

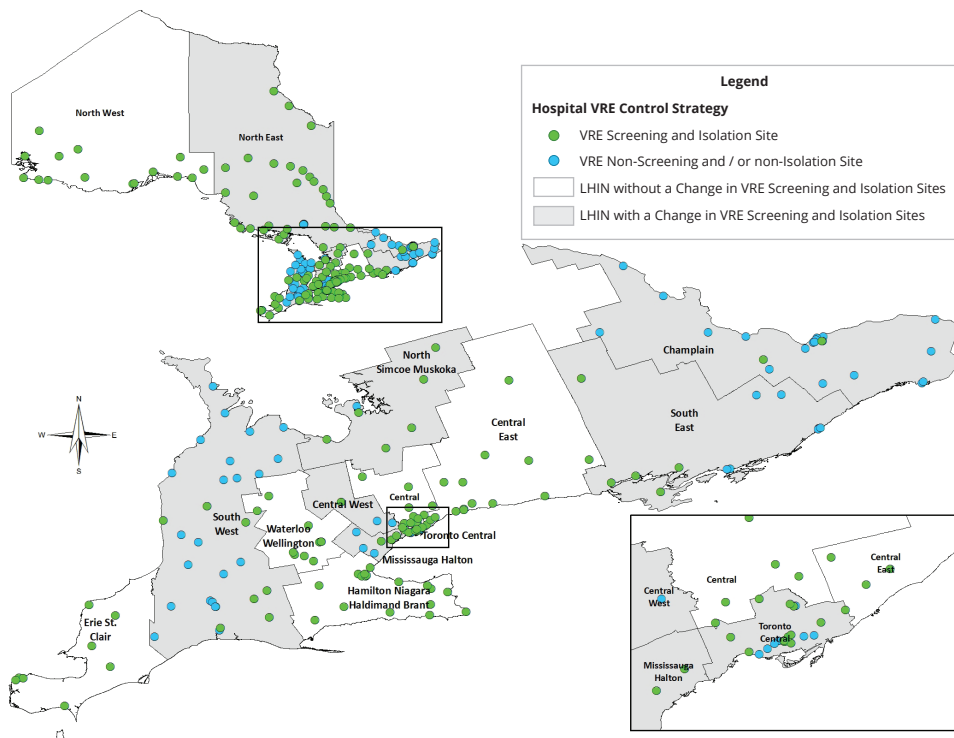
Status of Vancomycin-resistant Enterococci (VRE) Screening and Isolation Practices in Ontario Hospitals

2018 Survey Results

Since 2012 hospital infection control practices in Ontario for VRE have become increasingly diverse.

In response to this changing landscape, Public Health Ontario has conducted 4 surveys amongst all Ontario inpatient facilities between 2013 and 2018 to capture and describe these practice changes over time.

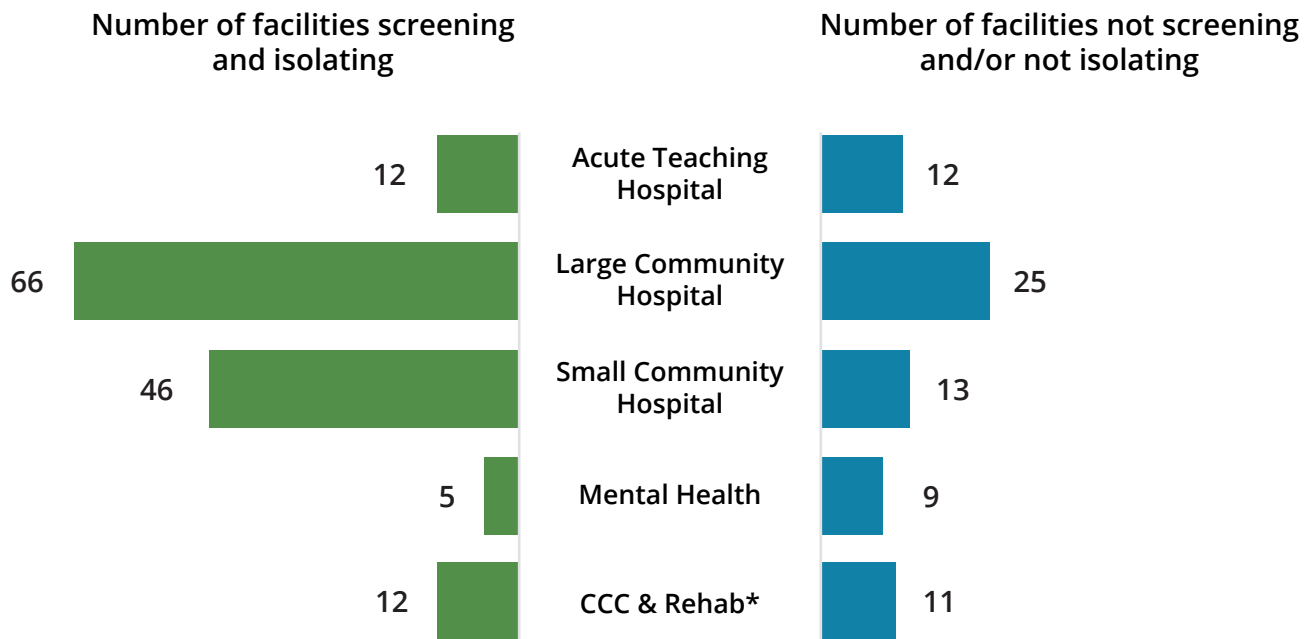
Status of VRE Control Practices in Ontario Hospitals by December 2018



33%
(70 out of 211)

of hospital sites surveyed had discontinued all or part of their VRE control practices and were located across 8 Ontario Local Health Integration Networks (LHINs).

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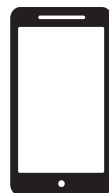


*CCC & Rehab: Complex continuing care (CCC) and rehabilitation

Note: The results represent cumulative changes in VRE control practices since 2012

36%
(25 out of 70)

of facilities that no longer screen and/or isolate for VRE were large community hospitals.



Take a picture to learn more about the VRE program of research at Public Health Ontario.