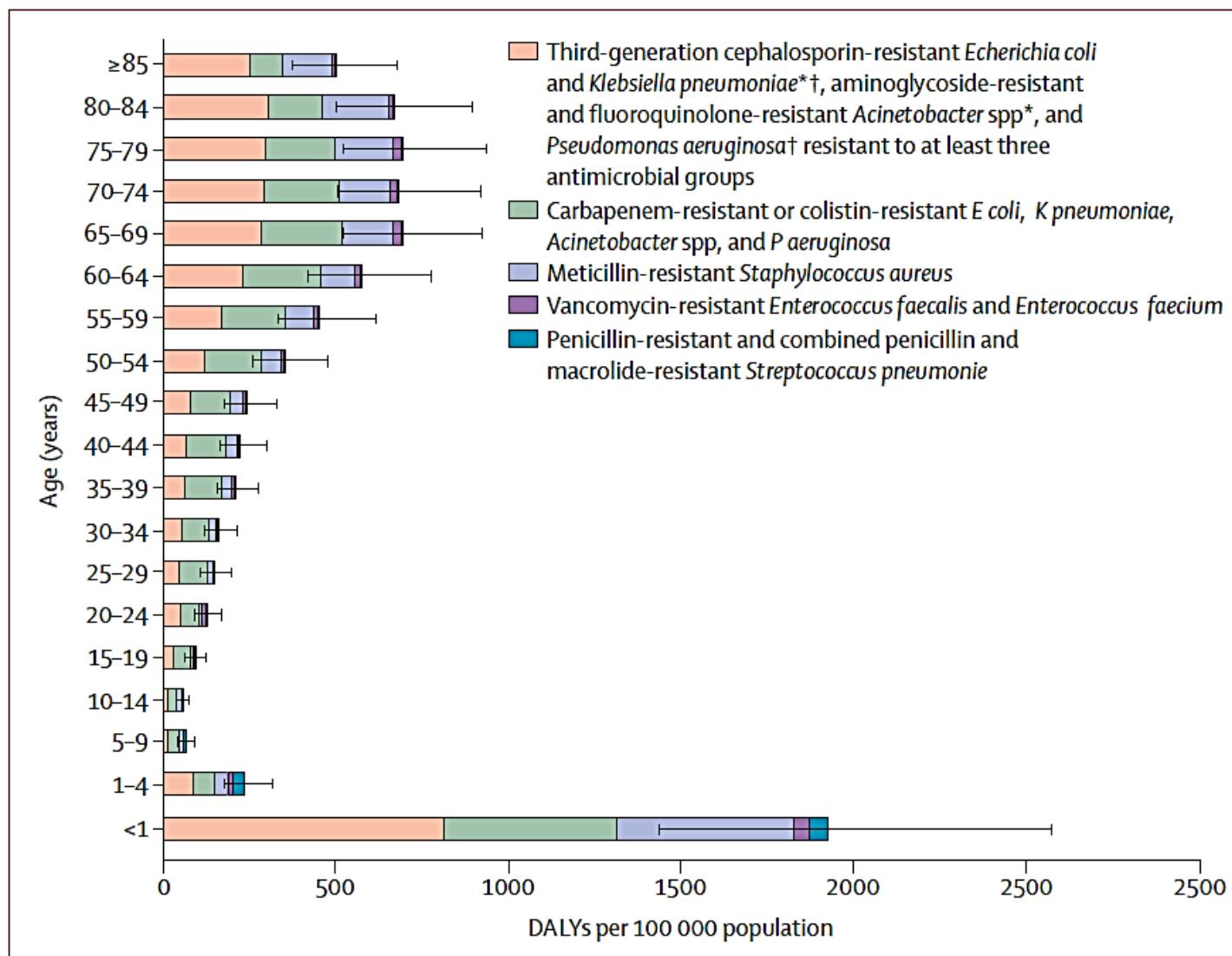
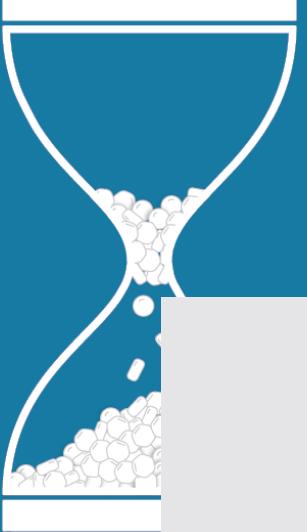


Figure 2: Model estimates of the burden of infections with antibiotic-resistant bacteria of public health importance in DALYs, by age group, EU and European Economic Area, 2015

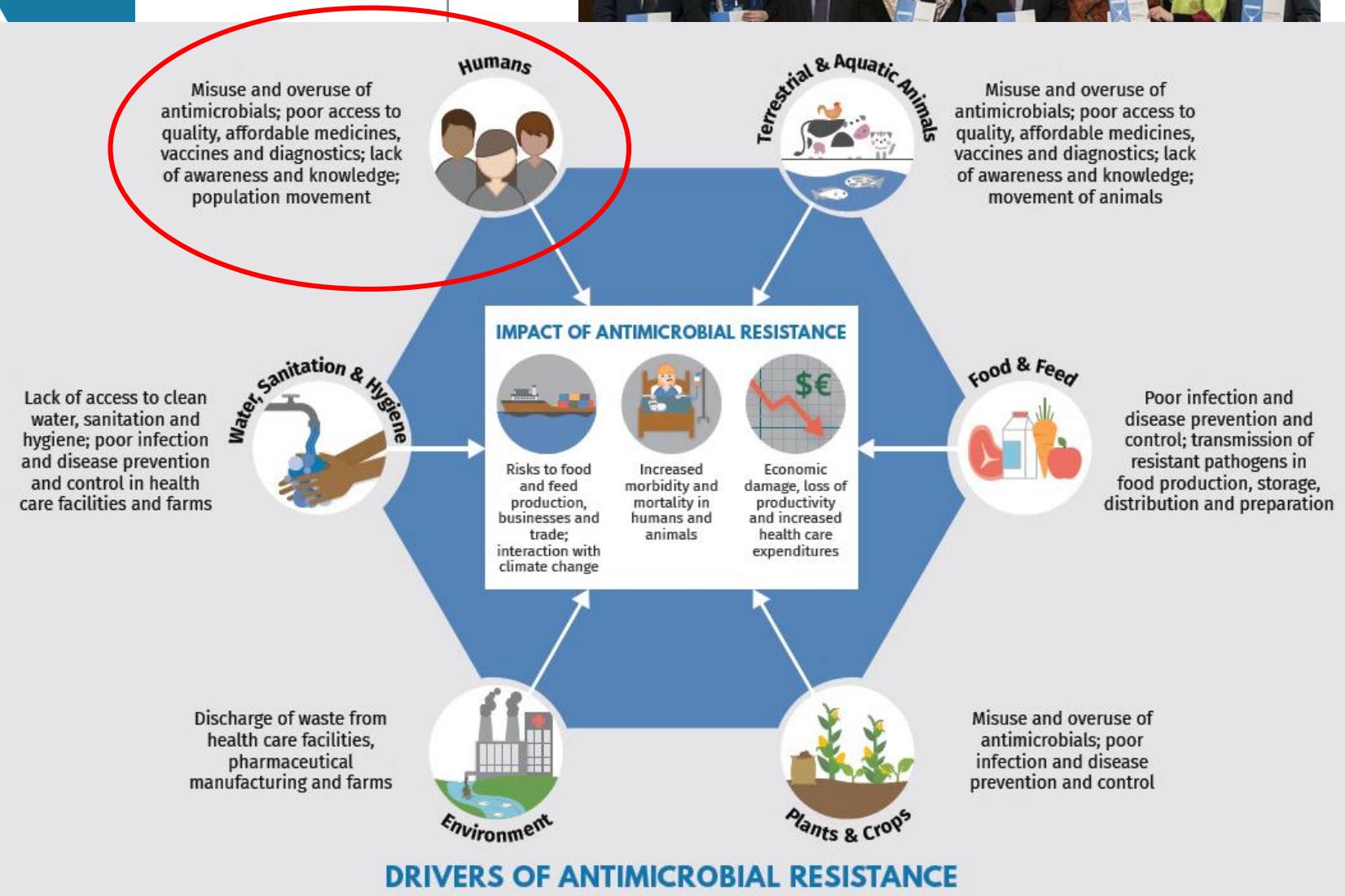


# Attributable deaths and disability-adjusted life-years caused by infections with antibiotic-resistant bacteria in the EU and the European Economic Area in 2015: a population-level modelling analysis

