

# Driving Team Member Engagement Through Competition

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## **Objectives**

- Discuss previous state
- Explore barriers in PICU
- Development of contest

- Present data outcomes
- Share lessons learned
- Q & A





#### Critical Care Services (CCS) at Children's Medical Center of Dallas

- CCS at Children's Health spans two floors, containing 44 beds, and sees a wide variety of critically ill patients. Both floors serve as a high acuity general PICU, but each floor has their own specialty as well. C11 specializes as a Trauma/Neuro ICU and C12 specializes as a Solid Organ Transplant Unit.
- Children's Health operates the only pediatric Level I Trauma Center in North Texas.
- Due to the complex diagnoses of the patients we serve, we support many modalities, such as CRRT and ECMO.



#### 2022 State of the Pediatric Intensive Care Unit



Team members asked on how to improve this, explained that there were not enough nurses, resources, etc.



## Decreased Incentive

Post Covid, left staff feeling burned out as our acuity was increasing. Overall staff was burned out and demonstrated decreased engagement



Moderate/Serious PIV Infiltrate	30
Central Line Associated Blood Stream Infection	10
Hospital Acquired Pressure Injury	32
Catheter Associated Urinary Tract Infection	8
Unplanned Extubation	13
Adverse Drug Event	10





#### Improving engagement through competition

Yearly door decorating contest

Brainstorming with leadership

Stakeholder buy-in



#### **Creation of the Contest**

- PICU Quality partner integral part of the development
- Aligning organizational priorities with unit priorities
- Development of scorecard
- Roll out to staff
  - Contest Name
  - Team Names and Colors
  - Prizes and Incentives





#### **Contest Advisory Board**



#### Responsibilities:

- Quantifying point values
- Quarterly updates or changes to the scorecard
- Final determination for unclear events
- Prize decisions, quarterly winners, and MVPs

#### **The Scorecard**

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Category	Value	Guacamole	Business	Purple Reign	New HAC	Blue Crew	Reefers
Good catch - general	1-10	18	14	5	15	14	11
Good catch - medication related	1-10	81	47	88	76	74	137
Mild PIVIEs/Phlebitis	1-2	34	5	13	7	7	21
7 consecutive days w/o moderate or serious PIVIE	5	55	55	55	55	50	55
7 consecutive days w/o stage II or greater HAPI	5	55	55	55	50	50	50
Whole month w/o CLABSI	20	60	60	60	40	40	40
Whole month w/o CAUTI	20	20	20	20	40	40	40
Whole month w/o UE	20	40	40	40	20	20	20
Whole month w/o HAI	20	40	40	40	40	40	40
Audits	1	5	1	13	3	5	3
5 Instances of Environmental Hygiene	1	81	47	89	44	52	43
Volunteering (ex. skills day, prevalence days)	2	20	10	0	5	15	10
Education/rounding	10	5	10	15	0	0	0
BSR attendance	1	14	30	27	23	14	19
HAC meeting attendance	1	27	18	44	27	20	15
POCT Check-offs	1	26	12	50	12	6	7
Bonus Points (ex. contest name, t-shirt)	10	0	0	0	0	0	10
Red cards	-1	0	2	0	0	0	1
Medication event	-1-10	25	10	20	10	10	30
Moderate PIVIE	-5	0	5	0	0	10	0
Serious PIVIE	-10	0	0	0	0	10	0
HAPI Stage II or Above	-20	40	40	40	40	40	40
CLABSI	-20	0	0	0	20	20	20
CAUTI	-20	40	40	40	20	20	20
UE	-20	40	40	40	40	40	40
Missed bundle element when HAC identified	-2	0	0	0	0	0	0
HAI	-20	60	60	60	20	20	20
Total		376	267	414	307	277	350



