OREGON PUBLIC HEALTH DIVISION REPORTING FOR
HEALTHCARE ACQUIRED INFECTIONS (HAIs)

Local public health authority:
For a list of local public health authority phone numbers go to www.oregon.gov/lpha-contact.

House Bill 2524 established a mandatory Healthcare Acquired Infection (HAI) Reporting Program. The program was created to raise awareness of HAIs, to promote a transparent means of informing consumers, to aid healthcare facilities in preventing HAIs (healthoregon.org/hai). The following table compares the Oregon HAI reporting requirements with those of the Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services (CMS).

HAI MEASUREMENT TYPE	HOSPITALS AND LONG-TERM ACUTE CARE HOSPITALS[1]	
	CMS Requirements (*date requirement enacted*)[2]	OREGON Requirements (*date requirement enacted*)[3,4]
NHSN ANNUAL SURVEY	*NHSN Annual Survey (2010)*	*NHSN Annual Survey (2008)*
CLABSI	*Hospitals: All adult, pediatric and neonatal ICUs (2011)* *Adult and pediatric medical, surgical and medical/surgical wards (2015)* *LTACH: All adult and pediatric ICUs and wards (Oct. 2012)*	*Adult medical, surgical and medical/surgical ICUs (2009)* *All adult, pediatric and neonatal ICUs and adult and pediatric medical, surgical and medical/surgical wards (2015)*
CAUTI	*Hospitals: All adult and pediatric ICUs (2012)* *Adult and pediatric medical, surgical, medical/surgical, and inpatient rehabilitation wards (2015)* *LTACH: All adult and pediatric ICUs and wards (2012)*	*All adult and pediatric ICUs (2012)* *Adult and pediatric medical, surgical, medical/surgical, and inpatient rehabilitation wards[4] (2015)*
SSI	*Inpatient COLO (2012)* *Inpatient HYST (2012)*	*Inpatient COLO (2011)* *Inpatient HPRO (2011)* *Inpatient HYST (2011)* *Inpatient KPRO (2009)* *Inpatient CBGB (2011)*
***C. DIFFICILE* LAB ID EVENT**	*Facility Wide, inpatient (2013) – excluding neonatal and well-baby* *LTACH: Facility-wide, inpatient (2015)*	*Facility-wide, inpatient (2012) – excluding neonatal and well-baby*
MRSA BACTEREMIA LAB ID EVENT	*Hospitals: Facility-wide, inpatient (2013)*	*Facility-wide, inpatient (2013)*
HEALTHCARE WORKER INFLUENZA VACCINATION	*Hospitals: Inpatient (2013)* *LTACH: Inpatient (2015)*	*Hospitals: Inpatient (2009) and outpatient (2014) Inpatient Psychiatric facilities (2015)*
HEALTHCARE WORKER COVID-19 VACCINATION	*Hospitals: Inpatient (2021) and outpatient (2022)* *LTACH: Inpatient (2021)* *Inpatient Psychiatric Facilities (2021)*	*N/A*

HAI MEASUREMENT TYPE	NURSING FACILITIES		AMBULATORY SURGERY CENTERS		FREESTANDING DIALYSIS FACILITIES	
	CMS REQUIREMENTS[2]	OREGON REQUIREMENTS[3]	CMS REQUIREMENTS[2]	OREGON REQUIREMENTS[3]	CMS REQUIREMENTS[2]	OREGON REQUIREMENTS[3]
ANNUAL SURVEY	*N/A*	*Evidence-based elements of patient safety performance annual survey (2015)*	*N/A*	*Evidence-based elements of patient safety performance annual survey (2009)*	*N/A*	*N/A*
HEALTHCARE WORKER INFLUENZA VACCINATION	*Healthcare Worker Influenza Vaccination Survey (2022)*	*Healthcare Worker Influenza Vaccination Survey (2010)*	*N/A*	*Healthcare Worker Influenza Vaccination Survey (2011)*	*N/A*	*Healthcare Worker Influenza Vaccination Survey (2015)*
HEALTHCARE WORKER COVID-19 VACCINATION	*Healthcare Worker COVID-19 Vaccination Survey (2021)*	*COVID-19 Vaccination Survey (2021)[5]*	*Healthcare Worker COVID-19 Vaccination Survey (2022)*	*N/A*	*N/A*	*N/A*
OTHER	*COVID-19 reporting[6] (2020)*	*N/A*	*N/A*	*N/A*	*Dialysis event (2012)*	*Dialysis event (2013)*

