## **Self-Assessment for Antibiotic Stewardship Team in Inpatient Healthcare Facilities**

This tool assesses core elements, structure, education and training, facility processes, and the presence or absence of activities related to antibiotic stewardship practices.

To complete the assessment tool, members of the antibiotic stewardship team at the HCF should provide one response per question based on the following options:

- Yes = the activity/core element is in place and is fully implemented
- Partially implemented = the activity/core element is in place but is only partially implemented requiring further action or strengthening
- No = the activity/core element is not in place or has not been implemented

## OR

Members of the antibiotic stewardship team at the HCF should "select all that apply" based on the provided answer choices for relevant questions.

Facility Characteristics		
Facility Name		
Number of Licensed Beds		

ID	Respondent Name	Hospital Department/Unit	Preferred Contact (Email/Phone)	Domain Completed	Date of Completion

#	Item	Assessment	Score (points)	Notes/Comments
	DO	MAIN I: LEADERSHIP COMMITMENT 8	ACCOUNTABILITY	
1	Is antibiotic stewardship identified as a priority by the health-care facility management/ leadership?	☐ Yes ☐ Partially implemented ☐ No	Yes = 5 Partially implemented = 2.5 No = 0	
2	Are antibiotic stewardship activities included in health-care facility annual plans with key performance indicators?	☐ Yes ☐ Partially implemented ☐ No	Yes = 5 Partially implemented = 2.5 No = 0	
3	Is there a mechanism to regularly monitor and measure the implementation of antibiotic stewardship activities?	☐ Yes ☐ Partially implemented ☐ No	Yes = 5 Partially implemented = 2.5 No = 0	
4	Does your healthcare facility have an antibiotic stewardship committee that reviews policies, procedures, treatment guidelines, and operational considerations related to antibiotic stewardship?	☐ Yes ☐ Partially implemented ☐ No	Yes = 5 Partially implemented = 2.5 No = 0	The antibiotic stewardship committee is either a standalone committee or integrated into an existing committee that provides support and oversight of the antibiotic stewardship activities in a healthcare facility.
5	Who are the members of the <b>antibiotic stewardship committee</b> at your healthcare facility ( <i>select all that apply</i> )?	SELECT ALL THAT APPLY:  ☐ infection prevention and control (IPC) physician(s) ☐ IPC nurse(s) ☐ non-IPC nurse(s) ☐ infectious diseases trained physician(s) or clinician(s) with experience practicing infectious diseases ☐ intensive care unit physician(s) ☐ surgeon ☐ general medicine physician(s) ☐ other physician(s) ☐ infectious diseases trained pharmacist(s) or pharmacist with experience practicing infectious	5 points = ≥7 healthcare professionals selected 2.5 points = 1-7 healthcare professionals selected 0 points = none or not applicable	

		diseases  other clinical pharmacist(s)  other staff pharmacist(s)  senior healthcare facility leader(s)  clinical microbiologist(s)  information technology specialist(s)  not applicable other, please specify:  If other physician(s) or clinical pharmacist(s) were selected, indicate specialty:		
6	Does the <b>antibiotic stewardship committee</b> meet on a regular basis (minimum monthly or quarterly)?	☐ Yes ☐ Partially implemented ☐ No	Yes = 5 Partially implemented = 2.5 No = 0	
7- 7D	SUPPLEMENTAL TABLE A		Score only Question 7:  5 points = infectious diseases trained physician or clinician with experience practicing infectious diseases AND infectious diseases trained pharmacist(s) OR other clinical pharmacist(s) OR other staff pharmacist(s) (if pharmacists are present at HCF) AND clinical microbiologist (if microbiologist is present at HCF)  2.5 points = anything selected that does not meet criteria for 5 points 0 points = none or not applicable	The antibiotic stewardship team is an individual or team of healthcare workers who work to routinely implement antibiotic stewardship activities.
8	Does the <b>antibiotic stewardship team</b> meet on a regular basis?	<ul><li>☐ Yes</li><li>☐ Partially implemented</li><li>☐ No</li></ul>	Yes = 5 Partially implemented = 2.5 No = 0	
9	Does the antibiotic stewardship committee or team have authority to make decisions about policies or procedures related to antibiotic use at your healthcare facility?	☐ Yes ☐ Partially implemented ☐ No	Yes = 5 Partially implemented = 2.5 No = 0	