#### 2023 Outcomes

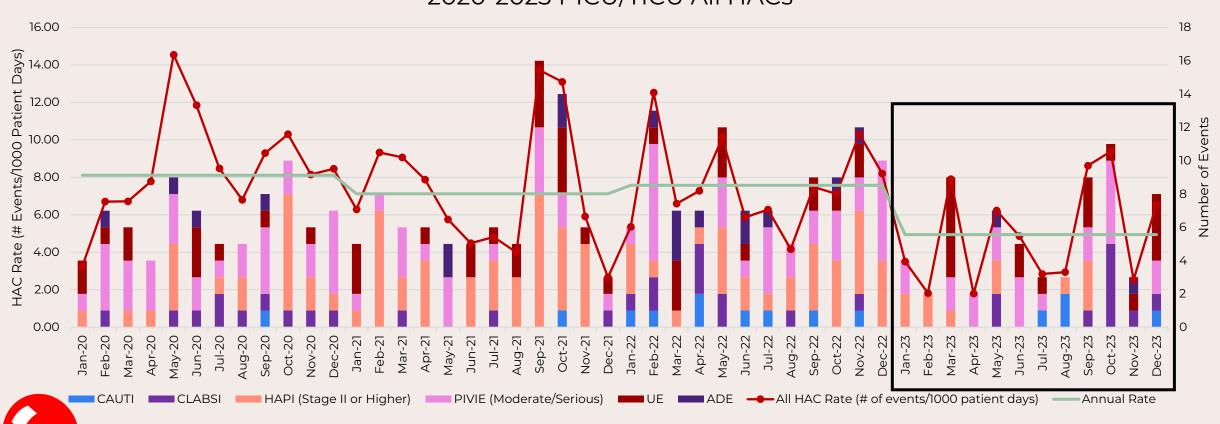
			Percent
	2022	2023	change
CLABSI	10	10	0.00%
CAUTI	8	4	50.00%
HAPI	32	11	65.63%
PIVIE	31	21	32.26%
ADE	10	2	80.00%
UE	13	18	(38.46%)
Total Events	104	66	<b>36.54</b> %
Patient Days	13731	13348	2.79%
HAC Rate	7.57	4.94	<b>34.72</b> %

This difference in event count represents an estimated

\$462,000 in prevented costs.

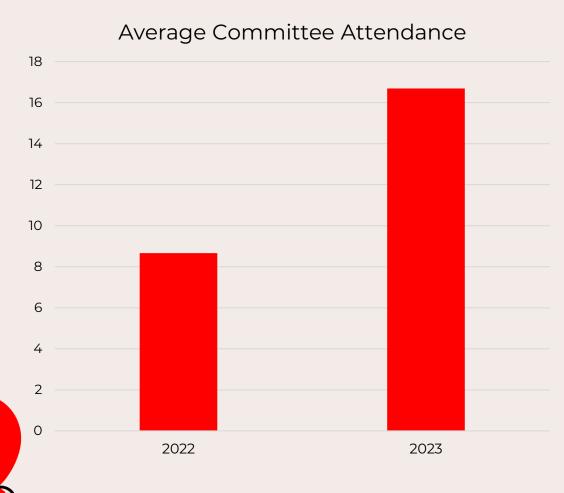


#### 2020-2023 PICU/TICU All HACs



#### **Unexpected Outcomes**

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- Staff engagement in committee meetings increased 93%
- Staff-led initiatives and education
  - Infection Prevention & Control video submission by ECMO team
  - Creation of content for Critical Care
     Academy
  - 'Tip of the Month' flyers for all HACs
  - CAUTI wheel initiative
  - December Safety Challenge

#### **Lessons Learned**

- Increase in onboarding created challenges to compliance
- Mid-Year slump in excitement
- Team leader engagement
- Team movement through the year



#### **Next Steps**



Fall 2023





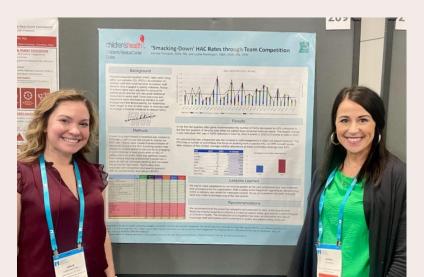




Sharing with other units within the hospital

Poster
presentation at the
Institute for
Healthcare
Improvement
Forum

Start of 2024 contest



Nursing Grand
Rounds pre

Podium presentation at the Society of Pediatric Nurses Conference



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