

Number of patients with stool culture specimen collected, stratified by age group and surveillance year

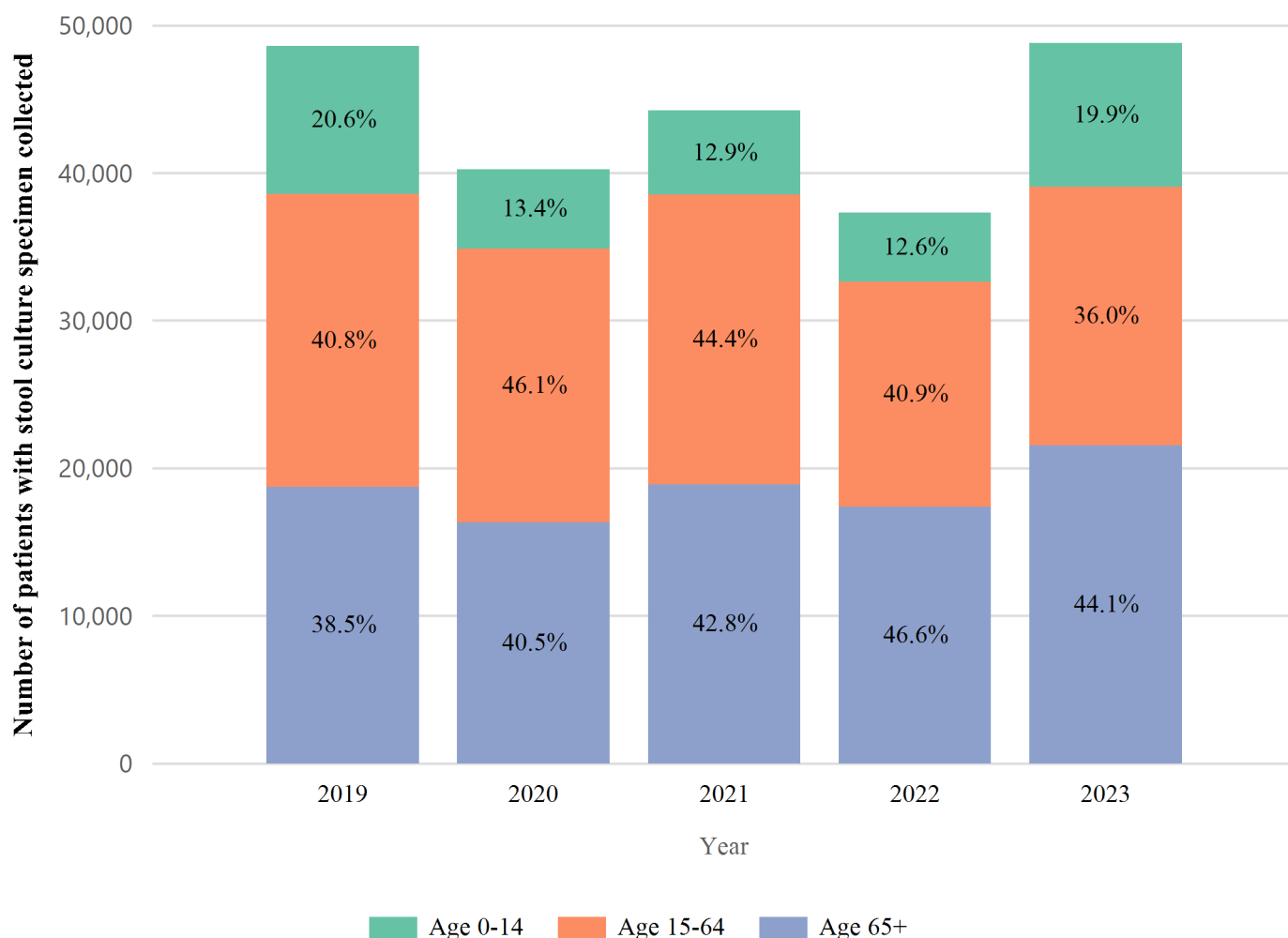
Year	Age 0-14		Age 15-64		Age 65+		Total	
	Patients Count*	%†	Patients Count*	%†	Patients Count*	%†	Patients Count*	%
2019	10,000	20.6%	20,000	40.8%	19,000	38.5%	49,000	100%
2020	5,000	13.4%	19,000	46.1%	16,000	40.5%	40,000	100%
2021	6,000	12.9%	20,000	44.4%	19,000	42.8%	44,000	100%
2022	5,000	12.6%	15,000	40.9%	17,000	46.6%	37,000	100%
2023	10,000	19.9%	18,000	36.0%	22,000	44.1%	49,000	100%