10	Which hospital department(s) or healthcare teams does your antibiotic stewardship committee or team collaborate with (select all that apply)?	SELECT ALL THAT APPLY:  ☐ infection prevention and control ☐ infectious diseases ☐ patient safety ☐ quality ☐ pharmacy ☐ microbiology ☐ drug and therapeutics committee ☐ HIV/tuberculosis (TB) team ☐ surgery or operating theater ☐ not applicable ☐ other, please specify:	5 points = ≥2 selected 2.5 points = 1 selected 0 points = none or not applicable	
11	Does the healthcare facility participate in any external networks (e.g., multicenter studies, research or quality improvement collaboratives, data sharing consortiums) related to antibiotic stewardship?	☐ Yes ☐ Partially implemented ☐ No	Yes = 5 Partially implemented = 2.5 No = 0	
12	Who is involved in antibiotic formulary/procurement decisions at your healthcare facility (select all that apply)?	SELECT ALL THAT APPLY:  ☐ infectious diseases trained physician(s) or clinician(s) with experience practicing infectious diseases ☐ infectious diseases trained pharmacist(s) or pharmacist with experience practicing infectious diseases ☐ other clinical pharmacist(s) ☐ other staff pharmacist(s) ☐ member(s) of antibiotic stewardship team ☐ clinical microbiologist(s) ☐ not applicable ☐ other, please specify:	5 points = infectious diseases trained physician or clinician with experience practicing infectious diseases AND infectious diseases trained pharmacist(s) OR other clinical pharmacist(s) OR other staff pharmacist(s) (if pharmacists are present at HCF) AND clinical microbiologist (if microbiologist is present at HCF)  2.5 points = some selected but does not meet criteria for 5 points  0 points = none or not applicable	
13	Is the evidence related to the safety, efficacy, and cost of new antibiotics evaluated before adding to the formulary at your healthcare facility?	☐ Yes ☐ Partially implemented ☐ No	Yes = 5 Partially implemented = 2.5 No = 0	

	DOMAIN II: RESOURCES			
14	Has the healthcare facility allocated human and financial resources to initiate antibiotic stewardship activities?	☐ Yes ☐ Partially implemented ☐ No	Yes = 5 Partially implemented = 2.5 No = 0	
15	Which of the following are physically present at your healthcare facility (select all that apply)?	SELECT ALL THAT APPLY:  ☐ infectious diseases trained physician(s) or clinician(s) with experience practicing infectious diseases ☐ infectious diseases trained pharmacist(s) or pharmacist with experience practicing infectious diseases ☐ other clinical pharmacist(s) ☐ other staff pharmacist(s) ☐ other staff pharmacist(s) ☐ clinical microbiologist(s) ☐ not applicable ☐ other, please specify:	5 points = infectious diseases trained physician or clinician with experience practicing infectious diseases AND infectious diseases trained pharmacist(s) OR other clinical pharmacist(s) OR other staff pharmacist(s) (if pharmacists are present at HCF) AND clinical microbiologist (if microbiologist is present at HCF)  2.5 points = anything selected that does not meet criteria for 5 points  0 points = none or not applicable	
16	Does the antibiotic stewardship team have an office or physical space to perform antibiotic stewardship activities?	☐ Yes ☐ Partially implemented ☐ No	Yes = 5 Partially implemented = 2.5 No = 0	
17	Does the antibiotic stewardship team have the basic equipment (e.g., telephone, computer) to perform antibiotic stewardship activities?	☐ Yes ☐ Partially implemented ☐ No	Yes = 5 Partially implemented = 2.5 No = 0	
18	Does your healthcare facility have information and decision support systems in place to support antibiotic stewardship activities (e.g., review and optimization of antibiotic prescriptions, pre-authorization)?	☐ Yes ☐ Partially implemented ☐ No	Yes = 5 Partially implemented = 2.5 No = 0	
19	Which of the following can the antibiotic stewardship team access (select all that apply)?	SELECT ALL THAT APPLY:  □ electronic medical record □ antibiotics purchased □ antibiotics dispensed □ antibiotic administration records □ syndromic antibiogram (e.g., antibiogram with urine cultures)	5 points = ≥2 selected 2.5 points = 1 selected 0 points = none or not applicable	

