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## Guidelines

**NICE** National Institute for Health and Care Excellence

*Candida auris: laboratory investigation, management and infection prevention and control*
Source: Public Health England - Source: GOV UK - 11 August 2017

*Infection Prevention and Control* [PDF]
Source: Royal College of Nursing - RCN - 15 November 2017

*Hepatitis A infection: prevention and control guidance (updated)*
Source: Public Health England - 29 June 2017 - Publisher: Public Health England

*Essential Practice for Infection Prevention and Control* [PDF]
Source: Royal College of Nursing - RCN - 15 November 2017

*Hepatitis A infection: prevention and control guidance*
Source: Public Health England - Source: GOV UK - 14 July 2017

*Chickenpox and shingles: infection control in prisons and other places of detention*
Source: Public Health England - Source: GOV UK - 29 September 2017

## UpToDate

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*Infection prevention: Precautions for preventing transmission of infection*
Infection control in the outpatient setting

Overview of control measures for prevention of surgical site infection in adults

Principles of infection control in long-term care facilities

Infection control measures to prevent seasonal influenza in healthcare settings

Clostridium difficile infection: Prevention and control

Infection prevention: General principles

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**Journal Articles**

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**NICE Healthcare Databases**

1. **Infection control when delivering intravenous therapy in the community setting.**
   **Author(s):** Higginson, Ray
   **Source:** British Journal of Community Nursing; Sep 2017; vol. 22 (no. 9); p. 426-430
   **Publication Date:** Sep 2017
   **Publication Type(s):** Academic Journal
   Available at [British Journal of Community Nursing](https://www.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/pmc/articles/PMC6152581/) - from EBSCO (CINAHL with Full Text)
   Database: CINAHL

2. **Taking your work home with you: Potential risks of contaminated clothing and hair in the dental clinic and attitudes about infection control.**
   **Author(s):** Davidson, Taylor; Lewandowski, Erica; Smerecki, Meghan; Stratton, Halee; Alhabeil, Jamal; Wheater, Michelle; Shepherd, Kathi; Krukonis, Eric S.
   **Source:** Canadian Journal of Infection Control; Sep 2017; vol. 32 (no. 3); p. 137-142
   **Publication Date:** Sep 2017
   **Publication Type(s):** Academic Journal
   Available at [The Canadian journal of infection control : the official journal of the Community & Hospital Infection Control Association-Canada = Revue canadienne de prevention des infections](https://www.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/pmc/articles/PMC6152581/) - from EBSCO (CINAHL with Full Text)
   Database: CINAHL
3. AGED CARE NURSES INFECTION CONTROL SURVEY.
Author(s): 
Source: Australian Nursing & Midwifery Journal; Jun 2017; vol. 24 (no. 11); p. 5-5 
Publication Date: Jun 2017 
Publication Type(s): Periodical 
Available at Australian nursing & midwifery journal - from EBSCO (CINAHL with Full Text) 
Available at Australian nursing & midwifery journal - from ProQuest (Hospital Premium Collection) - NHS Version 
Database: CINAHL 

4. More needs to be done on infection control and prevention in nursing homes.
Author(s): 
Source: Canadian Nursing Home; May 2017; vol. 28 (no. 2); p. 10-10 
Publication Date: May 2017 
Publication Type(s): Academic Journal 
Available at Canadian nursing home - from EBSCO (CINAHL with Full Text) 
Database: CINAHL 

5. Revolutionising infection control.
Author(s): 
Source: Operating Theatre Journal; Apr 2017 (no. 319); p. 4-4 
Publication Date: Apr 2017 
Publication Type(s): Academic Journal 
Database: CINAHL 