* Patient headcounts were rounded to the nearest thousand

† Percentages were rounded to one decimal place

§ Patient headcount >0 and <500

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Year	Prevalence of positive stool culture (%) (95%CI)			
	Age 0-14	Age 15-64	Age 65+	Total
2019	1,900 / 10,000	1,900 / 19,800	1,500 / 18,700	5,300 / 48,600
	(19.2%)	(9.6%)	(7.8%)	(10.9%)
	(18.5%-20.0%)	(9.2%-10.0%)	(7.4%-8.2%)	(10.6%-11.2%)
2020	1,500 / 5,400	1,900 / 18,500	1,000 / 16,300	4,400 / 40,200
	(28.3%)	(10.1%)	(6.1%)	(10.9%)
	(27.1%-29.5%)	(9.6%-10.5%)	(5.8%-6.5%)	(10.6%-11.2%)
2021	1,600 / 5,700	1,700 / 19,600	1,200 / 18,900	4,500 / 44,200
	(27.7%)	(8.7%)	(6.2%)	(10.1%)
	(26.6%-28.9%)	(8.3%-9.1%)	(5.9%-6.6%)	(9.8%-10.4%)
2022	1,200 / 4,700	1,300 / 15,200	1,100 / 17,400	3,600 / 37,300
	(25.7%)	(8.4%)	(6.1%)	(9.5%)
	(24.5%-27.0%)	(8.0%-8.9%)	(5.8%-6.5%)	(9.2%-9.8%)
2023	1,600 / 9,700	1,400 / 17,600	1,300 / 21,500	4,300 / 48,800
	(16.6%)	(7.7%)	(6.2%)	(8.8%)
	(15.9%-17.4%)	(7.3%-8.1%)	(5.9%-6.6%)	(8.6%-9.1%)

Patient headcounts were rounded to the nearest hundred

Percentages were rounded to one decimal place

§ Patient headcount >0 and <50

Non susceptibility percentage of *Salmonella* spp. (non-typhoidal) for different antimicrobials

(Total headcount)*‡¶	Location of Onset	Non-susceptibility %† (95% CI†) (Numerator*/Denominator*)					P-Value**
		2019 (2700)	2020 (2300)	2021 (2300)	2022 (1900)	2023 (2300)	
ampicillin	Undifferentiated	70.2% (68.4%-71.9%) (1900/2700)	69.9% (68.0%-71.7%) (1600/2300)	70.5% (68.6%-72.3%) (1600/2200)	71.7% (69.6%-73.7%) (1300/1800)	71.1% (69.1%-72.9%) (1600/2200)	-
ceftriaxone	Undifferentiated	4.1% (3.3%-5.1%) (100/2000)	3.2% (2.5%-4.1%) (100/1800)	6.8% (5.8%-8.0%) (100/2000)	7.2% (6.0%-8.5%) (100/1600)	10.6% (9.3%-12.0%) (200/2000)	↑ <0.01
ciprofloxacin	Undifferentiated	69.3% (67.4%-71.0%) (1700/2500)	66.7% (64.7%-68.7%) (1400/2100)	56.9% (54.8%-59.0%) (1200/2100)	59.2% (56.9%-61.5%) (1000/1700)	57.1% (55.0%-59.2%) (1200/2100)	↓ <0.01
sulfamethoxazole and trimethoprim	Undifferentiated	20.9% (19.4%-22.4%) (600/2700)	22.0% (20.4%-23.8%) (500/2300)	22.1% (20.4%-23.9%) (500/2200)	24.9% (23.0%-26.9%) (500/1800)	29.9% (28.0%-31.8%) (700/2200)	↑ <0.01

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‡ Total headcount refers to annual number of patients with particular organism isolated from blood/urine/stool

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¶ Compare with deduplication without consideration on location of onset, number of isolates selected for analysis increases because isolates from both hospital-onset and community-onset was selected for each patient, if available.

†† Since the susceptibility test was performed for less than 70% of isolates, readers should interpret the findings with caution.

** P-value was calculated using Cochran-Armitage Test to examine whether a trend with statistical significance exists, only trends with statistical significance were reported.

Legend: ↑ Increasing trend; ↓ Decreasing trend

Note:

Dataset was de-duplicated with consideration on location of onset.

Proportion confidence intervals were calculated using the Wilson method.

Non-susceptibility percentages calculated from less than 10 isolates (after de-duplication) were excluded from analysis.

The CLSI released revised fluoroquinolones interpretive criteria for Enterobacteriaceae (except *Salmonella* spp.) in 2019, and revised piperacillin/tazobactam interpretive criteria for Enterobacteriaceae in 2022. These updates may have contributed to the observed increase in subsequent years compared to the years prior to the criteria changes.

Revised colistin interpretive criteria for *Acinetobacter* spp. was released by CLSI in 2020. The increase in 2020 onwards may be contributed by the change in CLSI criteria.