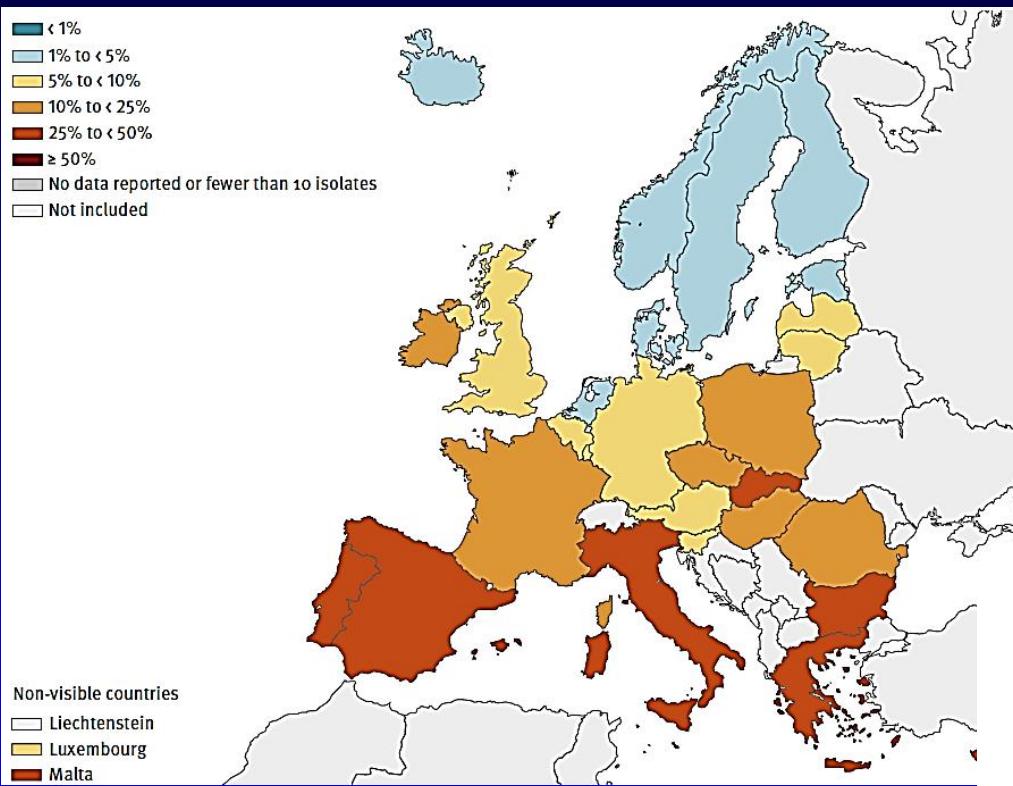
	Median number of infections		Median number of attributable deaths		Factor increase in attributable deaths between 2007 and 2015
	2007	2015	2007	2015	
Third-generation cephalosporin-resistant <i>Escherichia coli</i> *†	70 276 (63 113–77 778)	285 758 (246 318–328 828)	2139 (1901–2420)	8750 (7505–10 262)	4·12 (3·29–5·13)
Meticillin-resistant <i>Staphylococcus aureus</i>	112 782 (103 186–122 006)	143 947 (127 592–161 158)	5340 (4952–5723)	6810 (6096–7559)	1·28 (1·11–1·47)
Carbapenem-resistant <i>Pseudomonas aeruginosa</i>	17 972 (15 685–20 170)	59 529 (51 237–68 238)	1216 (1000–1469)	4008 (3235–4898)	3·29 (2·41–4·46)
Third-generation cephalosporin-resistant <i>Klebsiella pneumoniae</i> * †	16 474 (15 097–17 825)	64 980 (58 360–72 048)	891 (830–950)	3508 (3197–3824)	3·95 (3·51–4·43)
Carbapenem-resistant <i>K pneumoniae</i>	2535 (2125–2952)	15 910 (13 352–18 377)	341 (288–404)	2094 (1779–2460)	6·16 (4·78–8·04)
Vancomycin-resistant <i>Enterococcus faecalis</i> and <i>Enterococcus faecium</i>	8277 (6699–9950)	15 917 (12 900–19 092)	538 (452–652)	1065 (874–1283)	1·95 (1·47–2·58)
Multidrug-resistant <i>P aeruginosa</i> ‡	5603 (4796–6430)	8749 (7470–10 044)	357 (281–439)	556 (447–681)	1·55 (1·11–2·17)
Penicillin-resistant <i>Streptococcus pneumoniae</i> §	2183 (2033–2355)	2817 (2552–3104)	134 (126–143)	171 (159–184)	1·28 (1·15–1·42)
Penicillin-resistant and macrolide-resistant <i>S pneumoniae</i> ¶	1916 (1782–2075)	2386 (2173–2648)	118 (110–126)	145 (135–158)	1·25 (1·12–1·40)
Carbapenem-resistant <i>E coli</i>	543 (442–647)	2616 (2283–2960)	29·2 (22·2–37·6)	141 (118–163)	4·76 (3·51–6·90)
Overall	239 238 (215 544–262 951)	602 609 (524 237–686 497)	11 144 (9999–12 407)	27 249 (23 544–31 471)	2·46 (1·01–3·00)



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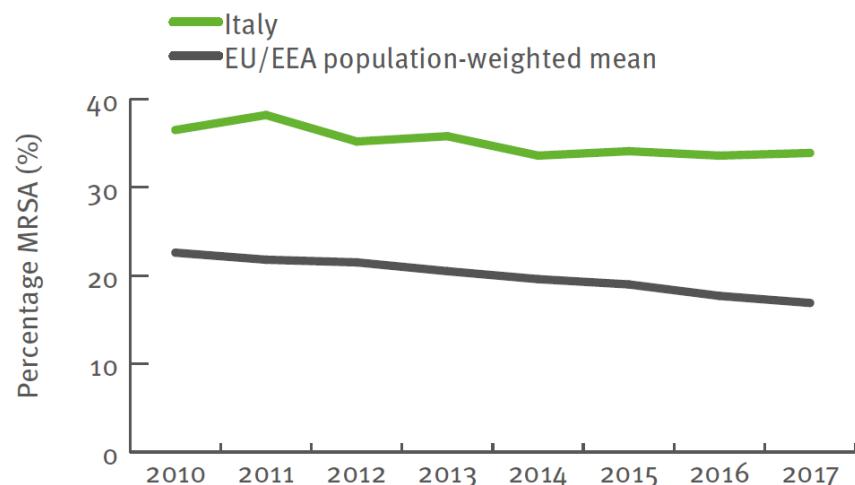
# *Staphylococcus aureus* Resistenza a Oxacillina/Meticillina (MRSA)



