



CURRENT TRENDS IN AMR AND AST

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PIONEERING DIAGNOSTICS

USE OF ANTIBIOTICS DRIVES RESISTANCE UP



One example out of many: Meropenem at the hospital

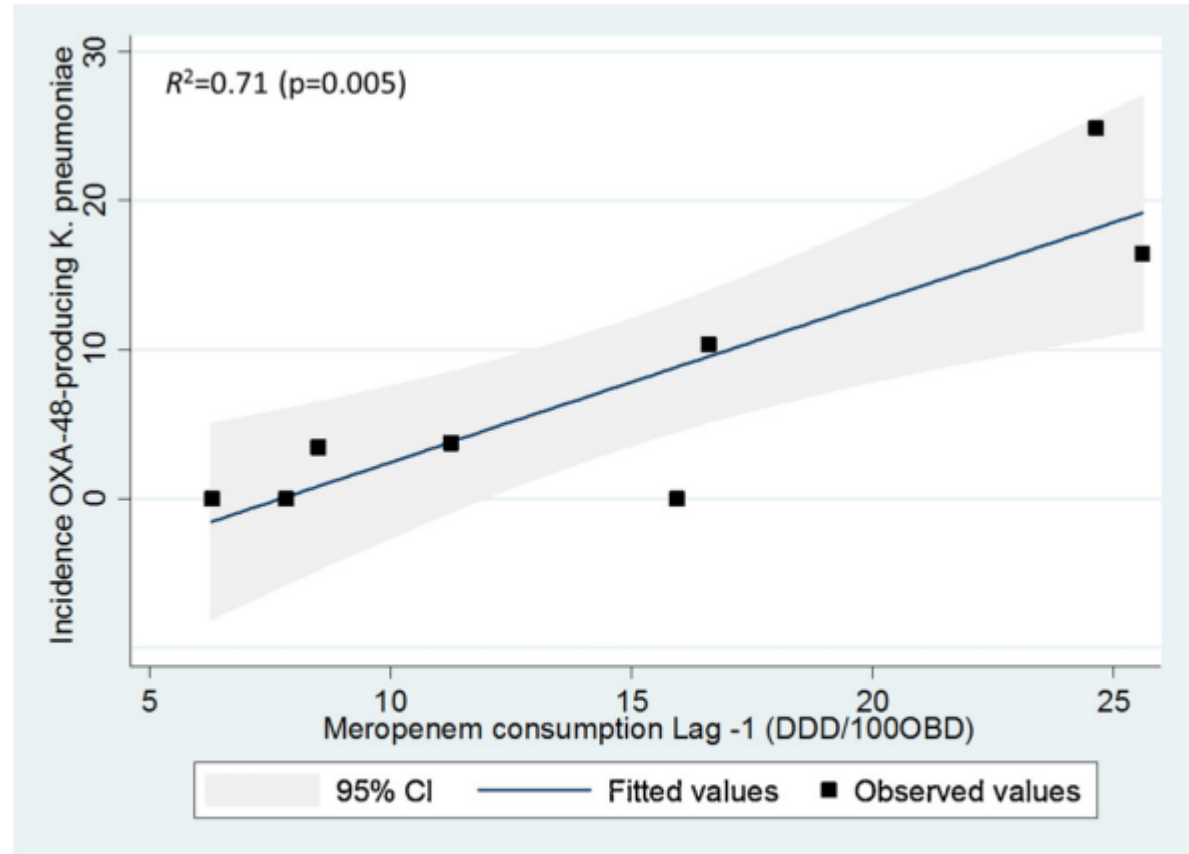
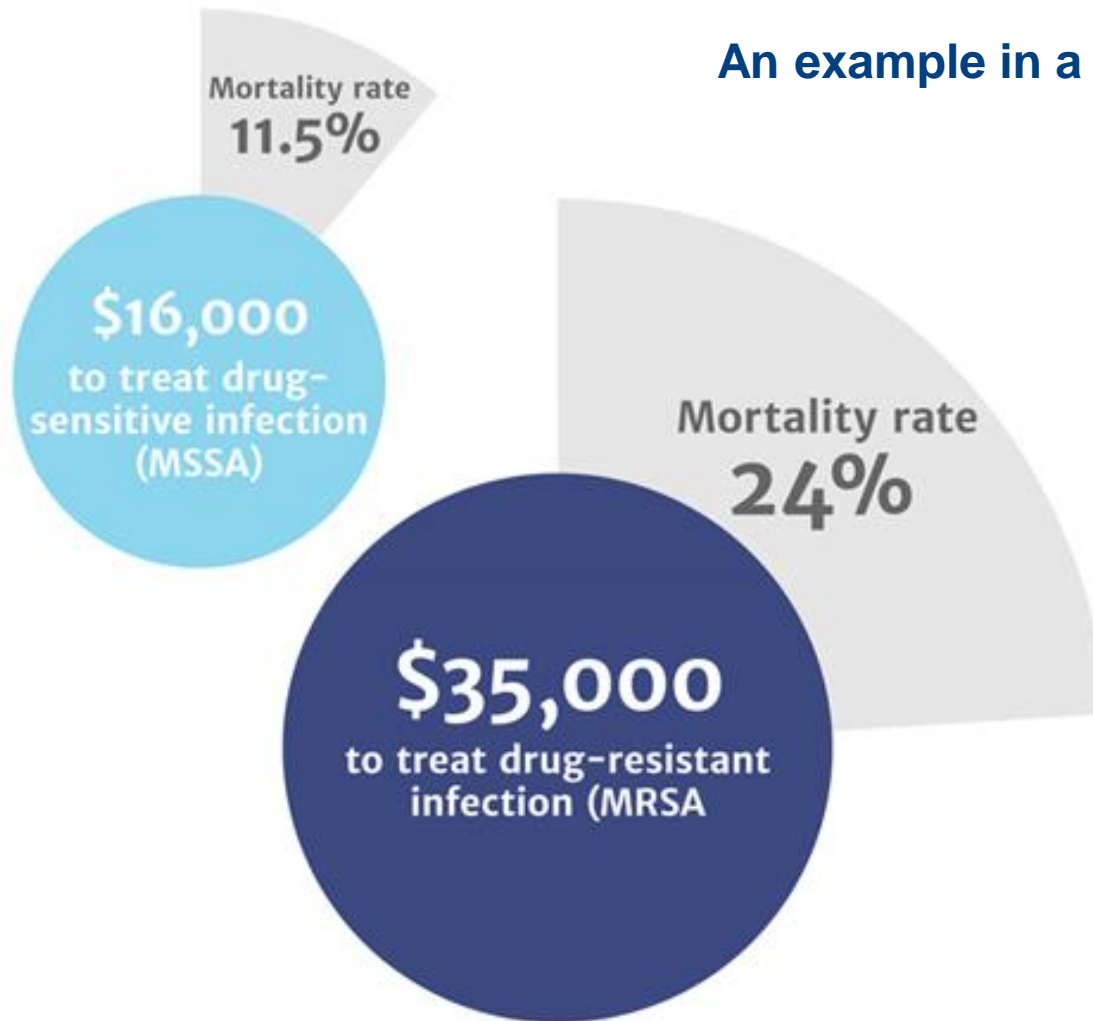