		☐ cumulative antibiogram ☐ not applicable		
20	Which data are available electronically at your healthcare facility (select all that apply)?	SELECT ALL THAT APPLY:  ☐ antibiotic consumption ☐ antibiotic use ☐ antibiotic resistance ☐ antibiotic cost ☐ administrative data (e.g., patient days, discharges) ☐ not applicable ☐ other, please specify:	5 points = ≥2 selected 2.5 points = 1 selected 0 points = none or not applicable	
21	Does the antibiotic stewardship team have access to updated evidence in the form of peer-reviewed scientific literature (e.g., published research)?	☐ Yes ☐ Partially implemented ☐ No	Yes = 5 Partially implemented = 2.5 No = 0	
22	Does the health-care facility have access to laboratory and imaging services (on-site or off-site) that can be used to support antibiotic stewardship interventions?	☐ Yes ☐ Partially implemented ☐ No	Yes = 5 Partially implemented = 2.5 No = 0	
23	Is the clinical microbiology laboratory used by your healthcare facility (on-site or off-site) open 24 hours per day to receive, process, and report microbiologic specimens?	☐ Yes ☐ Partially implemented ☐ No	Yes = 5 Partially implemented = 2.5 No = 0	
24	Is the clinical microbiology laboratory used by your healthcare facility (on-site or off-site) accredited?	☐ Yes ☐ Partially implemented ☐ No	Yes = 5 Partially implemented = 2.5 No = 0	
25	Does the clinical microbiology laboratory used by your healthcare facility (on-site or off-site) have a quality management system?	☐ Yes ☐ Partially implemented ☐ No	Yes = 5 Partially implemented = 2.5 No = 0	
26	Does the clinical microbiology laboratory used by your healthcare facility (on-site or off-site) have an electronic laboratory information system?	☐ Yes ☐ Partially implemented ☐ No	Yes = 5 Partially implemented = 2.5 No = 0	

	DOMAIN III: EDUCATION & TRAINING			
27	Does the healthcare facility provide training on antibiotic stewardship (e.g., optimizing antibiotic use) in the staff induction training?	☐ Yes ☐ Partially implemented ☐ No	Yes = 5 Partially implemented = 2.5 No = 0	
28	Does the healthcare facility offer continuous in-service training or continuous professional development on antibiotic stewardship and IPC to staff?	☐ Yes ☐ Partially implemented ☐ No	Yes = 5 Partially implemented = 2.5 No = 0	
29	Does your healthcare facility provide training on antibiotic stewardship to students or trainees rotating at your healthcare facility?	☐ Yes ☐ Partially implemented ☐ No	Yes = 5 Partially implemented = 2.5 No = 0	
30	Does the healthcare facility provide training for the antibiotic stewardship team on antibiotic stewardship/IPC?	<ul><li>☐ Yes</li><li>☐ Partially implemented</li><li>☐ No</li></ul>	Yes = 5 Partially implemented = 2.5 No = 0	
31	Does your healthcare facility provide patients and/or families with education about antibiotics?	☐ Yes ☐ Partially implemented ☐ No	Yes = 5 Partially implemented = 2.5 No = 0	
		DOMAIN IV: ANTIBIOTIC STEWARDS	SHIP ACTIONS	
32	Which of the following treatment guidelines exist at your healthcare facility (select all that apply)?	SELECT ALL THAT APPLY:  urinary tract infection community-acquired pneumonia hospital-acquired pneumonia ventilator-associated pneumonia sepsis skin and soft tissue infection surgical site infection central line-associated bloodstream infection surgical prophylaxis intra-abdominal infection febrile neutropenia management of multidrugresistant organisms bacterial meningitis	5 points = ≥4 selected 2.5 points = 1-3 selected 0 points = none or not applicable	

