



## Tennessee Healthcare-Associated Infections (HAI) Reporting Requirements for Central Line-Associated Bloodstream Infections (CLABSI)

Central line-associated bloodstream infections (CLABSI) account for a large proportion of bloodstream infections (BSIs) occurring in U.S. hospitals. In Tennessee, CLABSIs have been reportable to the Tennessee Department of Health (TDH) since January 1, 2008, from intensive care units (ICU) in acute care hospitals (burn and trauma units began reporting in July 2010, and hospitals with an average daily census  $\leq 25$  began reporting in July 2012). CLABSIs will be reportable from medical, surgical and medical-surgical wards in acute care hospitals beginning April 2014. Long-term acute care hospitals began reporting CLABSIs in July 2010. Monthly reporting of numerator and denominator data is ongoing in each location type unless otherwise specified. For details on reporting requirements, please see the information provided below.

<b>Who needs to report?</b>	As of January 1, 2012: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>All acute care hospitals, regardless of ADC (<i>excludes critical access hospitals</i>)</li> <li>Long-term Acute Care Facilities (LTACs)</li> </ul>
<b>What is reported?</b>	<i>Numerator Data</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Central line-associated bloodstream infections meeting the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention/National Healthcare Safety Network (CDC/NHSN) case definition</li> </ul> <i>Denominator Data</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Patient days</li> <li>Central line (CL) days</li> </ul>
<b>Which facility types/units are included?</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Acute care hospitals: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>All adult and pediatric ICUs, including burn and trauma</li> <li>Neonatal intensive care units (NICUs): Level 2/3 and Level 3</li> <li>Medical, surgical, and Medical-Surgical Wards (adult and pediatric) (<i>starts April 2014</i>)</li> </ul> </li> <li>Long-term Acute Care Facilities (LTACs)</li> </ul>
<b>How is it reported?</b>	Using the National Healthcare Safety Network (NHSN) web application
<b>For more information:</b>	
Contact the TDH Communicable and Environmental Diseases and Emergency Preparedness, Healthcare-Associated Infections program at (615) 741-7247 or <a href="mailto:HAI.Health@tn.gov">HAI.Health@tn.gov</a>	
<b>NHSN Surveillance Reporting</b>	<a href="http://www.cdc.gov/nhsn/settings.html">http://www.cdc.gov/nhsn/settings.html</a>
<b>CLABSI NHSN Protocol</b>	<a href="http://www.cdc.gov/nhsn/PDFs/pscManual/4PSC_CLABScurrent.pdf">http://www.cdc.gov/nhsn/PDFs/pscManual/4PSC_CLABScurrent.pdf</a>
<b>CLABSI NHSN Protocol Training</b>	<a href="http://www.cdc.gov/nhsn/PDFs/slides/CLABSI.pdf">http://www.cdc.gov/nhsn/PDFs/slides/CLABSI.pdf</a>
<b>CLABSI Forms – Numerator</b>	Form: <a href="http://www.cdc.gov/nhsn/forms/57.108_PrimaryBSI_BLANK.pdf">http://www.cdc.gov/nhsn/forms/57.108_PrimaryBSI_BLANK.pdf</a> Form Instructions: <a href="http://www.cdc.gov/nhsn/forms/instr/57_108.pdf">http://www.cdc.gov/nhsn/forms/instr/57_108.pdf</a>
<b>CLABSI Forms – Denominator</b>	NICU: <a href="http://www.cdc.gov/nhsn/forms/57.116_DenominatorNICU_BLANK.pdf">http://www.cdc.gov/nhsn/forms/57.116_DenominatorNICU_BLANK.pdf</a> Form Instructions: <a href="http://www.cdc.gov/nhsn/forms/instr/57_116.pdf">http://www.cdc.gov/nhsn/forms/instr/57_116.pdf</a> ICU Other Locations (not NICU or SCA): <a href="http://www.cdc.gov/nhsn/forms/57.118_DenominatorICU_BLANK.pdf">http://www.cdc.gov/nhsn/forms/57.118_DenominatorICU_BLANK.pdf</a> Form Instructions: <a href="http://www.cdc.gov/nhsn/forms/instr/57_118.pdf">http://www.cdc.gov/nhsn/forms/instr/57_118.pdf</a>

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