6. NURSING AND MIDWIFERY STUDENTS TEACHING INFECTION CONTROL IN INDONESIA.
Author(s): Wurst, Michele; Boyd, Katherine; Abigail, Wendy 
Source: Australian Nursing & Midwifery Journal; Mar 2017; vol. 24 (no. 8); p. 36-36 
Publication Date: Mar 2017 
Publication Type(s): Periodical 
Available at Australian nursing & midwifery journal - from EBSCO (CINAHL with Full Text) 
Available at Australian nursing & midwifery journal - from ProQuest (Hospital Premium Collection) - NHS Version 
Database: CINAHL 

7. Device-associated infection rates in Intensive Care Units of five cities of the Kingdom of Saudi Arabia: International Nosocomial Infection Control Consortium (INCC) findings.
Author(s): Al-Abdely, Hail M.; Alshehri, Areej Dhafer; Rosenthal, Victor Daniel; Banjar, Weam; Mohammed, Yassir Khidir; Assiri, Abdullah Mufareh; Fabros Cabato, Analen; Gonzales Celiz, Jerlie Mae; Al Raey, Mohammed Abdullah; Al Enizy, Hessa Abdullah; Abedel Kader, Nahla Moustafa; Mohammed, Diaa Abdullah; Al-Awadi, Duaa Khalil; Wasbourne, Maria; Saliya, Randa; Al-Zaydani Asiri, Ibrahim A. M.; Aldarani, Saeed Ali; Laungayan Cortez, Elizabeth; Demaisip, Nadia Lynette; Aziz, Misbah Rehman 
Source: Canadian Journal of Infection Control; Mar 2017; vol. 32 (no. 1); p. 31-36 
Publication Date: Mar 2017 
Publication Type(s): Academic Journal 
Available at The Canadian journal of infection control : the official journal of the Community & Hospital Infection Control Association-Canada = Revue canadienne de prevention des infections - from EBSCO (CINAHL with Full Text) 
Database: CINAHL 

8. Uniform-related infection control practices of dental students.
Author(s): Aljohani, Yazan; Almutadares, Mohammed; Alfaifi, Khalid; El Madhoun, Mona; Albahiti, Maysoon H; Al-Hazmi, Nadia

Author(s): Nakamura, Yoshitsugu; Kawatani, Yohei; Ito, Yujiro; Hori, Takaki


Publication Date: Jan 2017

Publication Type(s): Video-audio Media

PubMedID: 28106966

Available at Multimedia Manual of Cardio-Thoracic Surgery - from HighWire - Free Full Text

Database: Medline

10. Adenoviral Conjunctivitis in Health Care Settings: Why Accurate Diagnosis and Infection Control Matter.

Author(s): Kuo, Irene C

Source: JAMA ophthalmology; Aug 2017

Publication Date: Aug 2017

Publication Type(s): Journal Article

PubMedID: 28796855

Available at JAMA Ophthalmology - from American Medical Association (AMA)

Database: Medline


Author(s): Clayton, Judith L; Miller, Kimberly J

Source: AORN journal; Sep 2017; vol. 106 (no. 3); p. 201-210

Publication Date: Sep 2017

Publication Type(s): Journal Article

PubMedID: 28865630

Available at AORN Journal - from ProQuest (Hospital Premium Collection) - NHS Version

Database: Medline


Author(s): Scott, C; Mangan, J; Tillova, Z; Jensen, P A; Ahmedov, S; Ismoilova, J; Trusov, A

Source: The international journal of tuberculosis and lung disease: the official journal of the International Union against Tuberculosis and Lung Disease; May 2017; vol. 21 (no. 5); p. 579-585

Publication Date: May 2017

Publication Type(s): Journal Article

PubMedID: 28399974

Available at The International Journal of Tuberculosis and Lung Disease - from IngentaConnect - Open Access

Available at The International Journal of Tuberculosis and Lung Disease - from IngentaConnect

Database: Medline


Author(s): Dagher, Jihad; Sfeir, Charles; Abdallah, Ahmad; Majzoub, Zeina

Source: International journal of dentistry; 2017; vol. 2017; p. 5057248

Publication Date: 2017

Publication Type(s): Journal Article

**Author(s):** Khader, Karim; Thomas, Alun; Huskins, W Charles; Leecaster, Molly; Zhang, Yue; Greene, Tom; Redd, Andrew; Samore, Matthew H