## Italy

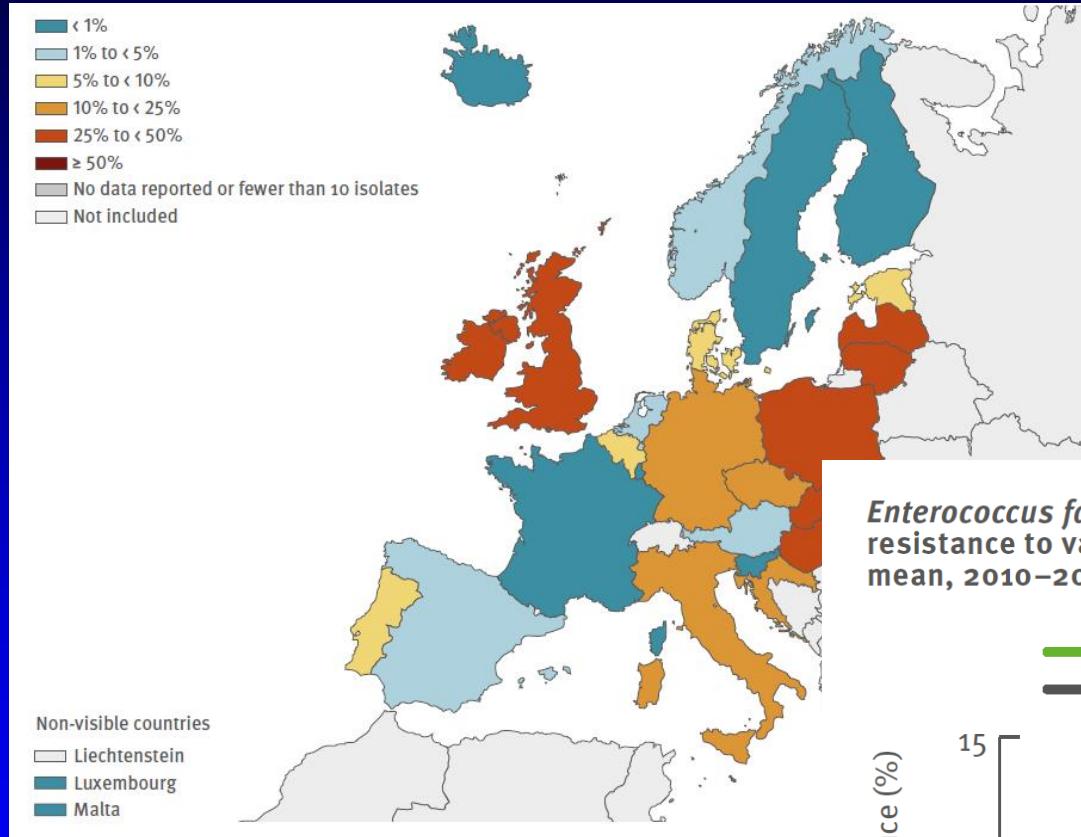
- 2011: 38.2%
- 2012: 35.2%
- 2013: 35.8%
- 2014: 33.6%
- 2015: 34.1%
- 2016: 33.6%
- 2017: 33.9%

*Staphylococcus aureus*. Percentage (%) of invasive isolates with resistance to meticillin (MRSA), Italy and EU/EEA population-weighted mean, 2010–2017



# *Enterococcus faecium*

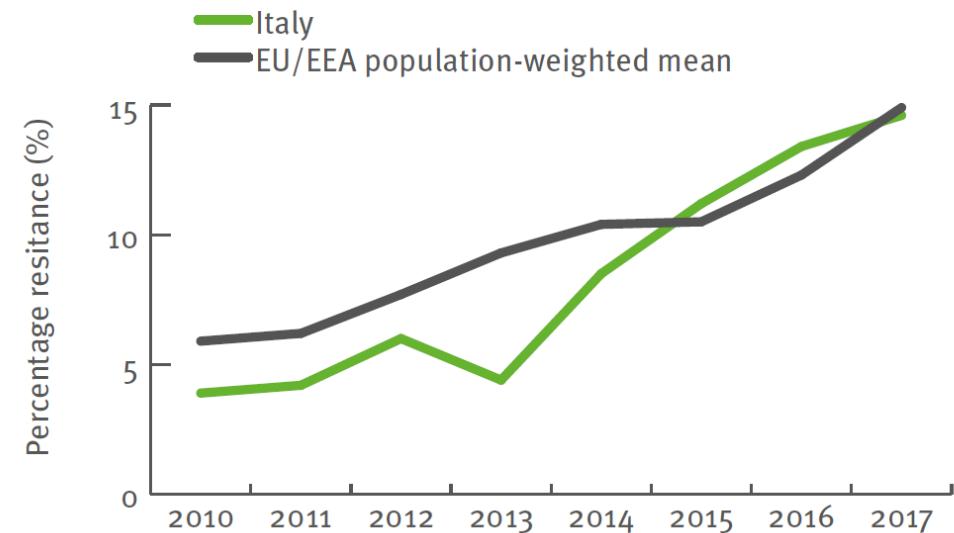
## Invasive isolates with resistance to vancomycin



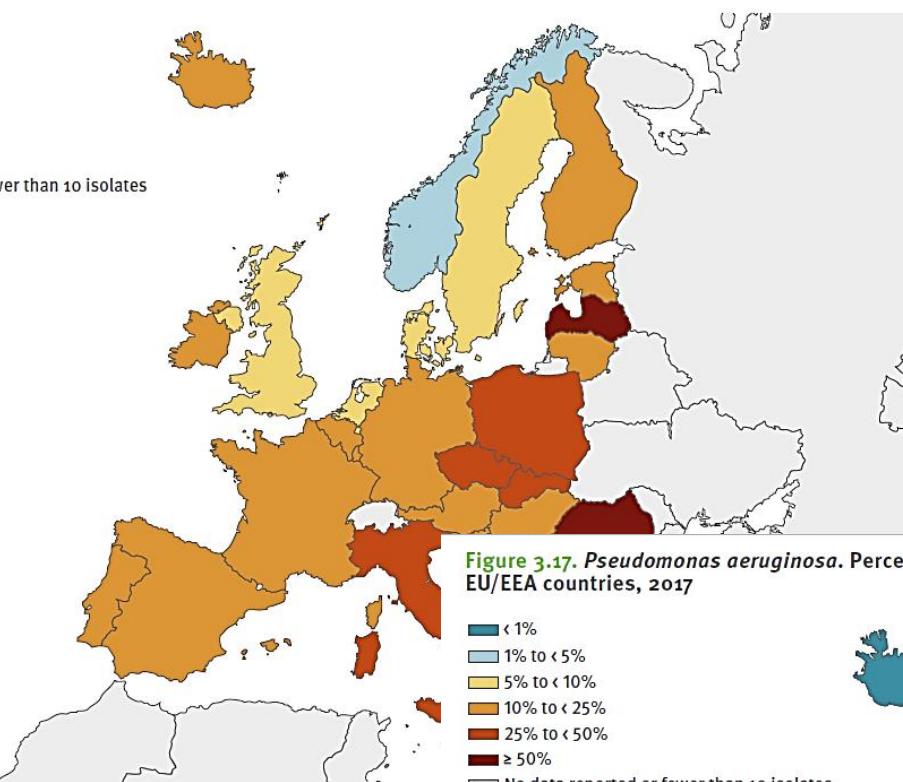
### Italy

- 2013: 4.4%
- 2014: 8.5%
- 2015: 11.2%
- 2016: 13.4%

*Enterococcus faecium*. Percentage (%) of invasive isolates with resistance to vancomycin, Italy and EU/EEA population-weighted mean, 2010–2017



**Figure 3.14.** *Pseudomonas aeruginosa*. Percentage (%) of invasive isolates with resistance to fluoroquinolones, by country, EU/EEA countries, 2017