		☐ endocarditis ☐ not applicable (no treatment guidelines exist at my healthcare facility)		
33	Which of the following is/are included in treatment guidelines at your healthcare facility (select all that apply)?	□ other, please specify:  SELECT ALL THAT APPLY: □ first-line antibiotic agent □ dose □ duration □ alternative antibiotic agents (e.g., penicillin allergy, pregnant women, oral antibiotics) □ antibiotic agents categorized by WHO AWaRe classification □ not applicable □ other, please specify:	5 points = first-line antibiotic agent, dose, duration, alternative antibiotic agents selected 2.5 points = anything selected that does not meet criteria for 5 points 0 points = none or not applicable	
34	Are the guidelines reviewed and updated periodically based on availability of new evidence, with changes communicated to prescribers?	☐ Yes ☐ Partially implemented ☐ No	Yes = 5 Partially implemented = 2.5 No = 0	
35	Does the antibiotic stewardship team review the healthcare facility antibiogram on a regular basis to modify treatment guidelines?	☐ Yes ☐ Partially implemented ☐ No	Yes = 5 Partially implemented = 2.5 No = 0	
36- 37	SUPPLEMENTAL TABLE B		Only score Question 36: 5 points = ≥9 "yes" selected 2.5 points = 1-8 "yes" selected 0 points = none	
38	Are there standardized operating procedures for specific antibiotic stewardship activities (e.g., audit and feedback, guideline development, testing protocols) at your healthcare facility?	☐ Yes ☐ Partially implemented ☐ No	Yes = 5 Partially implemented = 2.5 No = 0	
39	Does the activity report produced by the antibiotic stewardship committee or team include the following (select all that apply)?	SELECT ALL THAT APPLY:  ☐ current antibiotic stewardship resources and activity ☐ performance against process and outcome indicators for antibiotic use	5 points = ≥2 selected 2.5 points = 1 selected 0 points = none or not applicable	

		□ antibiotic appropriateness □ antibiotic resistance □ key areas of improvement □ areas for further improvement or priority □ areas in which guidance or support from executive and governance units is needed □ not applicable (my healthcare facility does not produce an antibiotic stewardship activity report) □ other, please specify:		
40	Who is the antibiotic stewardship activity report disseminated to (select all that apply)?	SELECT ALL THAT APPLY:  ☐ healthcare facility management ☐ other healthcare facility teams members ☐ national authorities (e.g., ministry of health) ☐ other, please specify: ☐ not applicable (my healthcare facility does not produce an antibiotic stewardship activity report)	5 points = ≥2 selected 2.5 points = 1 selected 0 points = none or not applicable	
41	Does the health-care facility have a formulary/ list of approved antibiotics for use based on the national formulary?	☐ Yes ☐ Partially implemented ☐ No	Yes = 5 Partially implemented = 2.5 No = 0	
42	Does the health-care facility formulary specify lists of restricted antibiotics that require approval by a designated team or person (preauthorization)?	☐ Yes ☐ Partially implemented ☐ No	Yes = 5 Partially implemented = 2.5 No = 0	
43	Does the approval of restricted antibiotics take place throughout the workday?	☐ Yes☐ Partially implemented☐ No	Yes = 5 Partially implemented = 2.5 No = 0	
44	Does the healthcare facility communicate modifications to the antibiotic formulary to prescribers?	☐ Yes ☐ Partially implemented ☐ No	Yes = 5 Partially implemented = 2.5 No = 0	

45	Do nurses at your healthcare facility do any of the following antibiotic stewardship activities (select all that apply)?	SELECT ALL THAT APPLY:  □ collect urine and/or respiratory cultures based on appropriate criteria □ initiate discussions about converting from intravenous to oral formulation □ initiate antibiotic "time outs" □ antibiotic allergy assessment □ not applicable □ other, please specify:	5 points = ≥2 selected 2.5 points = 1 selected 0 points = none or not applicable	
46	Does your healthcare facility have a policy that requires prescribers to document antibiotic dose, duration, and indication in the medical record?	☐ Yes ☐ Partially implemented ☐ No	Yes = 5 Partially implemented = 2.5 No = 0	
47	Does the clinical microbiology laboratory used by your healthcare facility (on-site or off-site) utilize rapid diagnostic testing to facilitate early antibiotic adjustments?	☐ Yes ☐ Partially implemented ☐ No	Yes = 5 Partially implemented = 2.5 No = 0	
48	Does the clinical microbiology laboratory used by your healthcare facility (on-site or off-site) have technology to identify the most relevant resistance mechanisms (e.g., extended spectrum beta-lactamases, carbapenemases)?	☐ Yes ☐ Partially implemented ☐ No	Yes = 5 Partially implemented = 2.5 No = 0	
49	Does the clinical microbiology laboratory used by your healthcare facility (on-site or off-site) provide culture and susceptibility results to prescribers in a timely manner (e.g., within 72 hours)?	☐ Yes ☐ Partially implemented ☐ No	Yes = 5 Partially implemented = 2.5 No = 0	
50	Does the clinical microbiology laboratory used by your healthcare facility (on-site or off-site) utilize selective or cascading antibiotic susceptibility testing reporting (e.g., not reporting an antibiotic that would not be appropriate for the source, not reporting a broad-spectrum antibiotic when a narrower spectrum is available)?	☐ Yes ☐ Partially implemented ☐ No	Yes = 5 Partially implemented = 2.5 No = 0	