Fig. 1. Cross-correlation between meropenem consumption lag -1 (the preceding year) and the incidence rate of OXA-48-producing *Klebsiella pneumoniae* in a West London renal unit from 2008–2009 to 2013–2014.

A RESISTANT INFECTION IS MORE LIKELY TO BE LETHAL AND CERTAINLY MORE COSTLY



An example in a US hospital



ANTIMICROBIAL SUSCEPTIBILITY TESTING

AST IS A MICROBIOLOGICAL PROCEDURE THAT DETERMINES THE CONCENTRATION OF ANTIBIOTIC REQUIRED TO INHIBIT THE GROWTH OF OR KILL A MICROORGANISM.

THIS CAN BE ACCOMPLISHED VIA GROWTH-BASED (PHENOTYPIC) METHODS OR (ON A MORE SURROGATE LEVEL) VIA MOLECULAR MEANS (PROTEO/LIPIDO/GLUCO/GENOTYPIC).



BARRIERS TO ANTIMICROBIAL SUSCEPTIBILITY TESTING



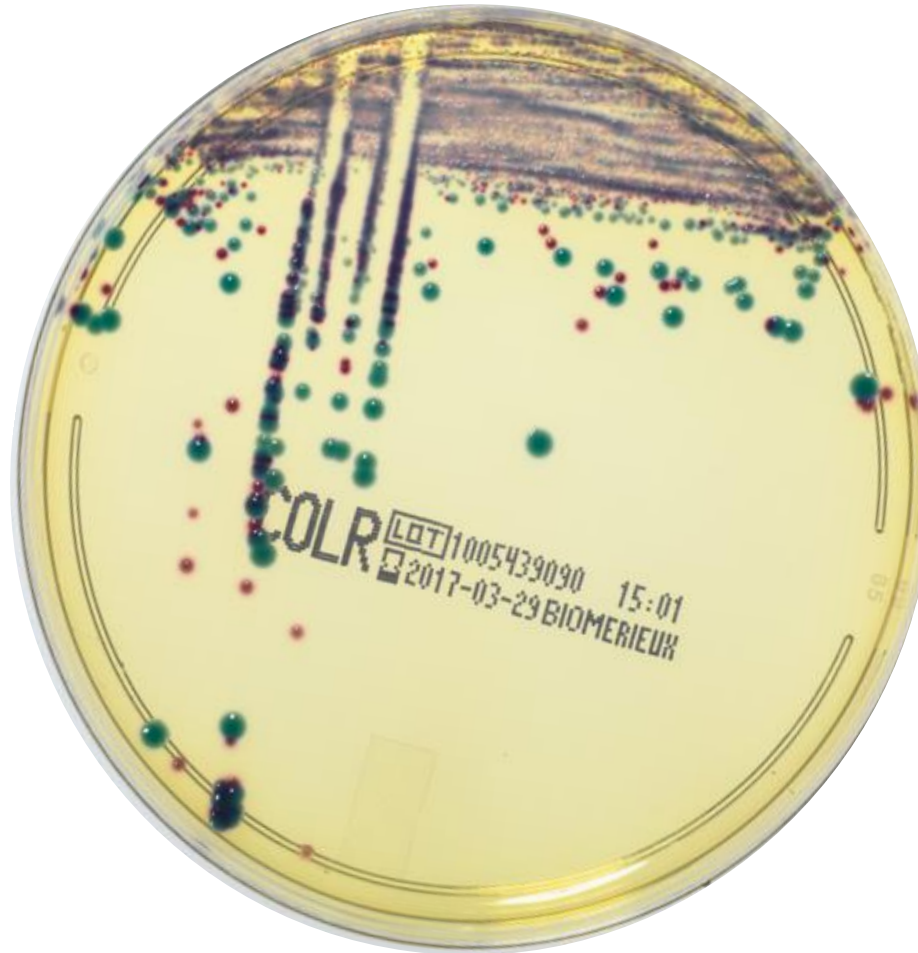
MICROBIOLOGY

- **SMALL NUMBERS OF CELLS**
- **SLOW GROWTH**
- **LAG TIME**
- **HETEROGENEITY OF ANTIBIOTIC RESISTANCE**
- **INDUCTION OF RESISTANCE**
- **LOW LEVEL RESISTANCE**
- **CIDAL VERSUS STATIC ANTIBIOTICS**