# *Pseudomonas aeruginosa*

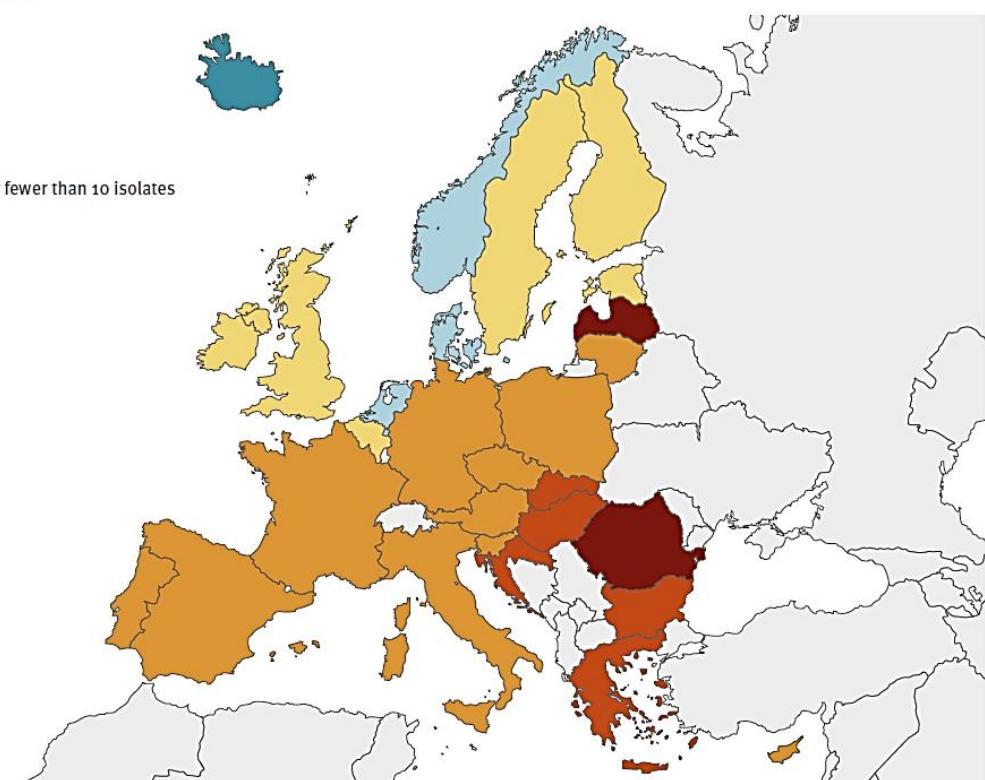
- 2017: 25.1%

**Figure 3.17.** *Pseudomonas aeruginosa*. Percentage (%) of invasive isolates with resistance to carbapenems, by country, EU/EEA countries, 2017



Italy

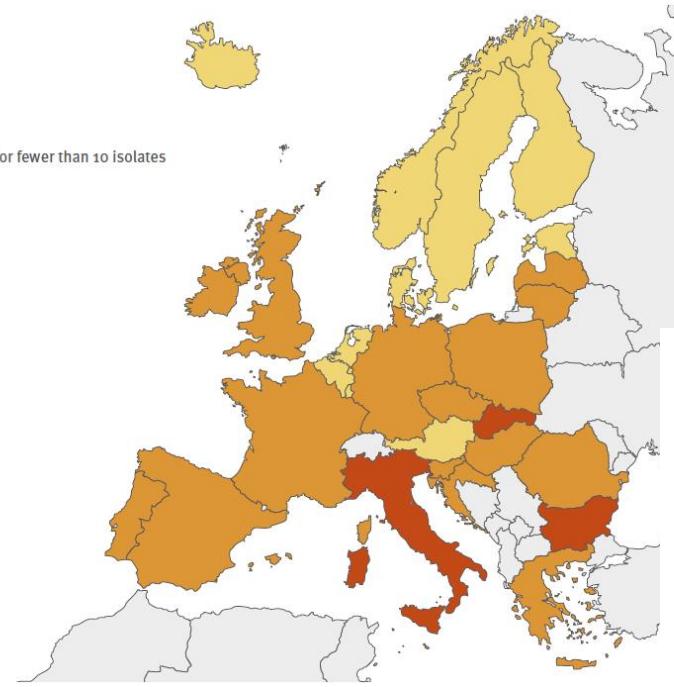
- 2013: 24.7%
- 2014: 23.2%
- 2015: 17.2%
- 2016: 19.1 %
- 2017: 18.0%



Non-visible countries

- Liechtenstein
- Luxembourg
- Malta

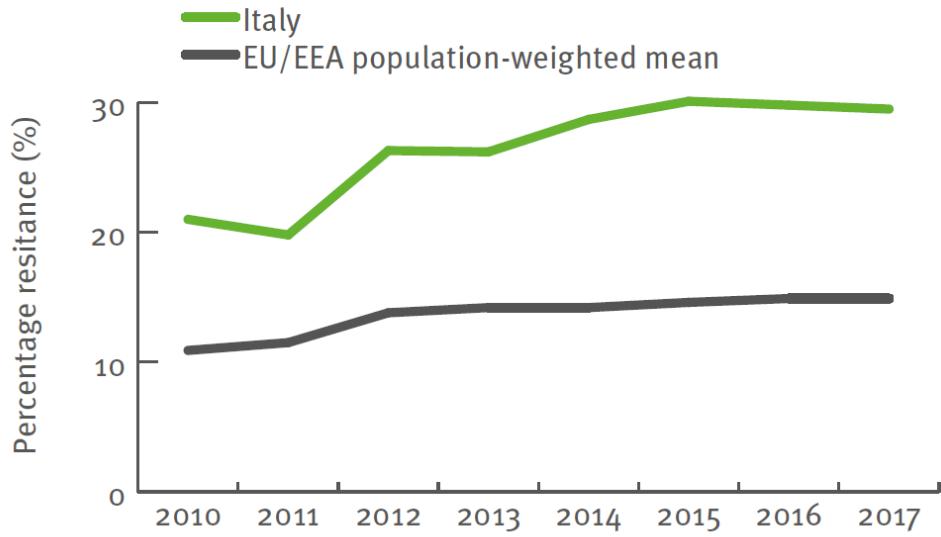
# *Escherichia coli* Invasive isolates with resistance to third-generation cephalosporins



## Italy

- 2014: 28.7%
- 2015: 30.1%

*Escherichia coli*. Percentage (%) of invasive isolates with resistance to third-generation cephalosporins, Italy and EU/EEA population-weighted mean, 2010–2017