51	Does the clinical microbiology laboratory used by your healthcare facility (on-site or off-site) put comments in culture results to improve antibiotic prescribing?	☐ Yes ☐ Partially implemented ☐ No	Yes = 5 Partially implemented = 2.5 No = 0
52	Does the antibiotic stewardship team communicate the emergence of new resistance mechanisms to prescribers?	☐ Yes ☐ Partially implemented ☐ No	Yes = 5 Partially implemented = 2.5 No = 0
53	Has the antibiotic stewardship team conducted an analysis of the barriers, challenges and opportunities for antibiotic stewardship implementation at your healthcare facility?	☐ Yes ☐ Partially implemented ☐ No	Yes = 5 Partially implemented = 2.5 No = 0
		N V: ANTIBIOTIC USE TRACKING, MON	IITORING & REPORTING
54	Are regular prescription audits, point prevalence surveys to assess the appropriateness of antibiotic prescribing undertaken at the facility by the antibiotic stewardship committee or relevant team?	☐ Yes ☐ Partially implemented ☐ No	Yes = 5 Partially implemented = 2.5 No = 0
55	Does the health-care facility regularly monitor and report the quantity and types of antibiotic use (purchased, prescribed, or dispensed)?	☐ Yes ☐ Partially implemented ☐ No	Yes = 5 Partially implemented = 2.5 No = 0
56	What metric does the antibiotic stewardship team use to measure antibiotic use or consumption at your healthcare facility (select all that apply)?	SELECT ALL THAT APPLY:  ☐ days of therapy ☐ defined daily doses ☐ not applicable ☐ other, please specify:	5 points = ≥1 selected 0 points = none or not applicable
57	Does the antibiotic stewardship team develop action plans in response to problems identified related to optimization of antibiotic use (e.g., increase in the consumption of broad-spectrum antibiotics)?	☐ Yes ☐ Partially implemented ☐ No	Yes = 5 Partially implemented = 2.5 No = 0
58	Does the antibiotic stewardship team monitor compliance with at least one specific antibiotic stewardship activity (e.g. compliance with treatment guidelines) at the health-care facility?	☐ Yes ☐ Partially implemented ☐ No	Yes = 5 Partially implemented = 2.5 No = 0

59	Does the antibiotic stewardship committee or team implement strategies (e.g., presentation to healthcare workers on implementation of new infectious diseases treatment guideline) to increase compliance with prioritized antibiotic stewardship activities?	☐ Yes ☐ Partially implemented ☐ No	Yes = 5 Partially implemented = 2.5 No = 0	
60	Which of the following metrics are monitored by the antibiotic stewardship team to assess the impact of antibiotic stewardship activities (select all that apply)?	SELECT ALL THAT APPLY:  □ antibiotic use or consumption □ antibiotic appropriateness (agent, dose, duration) □ time to appropriate antibiotic therapy □ cost-savings □ in-hospital mortality □ length of stay □ Clostridioides difficile infection rates □ rehospitalization □ antibiotic-related adverse events □ antibiotic-related near misses (e.g., an error that could have led to an adverse event but did not result in clinical harm) □ antibiotic costs (e.g., purchase price and expenditure) □ not applicable □ other, please specify:	5 points = ≥2 selected 2.5 points = 1 selected 0 points = none or not applicable	
61	Which data can be stratified by hospital unit/ward at your healthcare facility (select all that apply)?	SELECT ALL THAT APPLY:  □ antibiotic consumption □ antibiotic use □ antibiotic resistance □ antibiotic cost □ administrative data (e.g., patient days, discharges) □ not applicable □ other, please specify	5 points = ≥2 selected 2.5 points = 1 selected 0 points = none or not applicable	