- **DETECTION OF NEW MECHANISMS**

TECHNOLOGY

- **NEED FOR ID AND AST AT THE SAME TIME (?)**
- **SPEED – PHENOTYPIC AST IN LESS THAN 4 H IS A CHALLENGE.**
- **MANDATORY DAILY QC TESTING (IRRESPECTIVE OF METHOD)**
- **RECURRING ISSUES AND DEVELOPMENT DELAYS IN SEMI AUTOMATED AST (MICROSCAN, PHOENIX, VITEK2)**
- **POOR QUALITY OF ASSAYS FROM SOME MANUFACTURERS**
- **RECURRING ISSUES WITH GRADIENT TEST QUALITY**
- **INFLUX OF NEW PHENOTYPIC METHODS – DIFFICULT TO ASSESS.**

NO NEED FOR SAMPLE PROCESSING AT ALL??



Screening of Colistin-resistant Enterobacteriaceae from rectal swabs and stools

IMPROVING “OLD FASHIONED” AST: MORE DRUGS IN A SINGLE ASSAY



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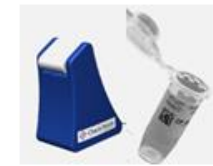
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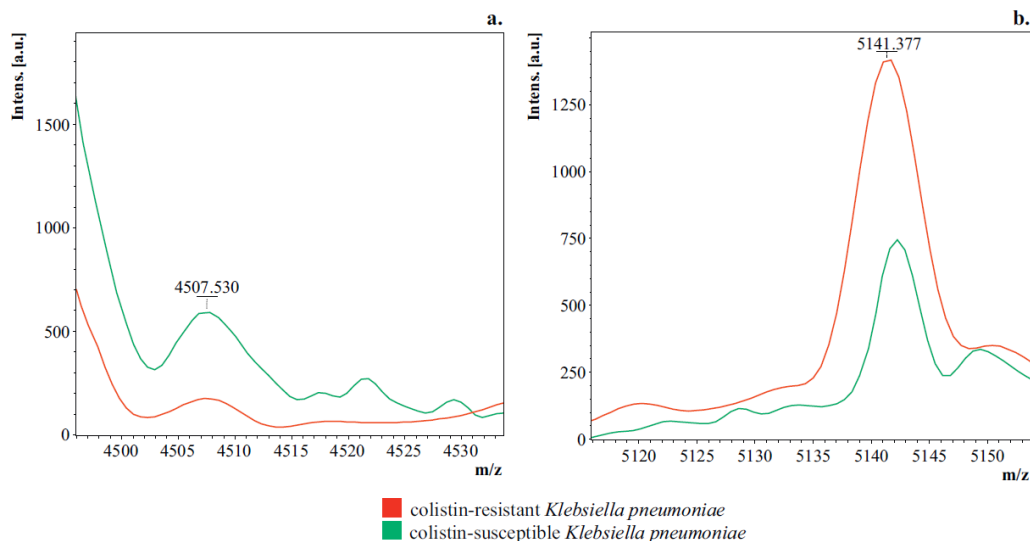
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RESISTANCE DETECTION BY MALDI TOF MS