# *Escherichia coli*

## Invasive isolates with resistance to carbapenem

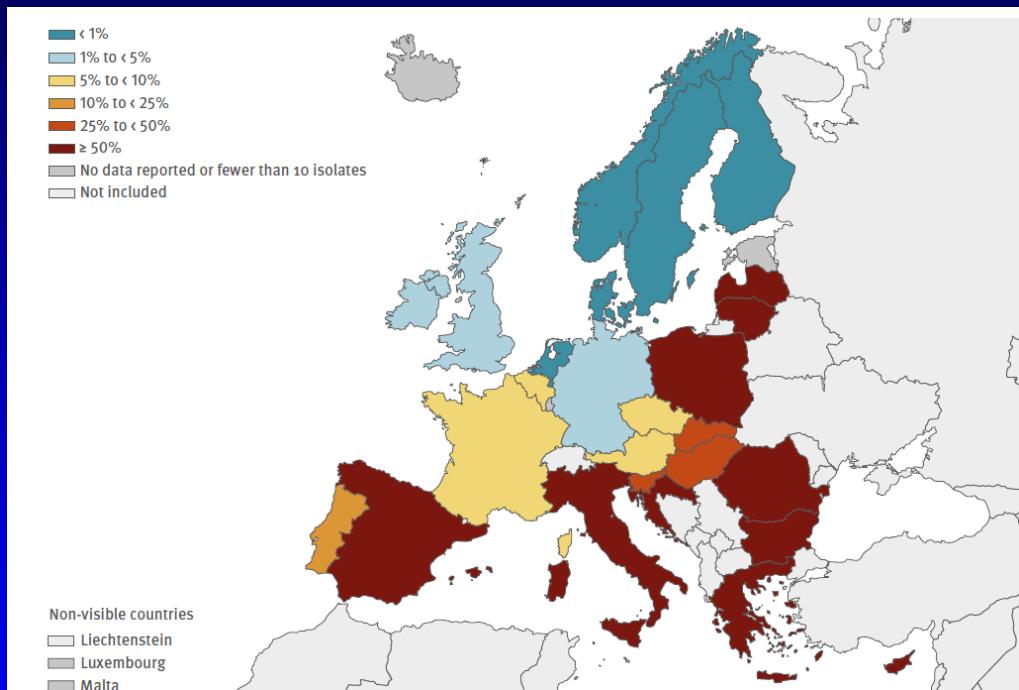


### Italy

- 2014: 0.2%
- 2015: 0.2%
- 2016: 0.3%
- 2017: 0.3%

# *Acinetobacter spp.*

## Invasive isolates with combined resistance to fluoroquinolones, aminoglycosides and carbapenems



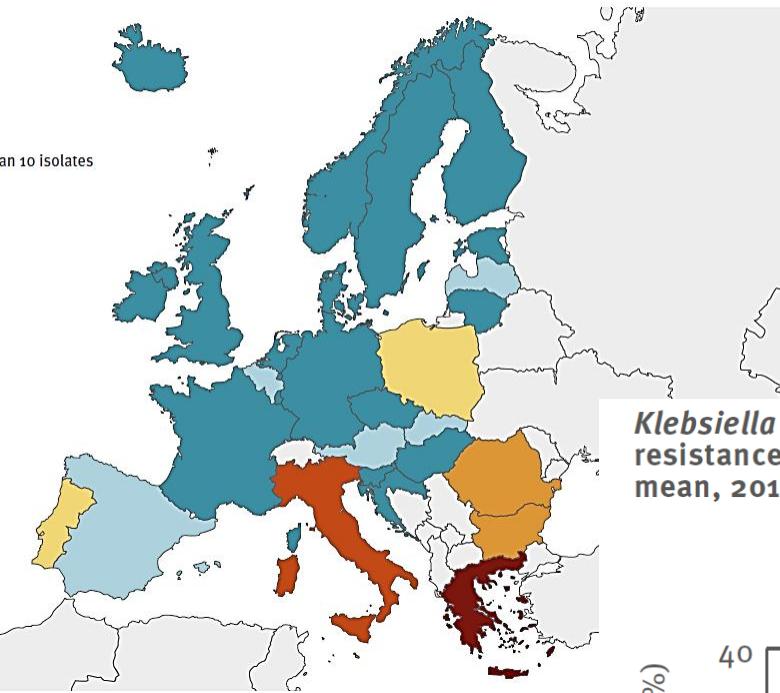
Antibiotico	
Ampicillina/sulbactam	I
Piperacillina/tazobactam	R
Cefepime	R
Cefotaxime	R
Ceftazidime	R
Imipenem	R
Meropenem	R
Amikacina	R
Gentamicina	R
Tetraciclina	R
Ciprofloxacina	R
Colistina	S

# *Klebsiella pneumoniae*

## Invasive isolates with resistance to carbapenems

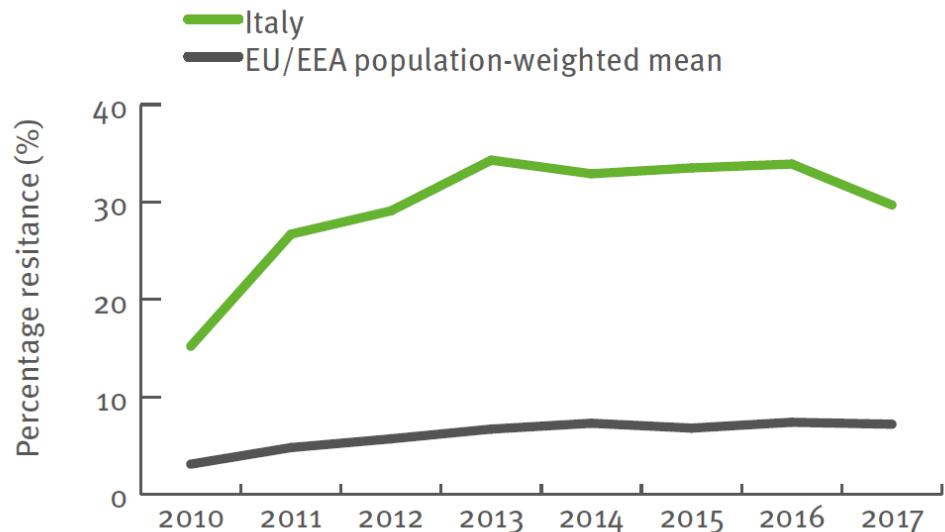
Figure 3.11. *Klebsiella pneumoniae*. Percentage (%) of invasive isolates with resistance to carbapenems, by country, EU/EEA countries, 2017

< 1%  
 1% to < 5%  
 5% to < 10%  
 10% to < 25%  
 25% to < 50%  
 ≥ 50%  
 No data reported or fewer than 10 isolates  
 Not included



Antibiotic	MIC mg/L
Amoxi/Clav	>64 R
Pip/Tazo	>256 R
Ceftriaxone	>64 R
Ceftazidime	>64 R
Cefepime	>64 R
Ertapenem	>32 R

*Klebsiella pneumoniae*. Percentage (%) of invasive isolates with resistance to carbapenems, Italy and EU/EEA population-weighted mean, 2010–2017





# Questi dati rispecchiano la realtà italiana ?

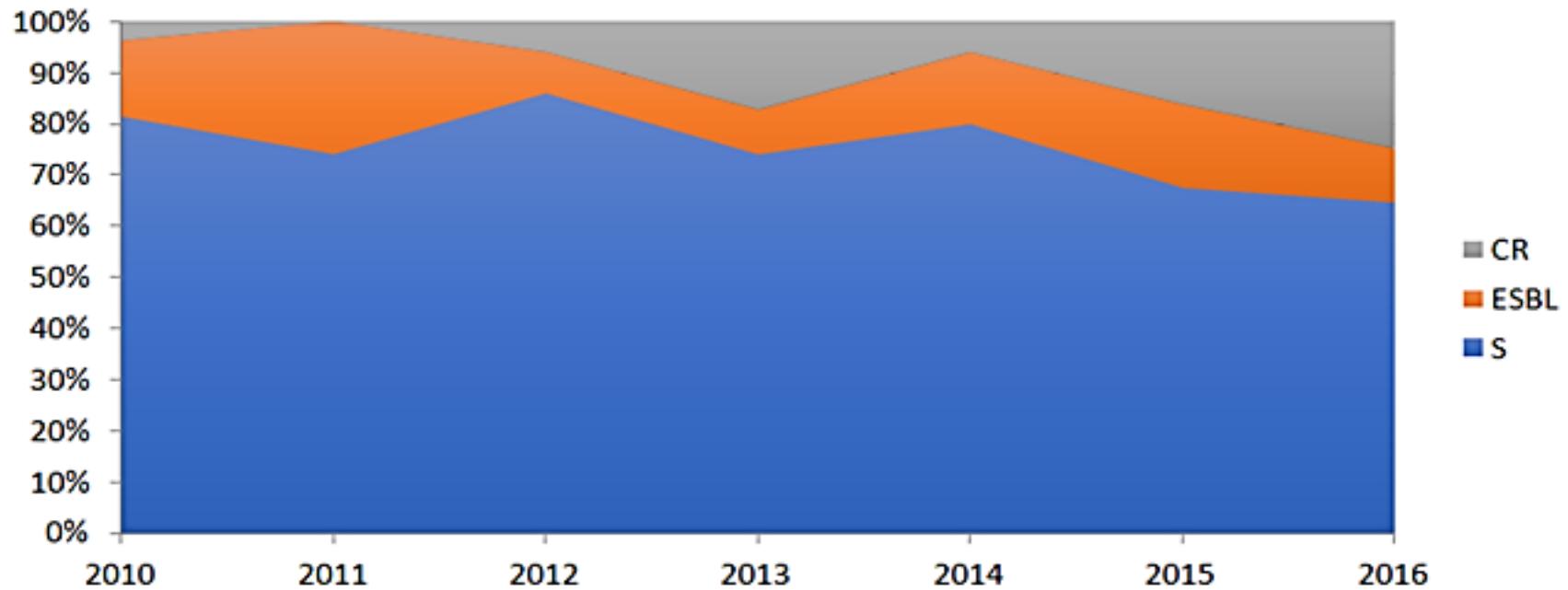
Coverage and representativeness of population,  
hospitals and isolates included in EARS-Net, Italy,  
2014–2017