62	Does the healthcare facility regularly monitor shortages/stockouts of essential antimicrobials?	☐ Yes ☐ Partially implemented ☐ No	Yes = 5 Partially implemented = 2.5 No = 0	
63	Does your healthcare facility monitor shortages/stockouts of laboratory supplies (e.g., reagents, plates)?	☐ Yes ☐ Partially implemented ☐ No	Yes = 5 Partially implemented = 2.5 No = 0	
64	If there is a concern about substandard quality of antibiotics (e.g., falsified antibiotics) and diagnostics, is there a mechanism to report this at the healthcare facility?	☐ Yes ☐ Partially implemented ☐ No	Yes = 5 Partially implemented = 2.5 No = 0	
65	Does the antibiotic stewardship committee or team regularly monitor and report antibiotic susceptibility and resistance rates for a range of key indicator bacteria?	☐ Yes ☐ Partially implemented ☐ No	Yes = 5 Partially implemented = 2.5 No = 0	
66	Does the antibiotic stewardship team communicate findings from audits/reviews of the quality/appropriateness of antibiotic use to prescribers along with specific action points?	☐ Yes ☐ Partially implemented ☐ No	Yes = 5 Partially implemented = 2.5 No = 0	
67	Does the antibiotic stewardship team report metrics used to assess the impact of antibiotic stewardship activities to leadership at your healthcare facility?	☐ Yes ☐ Partially implemented ☐ No	Yes = 5 Partially implemented = 2.5 No = 0	
68	Does the healthcare facility develop and aggregate antibiogram and regularly update it?	☐ Yes ☐ Partially implemented ☐ No	Yes = 5 Partially implemented = 2.5 No = 0	

## **SUPPLEMENTAL TABLE A** Item 7-7D. Antibiotic Stewardship Team Members

7. Who are the members of the antibiotic stewardship team at your healthcare facility (select all that apply)?	7A. For each role listed below, how many are part of the team?	7B. Are any within this role an antibiotic stewardship team leader?	7C. What percent time for antibiotic stewardship activities is specified in this role's job description or contract (if more than one person within this role, average the percent time)?	7D. Are the persons within this role financially compensated for the time spent specifically on antibiotic stewardship activities?		
☐ Not applicable (My healthcare facility does not have an antibiotic stewardship team)						
☐ Infectious diseases trained physician(s) or clinician(s) with experience practicing infectious diseases		☐ Yes ☐ No	☐ 1-25% ☐ 26-50% ☐ 51-75% ☐ 76-100% ☐ no dedicated time for antibiotic stewardship activities	<ul><li>☐ Yes, all staff within this role</li><li>☐ Yes, some staff within this role</li><li>☐ No, none within this role</li></ul>		
☐ Other physician(s)  If yes, specify specialty(ies): ————		☐ Yes ☐ No	☐ 1-25% ☐ 26-50% ☐ 51-75% ☐ 76-100% ☐ no dedicated time for antibiotic stewardship activities	<ul><li>☐ Yes, all staff within this role</li><li>☐ Yes, some staff within this role</li><li>☐ No, none within this role</li></ul>		
☐ Infectious diseases trained pharmacist(s) or pharmacist with experience practicing infectious diseases		☐ Yes ☐ No	☐ 1-25% ☐ 26-50% ☐ 51-75% ☐ 76-100% ☐ no dedicated time for antibiotic stewardship activities	<ul><li>☐ Yes, all staff within this role</li><li>☐ Yes, some staff within this role</li><li>☐ No, none within this role</li></ul>		
☐ Other clinical pharmacist(s)  If yes, specify specialty(ies): ———		☐ Yes ☐ No	☐ 1-25% ☐ 26-50% ☐ 51-75% ☐ 76-100% ☐ no dedicated time for antibiotic stewardship activities	☐ Yes, all staff within this role ☐ Yes, some staff within this role ☐ No, none within this role		
□ Other staff pharmacist		☐ Yes ☐ No	☐ 1-25% ☐ 26-50% ☐ 51-75% ☐ 76-100% ☐ no dedicated time for antibiotic stewardship activities	☐ Yes, all staff within this role ☐ Yes, some staff within this role ☐ No, none within this role		