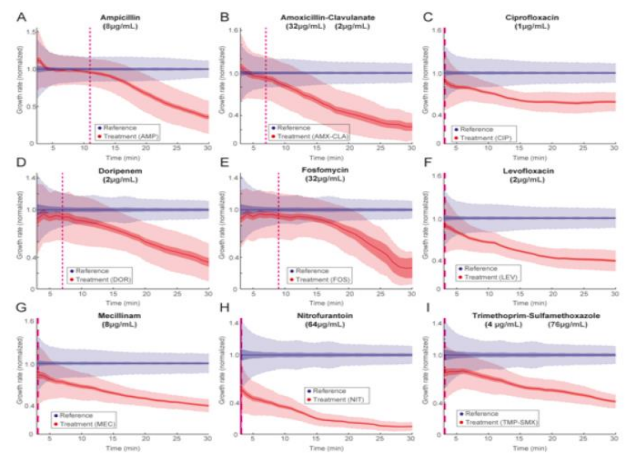
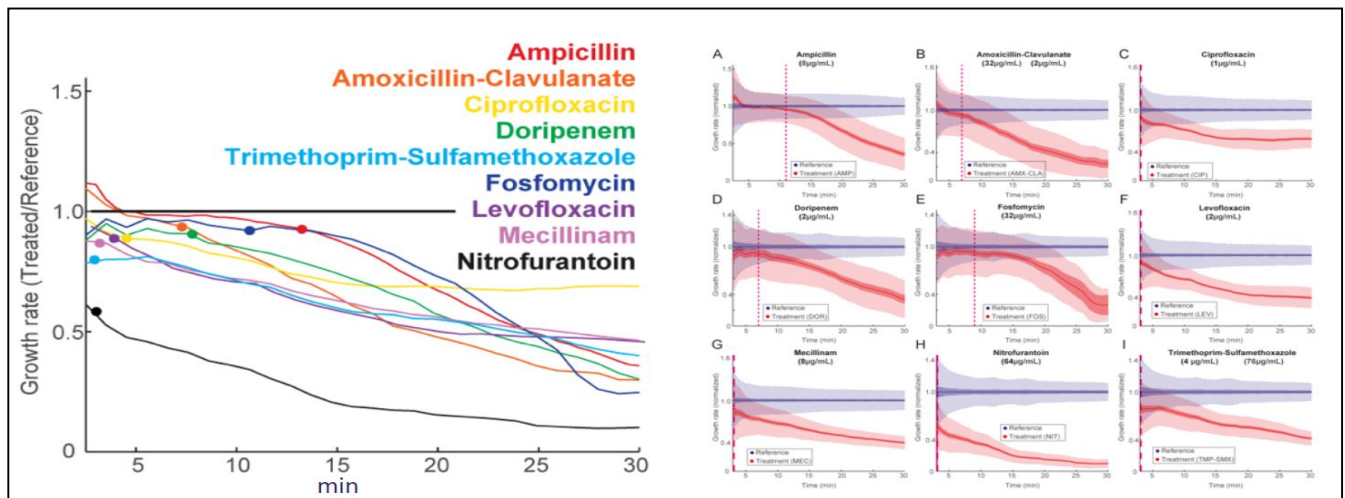
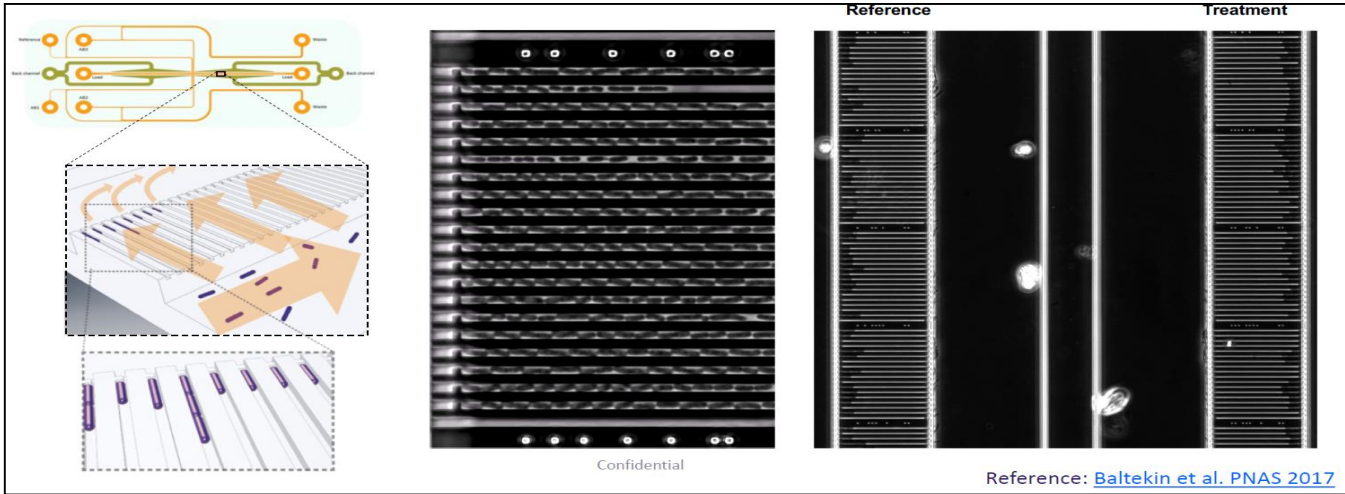
1. Detection of degradation or modification of antibiotics.
2. Use of incorporation of stable-isotope labeled amino acids.
3. MS mediated nucleic acid sequencing (Iridica, Abbott).
4. Direct detection of resistance (associated) factors (including next gen MS and pre-purification methods).
5. Changes in metabolic patterns.
6. Quantitation of MALDI detectable compounds.
7. Application of next gen MS methods