	2014	2015	2016	2017
Estimated national population coverage (%)	16	15	17	21
Population sample representativeness	Unknown	Unknown	Unknown	Medium
Hospital sample representativeness	Unknown	Unknown	Unknown	Unknown
Blood culture sets/1000 patient-days	31.6	Unknown	Unknown	Unknown
Isolate sample representativeness	Unknown	Unknown	Unknown	Unknown

## AR-ISS - Sistema nazionale di sorveglianza sentinella dell'antibiotico-resistenza

- Differenze tra Regioni e tra Ospedali nella stessa regione
- Valori di percentuale di resistenza più alti al centro-nord per MRSA e per VR-*E. faecium*, al sud per *K. pneumoniae* resistente ai carbapenemi e multiresistenza per *E. coli* e *P. aeruginosa* al centro-sud

# *Klebsiella pneumoniae*



Numero pazienti: 259

Numero batteriemie: 389

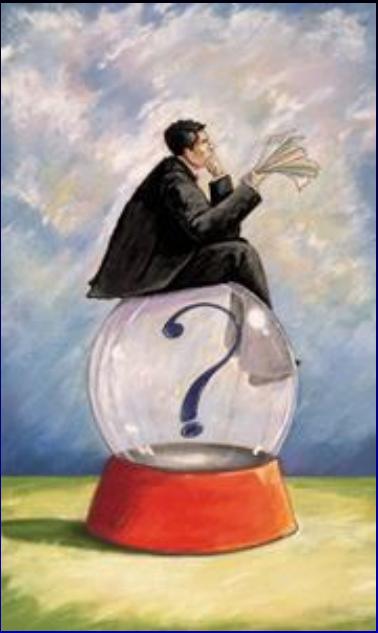
# SPiNCAR - Supporto al Piano Nazionale di Contrastato Antibioticoresistenza

CS N°4/2019 – AL VIA SPiNCAR IL SISTEMA ITALIANO PER CONTRASTARE L'ANTIBIOTICORESISTENZA NELLE AZIENDE SANITARIE E NELLE COMUNITÀ: ISTITUTO, UNIVERSITÀ, ISTITUZIONI SANITARIE E REGIONI INSIEME NEL PIANO D'AZIONE

① 21 Marzo 2019  Comunicati Stampa

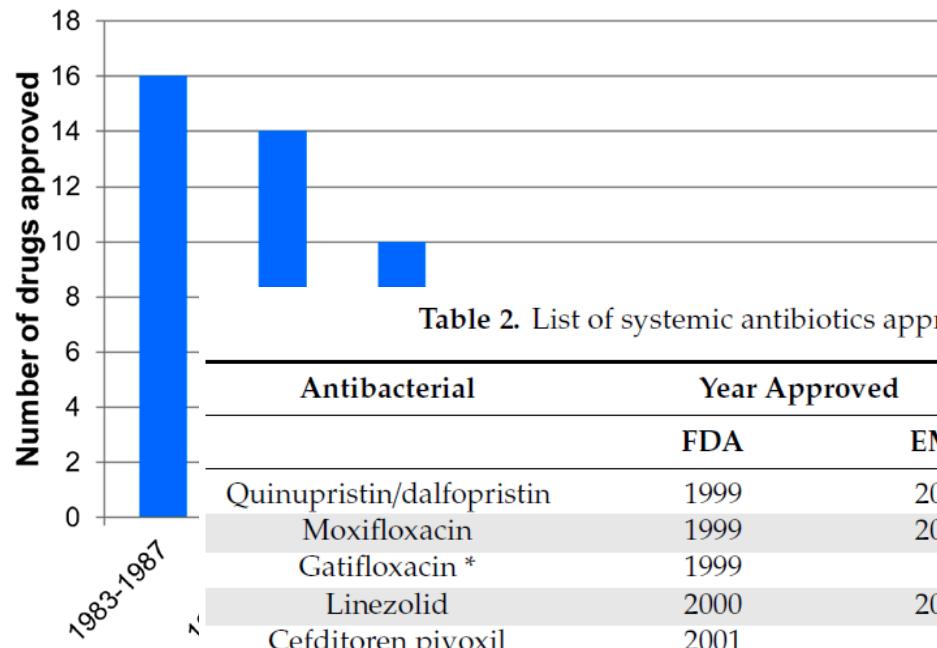
ISS, 21 marzo 2019

- Raccogliere dati per definire la situazione attuale nelle diverse realtà, tramite una piattaforma informatica, coordinata dall'Istituto Superiore di Sanità
- Identificare standard minimi e percorsi per incentivare miglioramenti continui, anche grazie alla collaborazione di esperti di vari enti, tra cui EMA e OCSE.



# Cosa fare ?

In arrivo qualche nuovo antibiotico,  
ma soprattutto miglioramento della  
gestione della terapia antibiotica



**Table 2.** List of systemic antibiotics approved by the FDA and EMA since 1999.

Antibacterial	Year Approved		Novel Mechanism?	Spectra
	FDA	EMA		
Quinupristin/dalfopristin	1999	2000	No	GPB
Moxifloxacin	1999	2001	No	GPB-GNB
Gatifloxacin *	1999	/	No	GPB-GNB
Linezolid	2000	2001	Yes	GPB
Cefditoren pivoxil	2001	/	No	GPB-GNB
Ertapenem	2001	2002	No	GNB-GPB
Gemifloxacin *	2003	/	No	GPB-GNB
Daptomycin	2003	2006	Yes	GPB
Telithromycin *	2004	2001	No	GPB
Tigecycline	2005	2006	Yes	GPB-GNB
Doripenem *	2007	2008	No	GNB-GPB
Telavancin	2009	2011	Yes	GPB
Ceftarolin fosamil	2010	2012	No	GPB-GNB
Ceftolozane-tazobactam	2014	2015	No	GNB-GPB
Tedizolid	2014	2015	No	GPB
Oritavancin	2014	2015	No	GPB
Dalbavancin	2014	2015	No	GPB
Ceftazidime-avibactam	2015	2016	No	GNB
Meropenem-vaborbactam	2017	2018	No	GPB-GNB
Delafloxacin	2017	/	No	GPB-GNB
Omadacycline	2018	/	No	GPB-GNB

Modified from [10] and completed with [11,12]. FDA: Food and Drug Administration; EMA: European Medicines Agency; \*: withdraw from the market; /: not approved, so far, by EMA; GPB: Gram-positive bacteria; GNB: Gram-negative bacteria.

