

Antibiogram of Carbapenemase Producing Organisms - March, 2023

Table 1: Aggregate antibiogram of carbapenemase producing Enterobacteriales and Pseudomonas isolates by number and percentage susceptible to each antimicrobial, received by MDU PHL 01/01/2021 - 31/12/2022

| Beta-lactamase class | CPO Gene | Organism | N | Count of susceptible isolates and susceptibility proportion (%) | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
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| | | | | Aminoglycosides (see note 1) | | | Monobactams | Cephalosporins | | | | | Fluoroquinolones | Meropenem | Carbapenems | | Tetracyclines | Miscellaneous agents | | |
| | | | | Ambicacin | Gentamicin | Tobramycin | Attreonam | Carbapenem/ Azobactam | Ceftazidime | Carbapenem/ Tazobactam | Ceftriaxone | Cefepime | Ceftiderocol | Ciprofloxacin | Meropenem | Imipenem- Relebactam | Meropenem- Vaborbactam | Tigecycline | Colistin | Fosfomycin (V) |
| Class A | KPC-2 | <i>Klebsiella pneumoniae</i> | 8 | 5/6 (83.3%) | 5/6 (83.3%) | 2/5 (33.3%) | 0/6 (0.0%) | 7/8 (87.5%) | 0/6 (0.0%) | * | 0/6 (0.0%) | 0/6 (0.0%) | - | 3/6 (16.7%) | 0/8 (0.0%) | 4/5 (80.0%) | 5/5 (100.0%) | 3/6 (50.0%) | 5/8 (62.5%) | 6/8 (75.0%) |
| | | <i>Enterobacter cloacae</i> | 56 | 51/55 (92.7%) | 1/54 (1.9%) | 0/55 (0.0%) | 14/55 (25.5%) | * | 0/54 (0.0%) | * | 0/52 (0.0%) | 1/53 (1.9%) | - | 12/52 (23.1%) | 40/55 (72.7%) | 31/42 (73.8%) | 41/42 (97.6%) | 34/55 (61.8%) | 52/53 (98.1%) | 46/55 (83.6%) |
| | | <i>Escherichia coli</i> | 5 | 2/4 (50.0%) | 0/4 (0.0%) | 0/4 (0.0%) | 3/4 (75.0%) | * | 0/4 (0.0%) | * | 0/4 (0.0%) | 1/4 (25.0%) | - | 2/4 (50.0%) | 2/4 (50.0%) | - | - | 3/4 (75.0%) | 4/4 (100.0%) | 3/4 (75.0%) |
| | | <i>Klebsiella oxytoca</i> | 8 | 8/8 (100.0%) | 1/8 (12.5%) | 0/8 (0.0%) | 7/8 (87.5%) | * | 0/8 (0.0%) | * | 0/8 (0.0%) | 2/8 (25.0%) | - | 7/8 (87.5%) | 5/8 (62.5%) | 5/6 (83.3%) | 6/6 (100.0%) | 6/8 (75.0%) | 8/8 (100.0%) | 6/8 (75.0%) |
| | | <i>Klebsiella pneumoniae</i> | 6 | 4/6 (66.7%) | 3/6 (50.0%) | 1/6 (16.7%) | 4/6 (66.7%) | * | 0/6 (0.0%) | * | 0/6 (0.0%) | 1/6 (16.7%) | - | 3/6 (50.0%) | 3/6 (50.0%) | - | - | 1/6 (16.7%) | 6/6 (100.0%) | 3/6 (50.0%) |
| | | <i>Serratia marcescens</i> | 12 | 9/11 (81.8%) | 5/11 (45.5%) | 0/11 (0.0%) | 10/11 (90.9%) | * | 0/11 (0.0%) | * | 0/10 (0.0%) | 0/10 (0.0%) | - | 1/11 (9.1%) | 1/12 (8.3%) | 0/10 (0.0%) | 0/10 (0.0%) | * | 2/12 (16.7%) | 2/12 (16.7%) |
| | | <i>Citrobacter freundii</i> complex | 8 | 8/8 (100.0%) | 7/8 (87.5%) | 6/8 (75.0%) | 6/8 (75.0%) | * | 0/8 (0.0%) | * | 0/6 (0.0%) | 0/6 (0.0%) | - | 6/8 (75.0%) | 0/8 (0.0%) | - | - | 3/8 (37.5%) | 8/8 (100.0%) | 8/8 (100.0%) |
| | | <i>Enterobacter cloacae</i> | 7 | 6/7 (85.7%) | 4/7 (57.1%) | 3/7 (42.9%) | 4/7 (57.1%) | * | 0/7 (0.0%) | * | 0/6 (0.0%) | 0/6 (0.0%) | - | 2/7 (28.6%) | 1/7 (14.3%) | - | - | 3/7 (42.9%) | 5/5 (100.0%) | 7/7 (100.0%) |
| | | <i>Escherichia coli</i> | 20 | 20/20 (100.0%) | 19/20 (95.0%) | 16/20 (80.0%) | 17/20 (85.0%) | * | 0/20 (0.0%) | * | 0/16 (0.0%) | 0/16 (0.0%) | - | 6/19 (31.6%) | 1/20 (5.0%) | 0/13 (0.0%) | 2/13 (15.4%) | 16/19 (84.2%) | 20/20 (100.0%) | 18/20 (90.0%) |
| | | <i>Klebsiella oxytoca</i> | 6 | 5/5 (100.0%) | 3/5 (60.0%) | 3/5 (60.0%) | 5/5 (100.0%) | * | 0/5 (0.0%) | * | 0/5 (0.0%) | 0/5 (0.0%) | - | 2/4 (50.0%) | 1/6 (16.7%) | - | - | 2/5 (40.0%) | 6/6 (100.0%) | 6/6 (100.0%) |
| | | <i>Klebsiella pneumoniae</i> | 7 | 4/7 (57.1%) | 5/7 (71.4%) | 4/7 (57.1%) | 4/7 (57.1%) | * | 0/7 (0.0%) | * | 0/7 (0.0%) | 0/7 (0.0%) | - | 0/6 (0.0%) | 1/7 (14.3%) | 0/6 (0.0%) | 2/6 (33.3%) | 5/7 (85.7%) | 6/6 (100.0%) | 6/7 (85.7%) |
| | | <i>Pseudomonas aeruginosa</i> | 7 | 0/7 (0.0%) | 0/7 (0.0%) | 0/7 (0.0%) | 3/7 (42.9%) | * | 0/7 (0.0%) | * | 0/7 (0.0%) | 0/7 (0.0%) | - | 1/7 (14.3%) | 0/7 (0.0%) | 0/4 (0.0%) | 0/4 (0.0%) | * | 5/6 (83.3%) | ^ |
| | | <i>Escherichia coli</i> | 35 | 22/33 (66.7%) | 25/33 (75.8%) | 19/33 (57.6%) | 3/33 (9.1%) | * | 0/33 (0.0%) | * | 0/28 (0.0%) | 0/28 (0.0%) | 0/4 (0.0%) | 0/31 (0.0%) | 2/33 (6.1%) | 0/25 (0.0%) | 4/25 (16.0%) | 25/33 (75.8%) | 31/31 (100.0%) | 34/34 (100.0%) |
| | | <i>Enterobacter cloacae</i> | 5 | 4/5 (80.0%) | 0/5 (0.0%) | 0/5 (0.0%) | 0/5 (0.0%) | * | 0/5 (0.0%) | * | 0/5 (0.0%) | 0/5 (0.0%) | - | 1/5 (20.0%) | 0/5 (0.0%) | 1/5 (20.0%) | 1/5 (20.0%) | 4/4 (100.0%) | 5/5 (100.0%) | 5/5 (100.0%) |
| | | <i>Klebsiella pneumoniae</i> | 8 | 8/8 (100.0%) | 8/8 (100.0%) | 8/8 (100.0%) | 8/8 (100.0%) | * | 0/8 (0.0%) | * | 0/8 (0.0%) | 0/8 (0.0%) | - | 8/8 (100.0%) | 0/8 (0.0%) | 0/7 (0.0%) | 0/7 (0.0%) | 7/8 (87.5%) | 8/8 (100.0%) | 8/8 (100.0%) |
| | | <i>Pseudomonas aeruginosa</i> | 7 | 0/7 (0.0%) | 0/7 (0.0%) | 0/7 (0.0%) | 5/7 (71.4%) | * | 0/7 (0.0%) | * | 0/7 (0.0%) | 0/7 (0.0%) | - | 0/7 (0.0%) | 1/7 (14.3%) | 0/6 (0.0%) | 1/6 (16.7%) | * | 7/7 (100.0%) | ^ |
| Class D | OXA-23 | <i>Proteus mirabilis</i> | 5 | 4/5 (80.0%) | 4/5 (80.0%) | 4/5 (80.0%) | 5/5 (100.0%) | * | 5/5 (100.0%) | 5/5 (100.0%) | - | - | - | 5/5 (100.0%) | 5/5 (100.0%) | - | - | * | 5/5 (100.0%) | 5/5 (100.0%) |
| | | Total | 210 | 160/202 (79.2%) | 88/201 (43.8%) | 66/202 (32.7%) | 98/202 (48.5%) | 7/8 (87.5%) | 5/201 (2.5%) | 5/5 (100.0%) | 5/172 (2.9%) | 5/182 (2.7%) | 0/4 (0.0%) | 57/194 (29.4%) | 63/206 (30.6%) | 40/129 (31.0%) | 68/129 (52.7%) | 113/180 (62.8%) | 176/181 (97.2%) | 165/193 (85.5%) |