Giordano C, Barnini S. Rapid detection of colistin-resistant *Klebsiella pneumoniae* using MALDI-TOF MS peak-based assay. *J Microbiol Methods*. 2018 Dec;155:27-33.

**MICROFLUIDICS AND SINGLE CELL HANDLING.
TRANSCRIPTOMICS.
NEXT GENERATION MASS SPECTROMETRY.
(FLOW) CYTOMETRY.
CANTILEVERS.
ISOTHERMAL MICRO-CALORIMETRICS.
MAGNETIC BEAD ROTATION.
MICRODROPLETS.
NMR.
MICROSOUND.
METABOLOMICS (ROS AND CELLULAR RESPIRATION).
RAMAN, IR AND OTHER SPECTROSCOPIES.
BACTERIOPHAGES.
REAL-TIME, VIDEO ENHANCED MICROSCOPY.
APOPTOSIS MARKERS.
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IMPEDANCE MARKERS.
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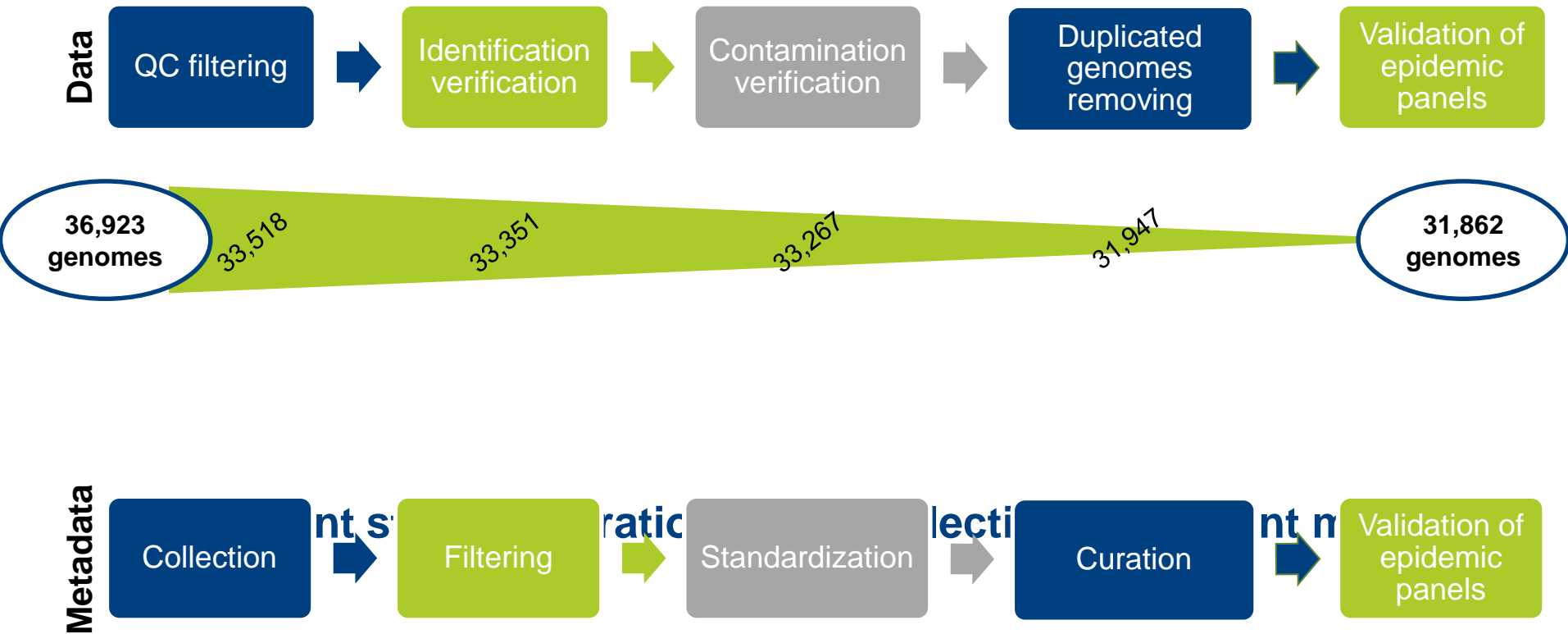
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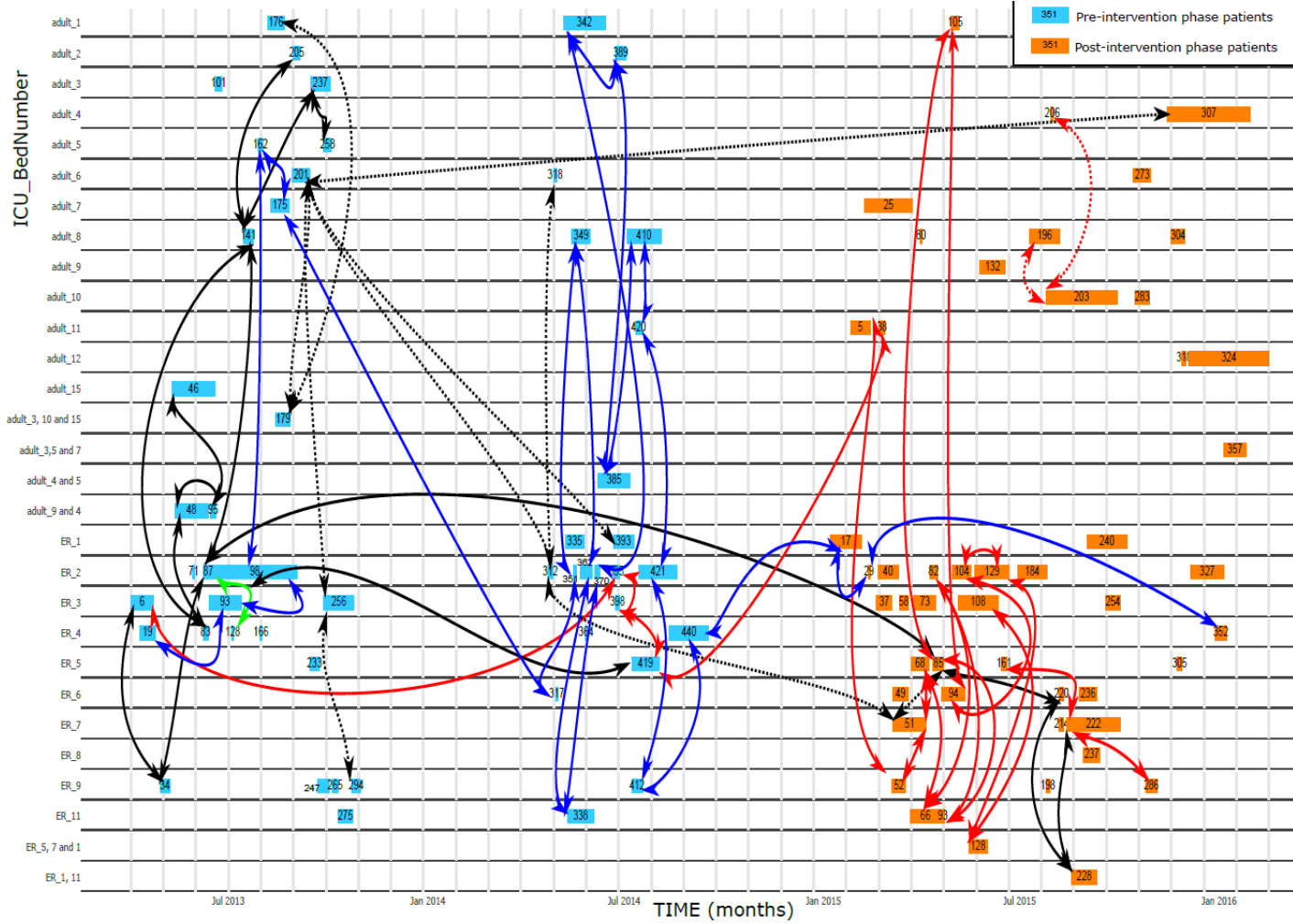
DATA AND DATABASES: QUALITY AND CLEANSING