**Figure 2.** Evolution of the FL completed with References [1]

# Summary of Systemic Novel Antibiotics against Gram-positive bacteria approved by FDA and/or EMA during last decade

Drug	Antibiotic class	Spectrum		
		MRSA	Vanco I staph	VRE/vanco R staph
Ceftaroline (Zinforo®)	Cephalosporin	X		
Ceftobiprole (Mabelio®)	Cephalosporin	X		
Telavancin //	Lipoglycopeptide	X	X	
Dalbavancin (Xydalba®)	Lipoglycopeptide	X		
Oritavancin *(Orbactiv®)	Glycopeptide	X	X	X
Tedizolid (Sivextro®)	Oxazolidinone	X	X	X
Delafloxacin (FDA)	Fluoroquinolone	X		
Omadacycline (FDA)	Tetracycline	X		?

// Withdrawn; \*Not available in Italy

# Summary of Novel Antibiotics for the Treatment of Carbapenem-Resistant Gram-negative Bacilli

Antibiotic class	Drug	CRE			MDR <i>Pseudomonas</i>		MDR <i>Acinetobacter</i>
		KPC	Oxa48	MBL	MDR	MBL	
Ceph + BLI	<u>Ceftolozane tazobactam</u> (Zerbaxa®)				X		
	<u>Ceftazidime- avibactam</u> (Zavicefta®)	X	X		X		
	Ceftaroline-Avibactam (phase I)	X	X		?		
Carbapenem + BLI	Imipenem- relebactam (FDA)	X					
	Meropenem-vaborbactam (FDA, EMA)	X					
Monobactams + BLI	Aztreonam-avibactam (phase III)	X	X	X	X	X	
Aminoglycosides	Plazomicin (FDA)	X	X	X	X	X	?
Tetracyclines	Ervacycline (FDA)	X	X	X			X
	Omadacycline (FDA)	X	X	X			X
Cephalosporins	Cefiderocol (FDA, EMA)	X	X	X	X	X	X

From multiple studies

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## **Regional outbreak of New Delhi metallo-beta-lactamase-producing carbapenem-resistant Enterobacteriaceae, Italy, 2018–2019**

4 June 2019

- Italy reported an outbreak of NDM-producing CRE affecting 7 hospitals in the northwestern area of Tuscany, with 350 cases reported between November 2018-May 2019.
- Among these cases, there were 50 with bloodstream infection, 43 with isolation in the urine, 15 with isolation in respiratory tract samples and 242 with gastrointestinal tract carriage.
- The change in the type of carbapenemase further reduces treatment options because NDM-producing CRE are not susceptible to some of the new beta-lactam/beta-lactamase inhibitor combinations such as ceftazidime-avibactam and meropenem-vaborbactam.
- The isolates are resistant to aminoglycosides but retain susceptibility to fosfomycin and colistin

# Raccomandazioni per le strategie terapeutiche per le infezioni da batteri resistenti ai carbapenemi

- Combinazione di più molecole:
  - Vecchie molecole come aminoglicosidi, COLISTINA, tigeciclina, FOSFOMICINA, Minociclina
  - Nuove molecole
- Ottimizzazione della durata del trattamento per fare in modo che duri il meno possibile ma con dosi corrette
- Migliorare la capacità diagnostica

# Colistin alone versus colistin plus meropenem for treatment of severe infections caused by carbapenem-resistant Gram-negative bacteria: an open-label, randomised controlled trial



Mical Paul, George L Daikos, Emanuele Durante-Mangoni, Dafna Yahav, Yehuda Carmeli, Yael Dishon Benattar, Anna Skiada, Roberto Andini, Noa Eliakim-Raz, Amir Nutman, Oren Zusman, Anastasia Antoniadou, Pia Clara Pafundi, Amos Adler, Yaakov Dickstein, Ioannis Pavleas, Rosa Zampino, Vered Daitch, Roni Bitterman, Hiba Zayyad, Fidi Koppel, Inbar Levi, Tanya Babich, Lena E Friberg, Johan W Mouton, Ursula Theuretzbacher, Leonard Leibovici

## Summary

**Background** Colistin–carbapenem combinations are synergistic in vitro against carbapenem-resistant Gram-negative bacteria. We aimed to test whether combination therapy improves clinical outcomes for adults with infections caused by carbapenem-resistant or carbapenemase-producing Gram-negative bacteria.

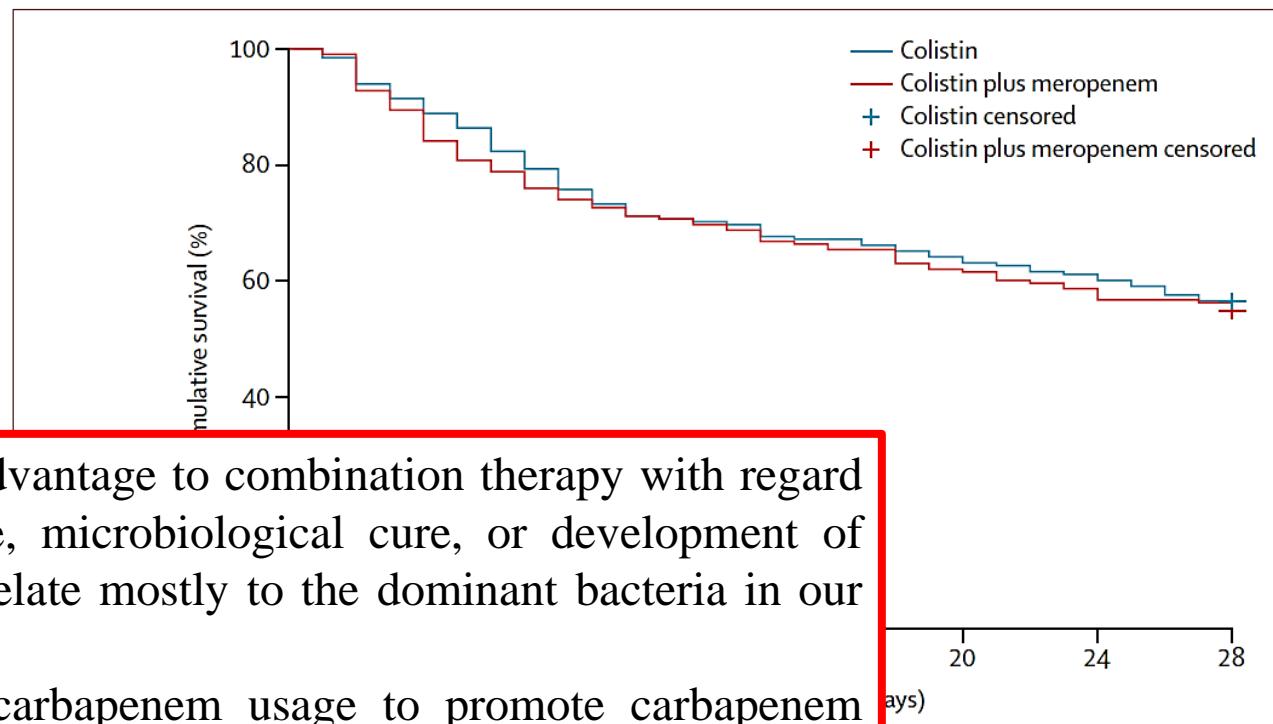
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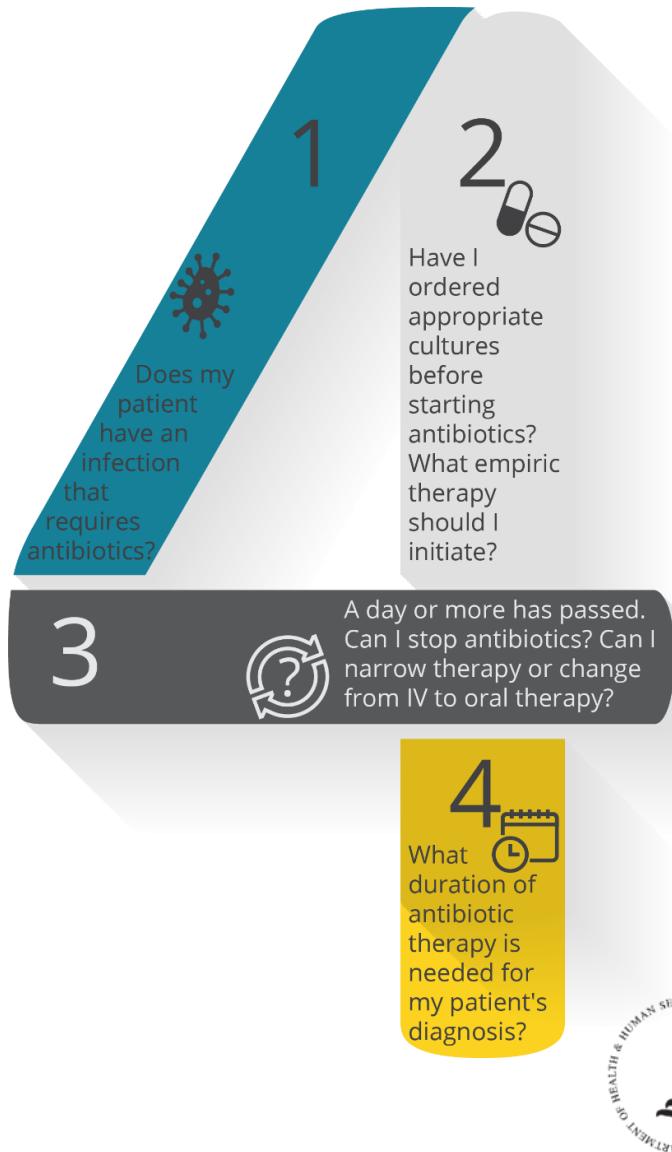
February 15, 2018