| Legend | | Percentage susceptible (%) | | | | |
|--------|-------------------------------|----------------------------|--------|--------|--------|---------|
| * | Intrinsic Resistance Reported | 0-20% | 21-40% | 41-60% | 61-80% | 81-100% |
| - | Less than 4 isolates tested | | | | | |
| ^ | No interpretive criteria | | | | | |

** No isolates tested reported susceptibility to Ampicillin or Ampicillin/Subactam

Note 1 Aminoglycoside susceptible/resistance differentiates between organisms with and without acquired resistance mechanisms only. For systemic infections aminoglycosides must be used in combination with other active therapy.

Note 2 Colistin susceptible/resistance differentiates between organisms with and without acquired resistance mechanisms only. For systemic infections colistin must be used in combination with other active therapy.

Carbapenemase producing Enterobacteriales isolates identified or submitted to the Microbiological Diagnostic Unit Public Health Laboratory (MDU PHL) between 01/01/2021 and 31/12/2022 with available susceptibility data are included in the analysis above. Antimicrobial susceptibility testing was performed by broth microdilution, except for fosfomycin (agar dilution). Aggregate antibiograms exclude antimicrobials for an organism and carbapenemase gene combinations where fewer than five valid results were available. Aggregate antibiograms are categorised by carbapenemase gene sub-type(s) and isolates may contain other antimicrobial resistance (AMR) mechanisms not indicated. Carbapenemase gene subtypes have been determined by whole genome sequence analysis. EUCAST 2023 clinical breakpoints have been used for all susceptibility interpretations (1). Intermediate susceptibility included as susceptible in aggregate antibiograms.

(1) The European Committee on Antimicrobial Susceptibility Testing. Breakpoint Tables for Interpretation of MICs and Zone Diameters. Version 13.0, 2023. <http://www.eucast.org>.