$\square$ Infection prevention and	☐ Yes	□ 1-25%	☐ Yes, all staff within this role
control (IPC) physician	□ No	□ 26-50%	$\square$ Yes, some staff within this
		□ 51-75%	role
		□ 76-100%	$\square$ No, none within this role
		☐ no dedicated time for antibiotic stewardship activities	
☐ IPC Nurse(s)	☐ Yes	□ 1-25%	☐ Yes, all staff within this role
	□ No	□ 26-50%	$\square$ Yes, some staff within this
		□ 51-75%	role
		□ 76-100%	$\square$ No, none within this role
		☐ no dedicated time for antibiotic stewardship activities	
☐ Non- IPC Nurse(s)	☐ Yes	□ 1-25%	☐ Yes, all staff within this role
	□ No	□ 26-50%	$\square$ Yes, some staff within this
		□ 51-75%	role
		□ 76-100%	$\square$ No, none within this role
		☐ no dedicated time for antibiotic stewardship activities	
☐ Clinical microbiologist(s)	☐ Yes	□ 1-25%	$\square$ Yes, all staff within this role
	□ No	□ 26-50%	$\square$ Yes, some staff within this
		□ 51-75%	role
		□ 76-100%	$\square$ No, none within this role
		☐ no dedicated time for antibiotic stewardship activities	
☐ Information technology	☐ Yes	□ 1-25%	☐ Yes, all staff within this role
specialist(s)	□ No	□ 26-50%	$\square$ Yes, some staff within this
		□ 51-75%	role
		□ 76-100%	$\square$ No, none within this role
		☐ no dedicated time for antibiotic stewardship activities	
☐ Administrative support	☐ Yes	□ 1-25%	$\square$ Yes, all staff within this role
	□ No	□ 26-50%	$\square$ Yes, some staff within this
		□ 51-75%	role
		□ 76-100%	$\square$ No, none within this role
		$\square$ no dedicated time for antibiotic stewardship activities	
☐ Other(s)	☐ Yes	□ 1-25%	$\square$ Yes, all staff within this role
If yes, please specify:	□ No	□ 26-50%	$\square$ Yes, some staff within this
		□ 51-75%	role
		□ 76-100%	$\square$ No, none within this role
		$\square$ no dedicated time for antibiotic stewardship activities	

## **SUPPLEMENTAL TABLE B** Item 36-37. Antibiotic Stewardship Activities **(CORE)**

		36. Is this activity routinely conducted at your healthcare facility?		37. If yes, is the activity performed facility-wide?	
A. Antibiotic automatic stops (e.g., surgical prophylaxis)	☐ Yes	$\square$ No	☐ Yes	□ No	
B. Antibiotic "time outs" (defined, regular prompts to the clinician to re-evaluate antibiotic choices)	☐ Yes	$\square$ No	☐ Yes	□ No	
C. Antibiotic reminders (alerts at the time of prescribing)	☐ Yes	□ No	☐ Yes	□ No	
D. Intravenous to oral antibiotic formulation conversion	☐ Yes	□ No	☐ Yes	□ No	
E. Prospective audit and feedback of specified antibiotics	□Yes	□ No	☐ Yes	□ No	
F. Prior authorization of specified antibiotics	□ Yes	□ No	☐ Yes	□ No	
G. Restricted use of antibiotics based on formulary approval for prespecified conditions or populations	☐ Yes	□ No	☐ Yes	□ No	
H. Individual audit and feedback of performance to prescribers	□Yes	□ No	☐ Yes	□ No	
I. In-person antibiotic stewardship clinical rounds	☐ Yes	□ No	☐ Yes	□ No	
J. Assessment and clarification of documented antibiotic allergies	☐ Yes	□ No	☐ Yes	□ No	
K. Review of outpatient parenteral antibiotic therapy prior to discharge	☐ Yes	□ No	☐ Yes	□ No	
L. Alerts to prescribers about potentially duplicative antibiotic coverage (e.g., double anti-anaerobic coverage)	☐ Yes	□ No	☐ Yes	□ No	
M. Alerts to prescribers about drug-drug interactions	☐ Yes	□ No	☐ Yes	□ No	
N. Dose optimization based on pharmacokinetic and pharmacodynamic parameters for treatment of organisms with reduced antibiotic susceptibility	☐ Yes	□ No	☐ Yes	□ No	
O. Management of antibiotic shortages/stockouts	☐ Yes	$\square$ No	☐ Yes	□ No	
P. Pharmacist-assisted or clinical pharmacologist-assisted dosing of antibiotics in patients with renal or liver dysfunction	☐ Yes	□ No	☐ Yes	□ No	
<ul> <li>Q. Therapeutic drug monitoring of antibiotics with narrow therapeutic index (e.g., vancomycin, aminoglycosides)</li> </ul>	☐ Yes	□ No	☐ Yes	□ No	
R. Awareness campaigns on responsible use of antibiotics	☐ Yes	□ No	☐ Yes	□ No	