● Different steps of filtering for the selection of genomes of quality

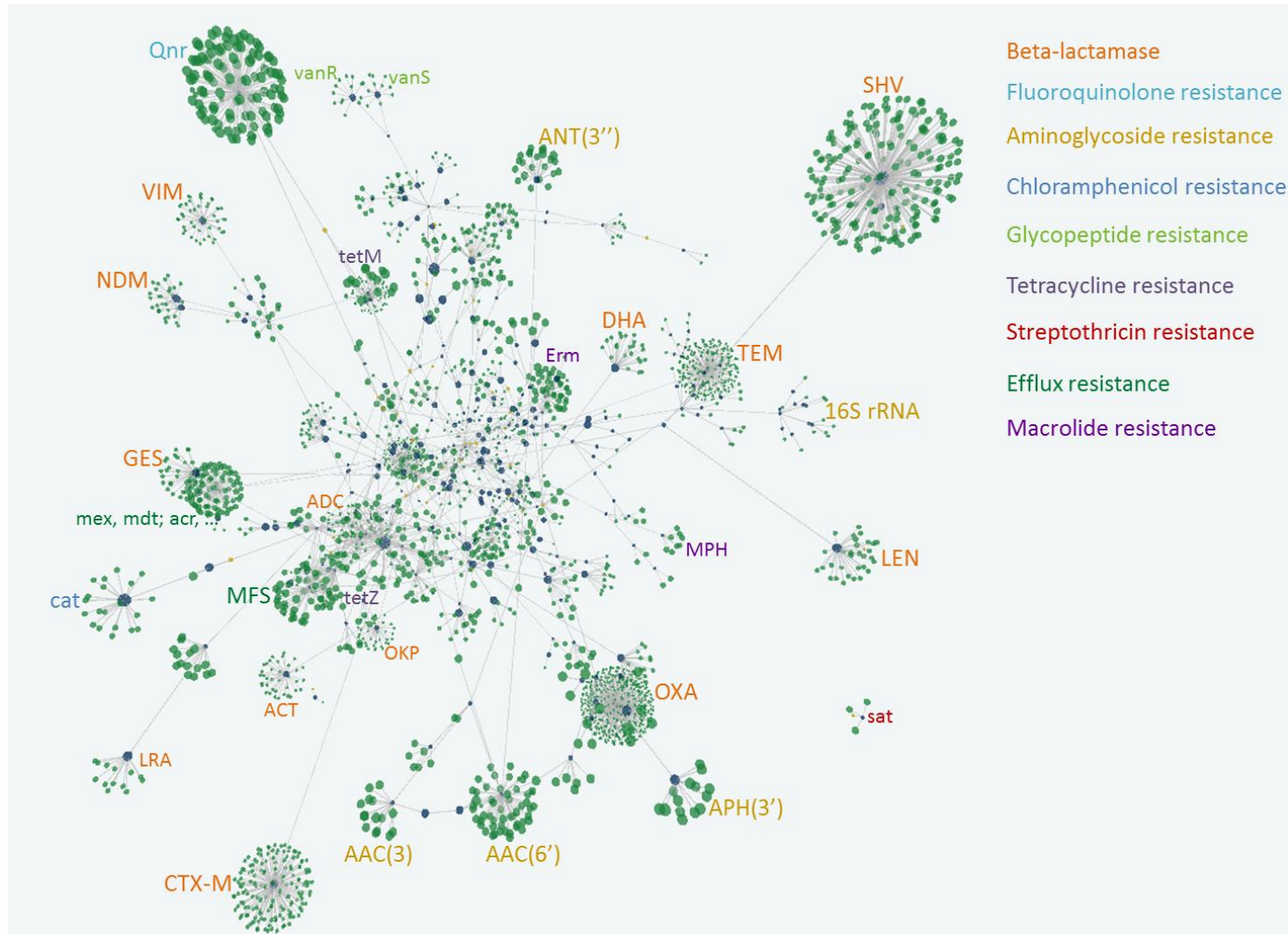


GENOMIC CHARACTERIZATION OF PSEUDOMONAS AERUGINOSA FROM A REFERRAL HOSPITAL'S ICUS IN JAKARTA



UNRAVELLING COMPLEX EPIDEMIOLOGIES

ANTIBIOTIC RESISTANCE GENE CATALOGUE

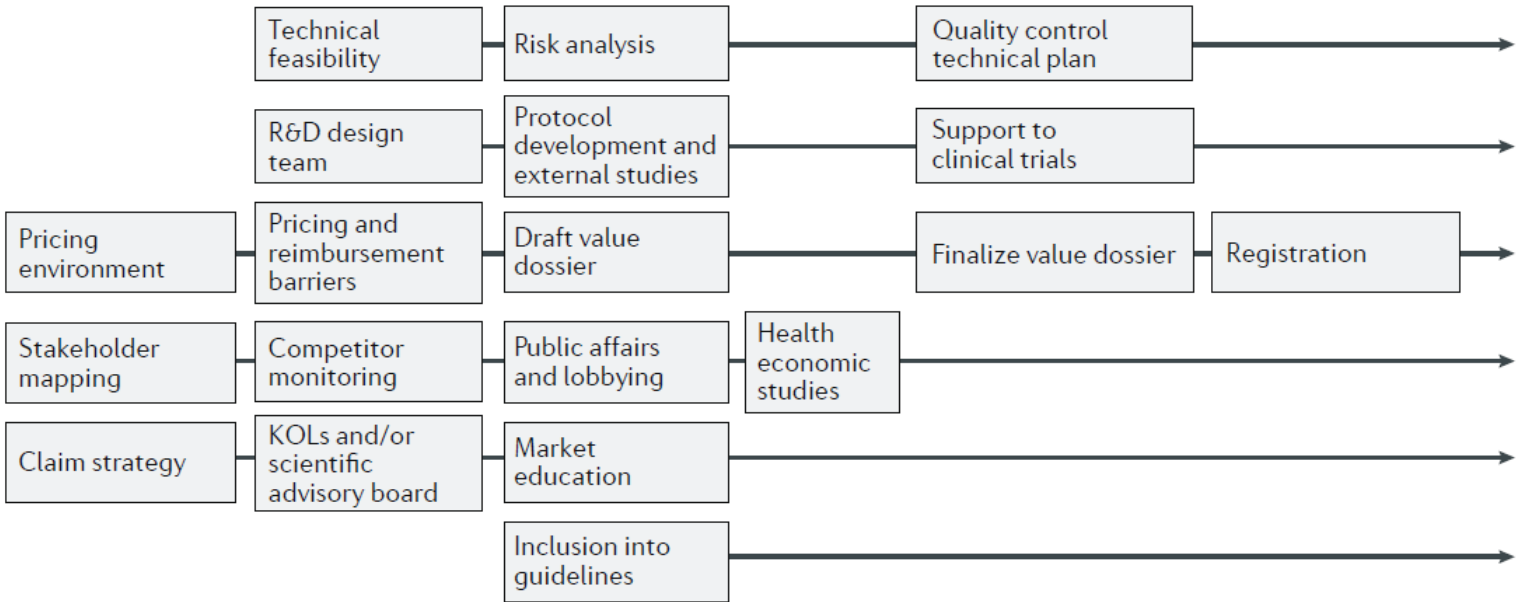
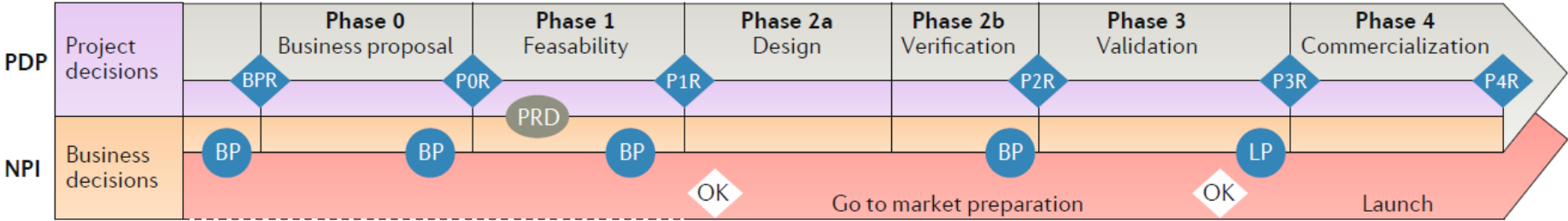


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Salmonella Typhi AS A GENOMIC AST MODEL

Antimicrobial resistance category	Presence of gene(s) and WGS-res profile	No. of Isolates with Indicated phenotype		Sensitivity (%) ^b	Specificity (%) ^c
		Resistant	Susceptible		
Ampicillin resistance	Total	263	273		
	<i>bla</i> _{TEM-1B}	262	7		
	Truncated <i>bla</i> _{TEM-1B}	0	2		
	No <i>bla</i> _{TEM-1B}	1	264		
	WGS-res profile: resistant	262	7	99.6	97.4
	WGS-res profile: susceptible	1	266		
Co-trimoxazole resistance ^d	Total	233	303		
	<i>dfrA7 + sul1 + sul2</i>	205 ^{e,i}	4 ^{f,j}		
	<i>dfrA7 + sul1</i> only	26	22 ^g		
	<i>sul2</i> only	1 ^{e,j}	55 ^{h,j}		
	None of three	1	222		
	WGS-res profile: resistant	231	26	99.1	91.4
	WGS-res profile: susceptible	2	277		
Chloramphenicol resistance	Total	250	286		
	<i>catA1</i>	248 ^j	7 ^j		
	Truncated <i>catA1</i>	0	1 ^j		
	No <i>catA1</i>	2	278		
	WGS-res profile: resistant	248	7	99.2	97.6
	WGS-res profile: susceptible	2	279		
Ceftriaxone resistance	Total	1	535		
	<i>bla</i> _{CTX-M15}	1	0		
	No <i>bla</i> _{CTX-M15}	0	535		
	WGS-res profile: resistant	1	0	100.0	NA
	WGS-res profile: susceptible	0	535		

PRODUCT DEVELOPMENT IS SCIENCE



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