**Source:** Open forum infectious diseases; 2017; vol. 4 (no. 1); p. ofw247

**Publication Date:** 2017

**Publication Type(s):** Journal Article

**PubMedID:** 28702465

Available at [Open forum infectious diseases](https://www.ojs.org/index.php/ofid)- from Oxford Journals - Open Access

Available at [Open forum infectious diseases](https://www.ojs.org/index.php/ofid)- from Europe PubMed Central - Open Access

**Database:** Medline


**Author(s):** Hsieh, Nan-Hung; Lin, Yi-Jun; Yang, Ying-Fei; Liao, Chung-Min

**Source:** Infection and drug resistance; 2017; vol. 10; p. 215-226

**Publication Date:** 2017

**Publication Type(s):** Journal Article

**PubMedID:** 28790857

Available at [Infection and Drug Resistance](https://www.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/pmc/articles/PMC5612309)- from Europe PubMed Central - Open Access

**Database:** Medline

16. Infection control in hospitals managing drug-resistant tuberculosis in Pakistan: how are we doing?

**Author(s):** Waheed, Y; Khan, M A; Fatima, R; Yaqoob, A; Mirza, A; Qadeer, E; Shakeel, M; Heldal, E; Kumar, A M V

**Source:** Public health action; Mar 2017; vol. 7 (no. 1); p. 26-31

**Publication Date:** Mar 2017

**Publication Type(s):** Journal Article

**PubMedID:** 28775940

Available at [Public Health Action](https://www.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/pmc/articles/PMC5577612)- from Europe PubMed Central - Open Access

Available at [Public Health Action](https://www.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/pmc/articles/PMC5577612)- from IngentaConnect - Open Access

**Database:** Medline

17. Screening and contact precautions - A survey on infection control measures for multidrug-resistant bacteria in German university hospitals.

**Author(s):** Biehl, Lena M; Bertz, Hartmut; Bogner, Johannes; Dobermann, Ute-Helke; Kessel, Johanna; Krämer, Carolin; Lemmen, Sebastian; von Lilienfeld-Toal, Marie; Peter, Silke; Pletz, Mathias W; Rohde, Holger; Schmiedel, Stefan; Schubert, Sören; Ullmann, Andrew J; Fätkenheuer, Gerd; Vehreschild, Maria J G T

**Source:** Antimicrobial resistance and infection control; 2017; vol. 6; p. 37

**Publication Date:** 2017

**Publication Type(s):** Journal Article

**PubMedID:** 28413631

Available at [Antimicrobial Resistance and Infection Control](https://www.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/pmc/articles/PMC5783631)- from BioMed Central

Available at [Antimicrobial Resistance and Infection Control](https://www.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/pmc/articles/PMC5783631)- from Europe PubMed Central - Open Access

**Database:** Medline

18. Foodborne Infectious Diseases Mediated by Inappropriate Infection Control in Food Service Businesses and Relevant Countermeasures in Korea.
Author(s): Barker, Anna K; Brown, Kelli; Siraj, Dawd; Ahsan, Muneeb; Sengupta, Sharmila; Safdar, Nasia
Source: Antimicrobial resistance and infection control; 2017; vol. 6 ; p. 35
Publication Date: 2017
Publication Type(s): Journal Article
PubMedID: 28405312
Available at Antimicrobial Resistance and Infection Control - from BioMed Central
Available at Antimicrobial Resistance and Infection Control - from Europe PubMed Central - Open Access
Database: Medline

