

MORNING CMO REPORT

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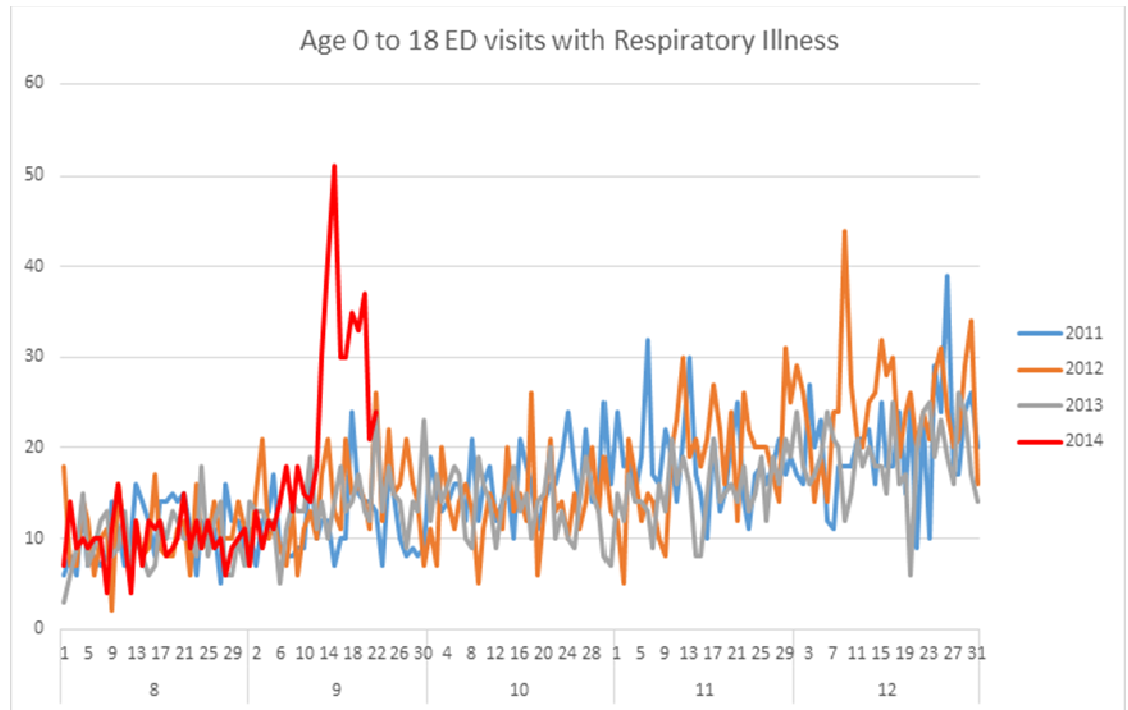
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Update on Enterovirus D68

Applies to All Physicians

Enterovirus
Informational



The graph above depicts a downward trend in patients 0-18 years of age presenting to the Emergency Department with respiratory illness since September 15. While it is too early to say we are in the clear, this is a positive sign that the extent of this illness may be receding. Again, thanks to all involved for their incredible work in meeting this challenge. If there are any questions or concerns regarding Enterovirus D68, please contact Dr. Waleed Javaid at 464-5815.

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Antibiotic Susceptibility Report

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Please note that our Antibiotic Susceptibility Report is now located on the Epic start page.

Antibiogram
Informational

The screenshot shows the Epic Hyperspace interface. At the top, there are fields for 'User ID' and 'Password' with 'GO' and 'EXIT' buttons. The main content area is titled 'Transferring Patients Between UH and CC' and contains several sections: 'ALERTS' (None at this time), 'EPIC NEWS' (with three news items dated Sep 10, 08, and 05, 2014), and 'CLINICAL RESOURCES'. The 'CLINICAL RESOURCES' sidebar on the right lists various tools, with 'Antibiotic Susceptibility Report' at the bottom. A red arrow points from a box labeled 'Antibiotic Susceptibility Report' in the main content area to the corresponding link in the sidebar.

Amion Follow Up

Applies to All Physicians

Amion
Update

In this past June's Morning CMO Report, the importance of ensuring Amion was continuously correct due to the role it plays in connecting transfers in from other hospitals was discussed. Since then, we have been tracking Amion carefully and am happy to report we have had no account of inaccurate Amion scheduling. I appreciate your attention to the accuracy of this important tool.

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