CAUTI – Catheter-associated urinary tract infection • **CBGB** – Coronary artery bypass graft with chest and donor site incisions •
CLABSI – Central line-associated bloodstream infection • **COLO** – Colon surgery • **HAI** – Healthcare-associated infection • **HPRO** – Hip prosthesis •
HYST – Abdominal hysterectomy • **ICU** – Intensive care unit • **KPRO** – Knee prosthesis • **LTACH** – Long-Term Acute Care Hospitals •
MRSA – Methicillin-resistant *Staphylococcus aureus* • **NHSN** – National Healthcare Safety Network • **SSI** – Surgical site infection

ADDITIONAL MANDATORY REPORTING

Communication of Multidrug-Resistant Organisms during Patient Transfer: When a referring facility transfers or discharges a patient who is infected or colonized with a multidrug-resistant organism (MDRO) or pathogen that warrants Transmission Based Precautions, it must include written notification of the infection or colonization to the receiving facility.[7]

Mandatory reporting: Healthcare facilities and providers are required to report outbreaks of HAIs, including common source outbreaks and single case MDROs of public health significance.[8] MDROs reportable at one case are shown with an asterisk (*) to the right.

Multidrug-Resistant Organism (MDRO): An organism that causes human disease which has acquired antibiotic resistance, as listed and defined in the *Centers for Disease Control and Prevention's Antibiotic Resistance Threats in the United States, 2019.* MDROs include but are not limited to:

a) *Candida auris**
b) Carbapenem-resistant *Acinetobacter* (CRA)*
c) Carbapenem-resistant *Enterobacterales* (CRE)*
d) Carbapenemase-producing organism (CPOs)*
e) Toxin-producing *Clostridioides difficile*
f) Vancomycin-resistant *Enterococcus* (VRE)
g) Carbapenem-resistant *Pseudomonas aeruginosa* (CRPA)
h) Methicillin-resistant *Staphylococcus aureus* (MRSA)
i) Drug-resistant *Streptococcus pneumoniae*
j) Other Gram-negative bacteria producing extended-spectrum beta-lactamases (ESBLs)

FOOTNOTES
1. Long-term acute care hospitals are licensed as acute care hospitals in Oregon and therefore are subject to the same reporting requirements as hospitals.
2. CMS HAI reporting requirements are for prospective Payment System facilities, not critical access hospitals or children's hospitals. https://www.cdc.gov/nhsn/cms/index.html.
3. OHA has retroactive access to any HAI data made reportable to CMS prior to the Oregon requirement. https://secure.sos.state.or.us/oard/displayDivisionRules.action?selectedDivision=1233.
4. Inpatient rehabilitation units are subject to hospital reporting requirements.
5. Per Oregon COVID-19 Vaccination Reporting Requirements for Long-Term Care Facilities: https://secure.sos.state.or.us/oard/displayDivisionRules.action?selectedDivision=6472.
6. COVID-19 Reporting Requirements for Nursing Facilities: https://www.cdc.gov/nhsn/pdfs/covid19/ltcf/cms-covid19-req-508.pdf.
7. Interfacility Transfer Rule (OAR 333-019-0052): http://public.health.oregon.gov/DiseasesConditions/CommunicableDisease/HAI/Prevention/Pages/Interfacility-Communication.aspx.
8. Guidelines for outbreak reporting (OARs 333-018-000, 333-018-0095): http://public.health.oregon.gov/DiseasesConditions/CommunicableDisease/HAI/Reporting/Pages/MDRO-Investigative-Guidelines.aspx.