20. Infection control at an urban hospital in Manila, Philippines: a systems engineering assessment of barriers and facilitators.
Author(s): Mitchell, Kaitlin F; Barker, Anna K; Abad, Cybele L; Safdar, Nasia
Source: Antimicrobial resistance and infection control; 2017; vol. 6 ; p. 90
Publication Date: 2017
Publication Type(s): Journal Article
PubMedID: 28883912
Available at Antimicrobial Resistance and Infection Control - from BioMed Central
Available at Antimicrobial Resistance and Infection Control - from Europe PubMed Central - Open Access
Database: Medline

21. Screening for vancomycin-resistant enterococci with Xpert® vanA/vanB: diagnostic accuracy and impact on infection control decision making.
Author(s): Holzknecht, B J; Hansen, D S; Nielsen, L; Kailow, A; Jarløv, J O
Source: New microbes and new infections; Mar 2017; vol. 16 ; p. 54-59
Publication Date: Mar 2017
Publication Type(s): Journal Article
PubMedID: 28203378
Available at New Microbes and New Infections - from Europe PubMed Central - Open Access
Database: Medline

Author(s): O'Hara, L M; Yassi, A; Bryce, E A; van Rensburg, A Janse; Engelbrecht, M C; Zungu, M; Nophale, L E; FitzGerald, J M
Source: The international journal of tuberculosis and lung disease : the official journal of the International Union against Tuberculosis and Lung Disease; Mar 2017; vol. 21 (no. 3); p. 320-326
Publication Date: Mar 2017
Publication Type(s): Journal Article
PubMedID: 28225343
Available at The International Journal of Tuberculosis and Lung Disease - from IngentaConnect - Open Access
Available at The International Journal of Tuberculosis and Lung Disease - from IngentaConnect
Database: Medline
23. An opposing view on including high school students in a latent tuberculosis infection control program in Korea.
Author(s): Bae, Jong-Myon
Source: Epidemiology and health; 2017; vol. 39 ; p. e2017015
Publication Date: 2017
Publication Type(s): Journal Article
PubMedID: 28395400
Available at Epidemiology and Health - from Europe PubMed Central - Open Access
Database: Medline

Author(s): Campbell, Jonathon R; Johnston, James C; Sadatsafavi, Mohsen; Cook, Victoria J; Elwood, R Kevin; Marra, Fawziah
Source: PloS one; 2017; vol. 12 (no. 10); p. e0186778
Publication Date: 2017
Publication Type(s): Journal Article
PubMedID: 29084227
Available at PLoS ONE - from Public Library of Science (PLoS)
Available at PLoS ONE - from Europe PubMed Central - Open Access
Database: Medline

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Library Resources

The books listed below are a selection of those that can be found at the library. To search the library catalogue in full, visit swims.nhs.uk.

- **Infection prevention and control at a glance (2017)**
  *Weston, Debbie; Burgess, Alison; Roberts, Sue; Peate, Ian*
  
  **WC195 Book**

- **Infection prevention and control : perceptions and perspectives (2016)**
  *Elliott, Paul; Storr, Julie; Jeanes, Annette*

  **WC195 Book**

- **Microbiology and infection prevention and control for nursing students (2016)**
  *Ward, Deborah*

  **WC195 Book**
In the News

**GOV.UK**

*Mycobacterium chimaera: infections linked to heater cooler units*
8 September 2017

**NHS Choices**

*Mouthwash and disinfectant ingredient linked to 'superbug' - Health ...*
NHS Choices-1 Nov 2016

*Low social status 'damages immune function'*
NHS Choices-25 Nov 2016

**Elsewhere in the News...**

*Infection control guidance issued for emerging fungal threat*
Nursing Times-15 Aug 2017

*Call for tighter checks on private hospitals used by NHS after MRSA ...*
The Guardian-19 Jul 2017

*Jeremy Hunt: Good infection control is a touchstone issue for the ...*
Nursing Times-14 Nov 2017

*Flu outbreak shuts Dumfries hospital ward*
BBC News-14 Nov 2017

*NHS trusts pressuring staff to help meet vaccination targets*
NursingNotes-21 Oct 2017

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