



Epidemiology and Management of Methicillin-Resistant *Staphylococcus aureus* in the Community

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Post-test

1. What is the most common clinical presentation of community-associated MRSA infection?
 A. Pneumonia
 B. Skin infection
 C. Bloodstream infection
 D. Osteomyelitis
2. Administration of antibiotics is the primary treatment for uncomplicated MRSA skin abscesses.
 True
 False
3. A patient's complaint of a "spider bite" should raise suspicion of a *S. aureus* infection.
 True
 False

4. Community-associated MRSA infections should be suspected only in patients having direct contact with “high-risk” groups, such as athletes, correctional facility inmates, or military recruits.
 - True
 - False

5. Vancomycin is the antibiotic treatment of choice for uncomplicated community-associated MRSA skin infections.
 - True
 - False

6. A fluoroquinolone agent is an appropriate choice for treatment of a community-associated skin infection when MRSA is suspected.
 - True
 - False

7. Inducible clindamycin resistance occurs only when a patient has been previously treated or is being co-treated with erythromycin.
 - True
 - False

8. Vancomycin remains a treatment of choice for severe infections possibly caused by MRSA.
 - True
 - False

9. Standard precautions, including the use of personal protective equipment (gowns, gloves, eye protection, etc.) as appropriate for anticipated contact with wound drainage or body fluids, are required only for patients known or suspected to be infected with drug-resistant pathogens such as MRSA.
 - True
 - False

10. Students with MRSA infections should be excluded from all group activities until their infections are healed.
 - True
 - False

Overall Evaluation

11. Please evaluate this online CE activity.					
	Strongly agree	Agree	No opinion	Disagree	Strongly disagree
Overall, I would rate this activity positively	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
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12. The program met the learning objectives for the following:					
	Strongly agree	Agree	No opinion	Disagree	Strongly disagree
Discuss epidemiology of MRSA in the community.	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Describe strategies for clinical management of MRSA in the community.	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Describe strategies to limit the spread of MRSA in community settings, including schools and athletic teams.	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

13. Will you change how you practice as a result of this activity?

- Yes
- No

14. If yes, how?

15. Did you perceive commercial bias during this activity?

- Yes
- No

16. If yes, please specify:

17. How could this activity be improved?

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