**Methods** A randomised controlled superiority trial was done in six



- We did not observe an advantage to combination therapy with regard to survival, clinical cure, microbiological cure, or development of resistance. Our results relate mostly to the dominant bacteria in our cohort, *A baumannii*.
- Given the potential of carbapenem usage to promote carbapenem resistance, we recommend against the routine use of carbapenems for the treatment of carbapenem-resistant *A baumannii* infections..

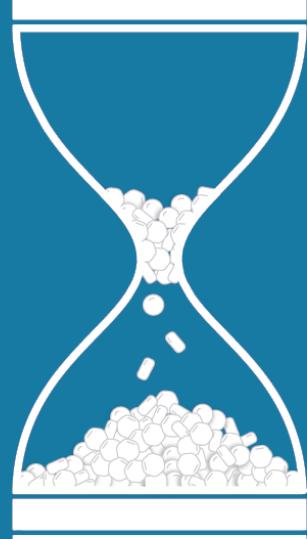
# The Four Moments of Antibiotic Decision-Making



1. Does my patient have an infection that requires antibiotics?
2. Have I ordered appropriate cultures before starting antibiotics? What empiric therapy should I initiate?
3. A day or more has passed. Can I stop antibiotics? Can I narrow therapy or change from IV to oral therapy?
4. What duration of antibiotic therapy is needed for my patient's diagnosis?



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## NO TIME TO WAIT: SECURING THE FUTURE FROM DRUG-RESISTANT INFECTIONS

### ONE HEALTH RESPONSE TO ANTIMICROBIAL RESISTANCE



Humans



Food & Feed



Plants & Crops



Environment



Terrestrial &  
Aquatic Animals

Antimicrobial resistance is a global crisis. There is no time to wait.  
A sustained One Health response with a shared vision and goals is essential to tackle antimicrobial  
resistance and achieve the Sustainable Development Goals.

Interagency Coordination Group on Antimicrobial Resistance Recommendations

ACCELERATE  
PROGRESS  
IN COUNTRIES

INNOVATE TO  
SECURE THE  
FUTURE

COLLABORATE FOR  
MORE EFFECTIVE  
ACTION

INVEST FOR A  
SUSTAINABLE  
RESPONSE

STRENGTHEN  
ACCOUNTABILITY AND  
GLOBAL GOVERNANCE

### SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT GOALS



1 NO  
POVERTY



2 ZERO  
HUNGER



3 GOOD  
HEALTH  
AND WELL-BEING



6 CLEAN WATER  
AND SANITATION



9 INDUSTRY, INNOVATION  
AND INFRASTRUCTURE



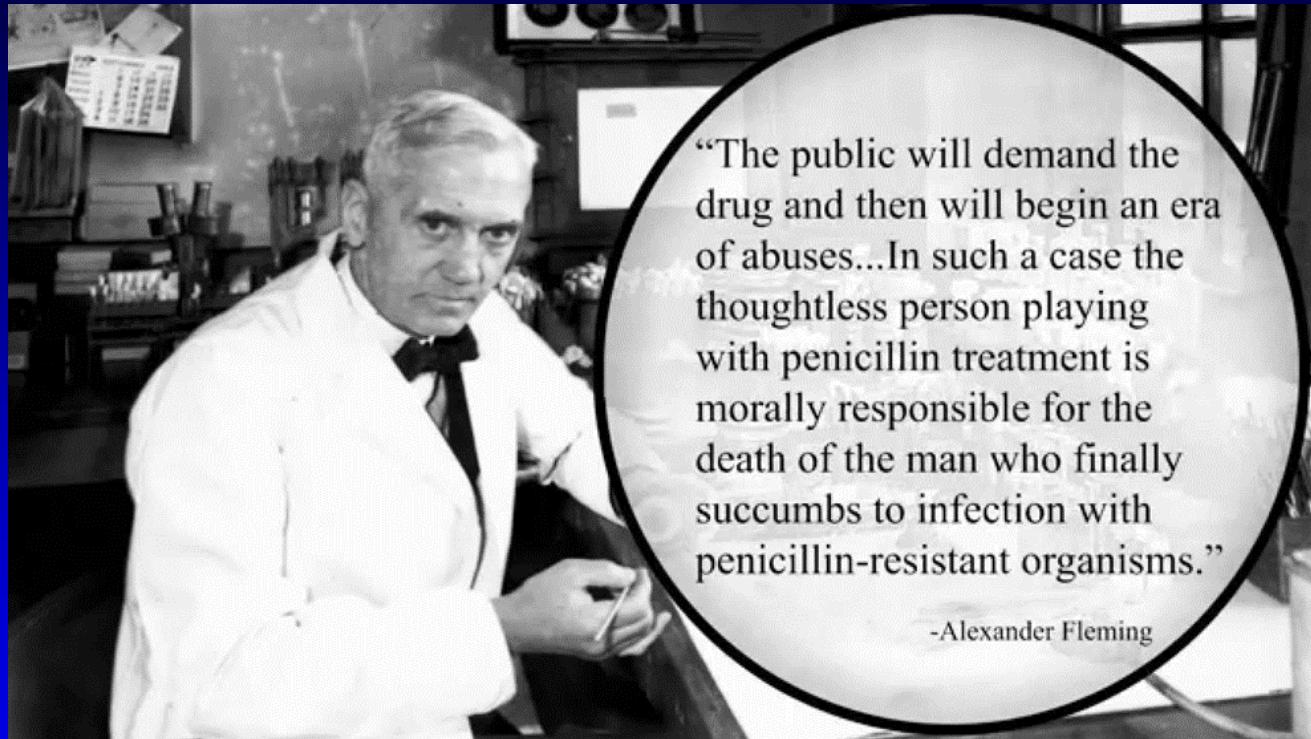
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INEQUALITIES



12 RESPONSIBLE  
CONSUMPTION  
AND PRODUCTION



17 PARTNERSHIPS  
FOR THE GOALS



“The public will demand the drug and then will begin an era of abuses...In such a case the thoughtless person playing with penicillin treatment is morally responsible for the death of the man who finally succumbs to infection with penicillin-resistant organisms.”

-Alexander Fleming

*Grazie*



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