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**PARTICIPANT STATISTICS**

**THIRD QUADRIMESTER 2018**

**BACTERIOLOGY SUPPLEMENTAL**

	Specimen 1		Specimen 2		Specimen 3		Specimen 4		Specimen 5		Mixed Pathogen
	Neg	Pos	Neg	Pos	Neg	Pos	Neg	Mixed pop	Neg	Pos	
<b>Gram Stain</b>	0	13	0	13	12	1	11	0	2	5	4
<b>Flagging</b>	***		***			***		***			

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	Specimen 1		Specimen 2		Specimen 3		Specimen 4		Specimen 5	
	No.	Flagging	No.	Flagging	No.	Flagging	No.	Flagging	No.	Flagging
<b>Morphology</b>										
Cocci	12		7		4		0	***	7	
Diplococci	0	***	0	***	8		0	***	2	
No diplococci present	0		0		0	***	0		0	***
coccobacilli	0	***	0	***	1	***	0	***	0	***
Rods (Bacilli)	0	***	0	***	0	***	11		0	***
Streptococci	1	***	6		0	***	0	***	0	***
Mixed morphology, pathogens	0	***	0	***	0	***	0	***	2	
No pathogens isolated	0	***	0	***	0	***	0	***	0	***
No organism found on gram stain	0	***	0	***	0	***	0	***	0	***
<b>Total Population</b>	<b>13</b>		<b>13</b>		<b>13</b>		<b>11</b>		<b>11</b>	

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	Specimen 1		Specimen 2	
	No.	Flagging	No.	Flagging
<b>Blood Culture</b>				
Negative	0	***	1	***
Positive	6		6	
Gram-negative	0	***	0	***
Gram-positive	0		0	
Staphylococcus aureus	6		0	
Streptococcus sp., NOS	6		4	
Streptococcus sp., alpha-hemolytic			1	
<b>Total Population</b>	<b>12</b>		<b>12</b>	

Specimen 2			
	Neg	Pos	No Path. Found
	<b>Strep Screen Antigen</b>		
<b>Total Population</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>0</b>
<b>Flagging</b>	<b>***</b>		<b>***</b>

	Specimen 1		Specimen 2	
	Neg	Pos	Neg	Pos
<b>Campylobacter</b>				
<b>Total Population</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>0</b>
<b>Flagging</b>	<b>***</b>			<b>***</b>