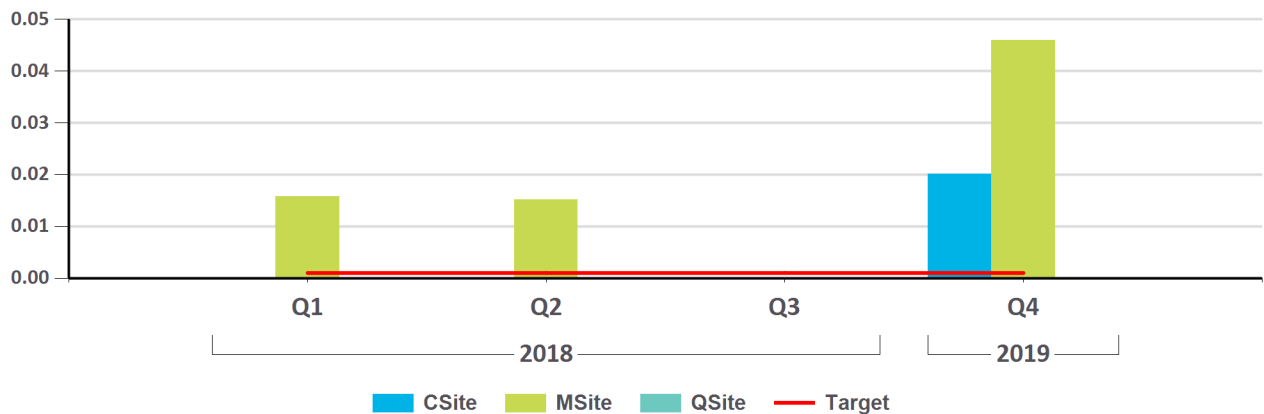


## Methicillin-Resistant Staphylococcus aureus (MRSA bacteremia)

*Staphylococcus aureus* is part of the normal bacteria that many people have and is commonly found on the skin and in the nose. *Staphylococcus aureus* that has developed resistance to some antibiotics is called MRSA. MRSA is a bacteria that can cause hospital-associated infections.

### Rate of HospitalAcquired MRSA bacteremia



	2018				2019			
	Rate	Count	Rate	Count	Rate	Count	Rate	Count
C Site	0.00	0	0.00	0	0.02	3	0.02	3
M Site	0.02	3	0.02	3	0.00	0	0.05	9
Q Site	0.00	0	0.00	0	0.00	0	0.00	0

#### Commentary:

IPAC remains vigilant in the detection and limiting the transmission of MRSA bacteremia's through robust surveillance and practice improvements.