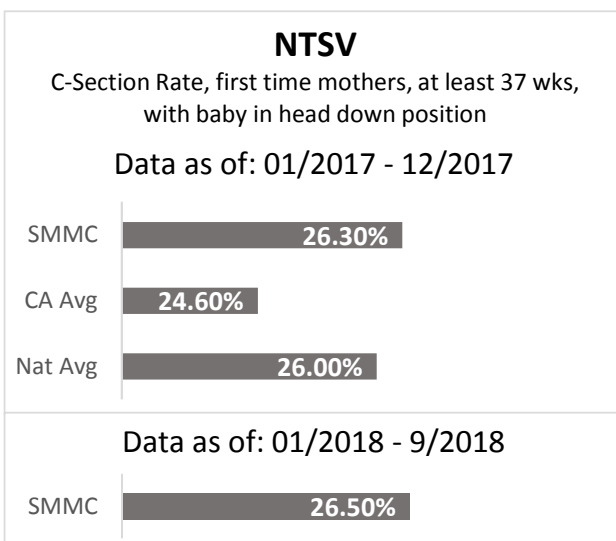
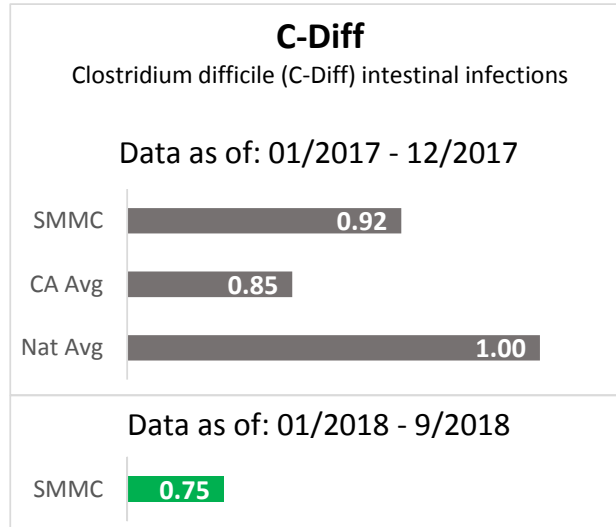
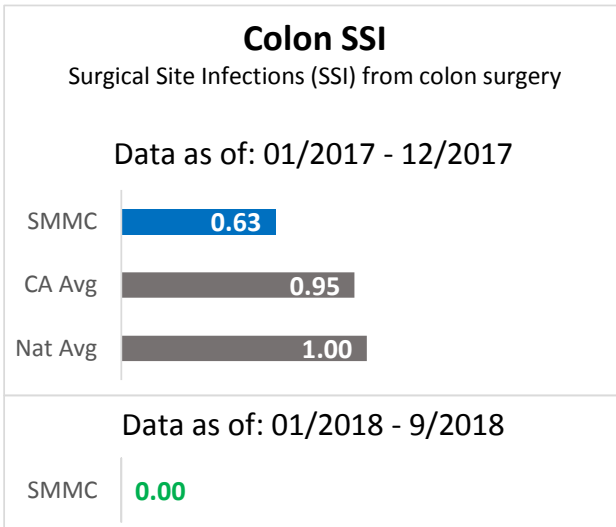
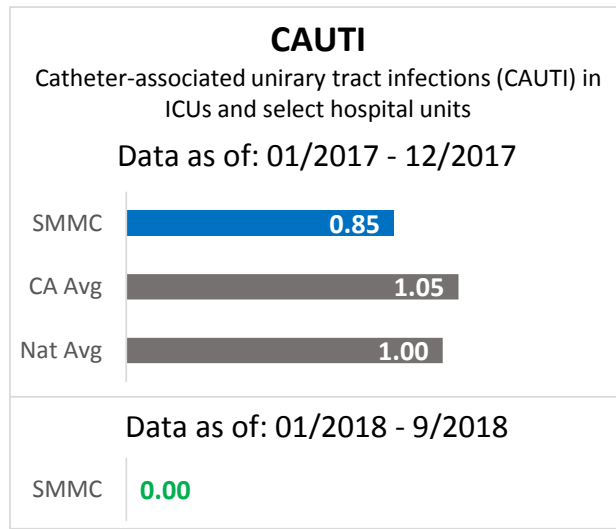
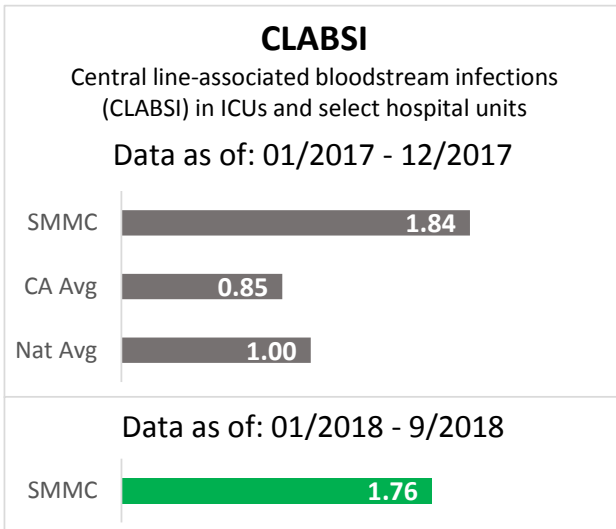


Note: A lower score is **better** on all measures



Hospital Acquired Infections are displayed as a Standardized Infection Ratio (SIR), which is the ratio of observed-to-expected infections during the measurement period. A lower SIR means there were less infections than expected.

**CLABSI – Central Line-Associated Blood Stream Infections** – is a serious infection that occurs when germs enter the bloodstream through a central IV line.

**CAUTI – Inpatient Catheter-associated Urinary Tract Infections** – is an infection caused in patients with a urinary catheter. Germs or yeast can travel along the catheter and cause bladder and kidney infections.

**C-Diff – Clostridium difficile Infections** – is a serious infection caused by the germ, Clostridium difficile,

**Colon SSI – Colon Surgical Site Infection** – This is a post-operative infection following a colon surgery.

**NTSV – Nulliparous, Term, Singleton, Vertex Cesarean Birth Rate** – The percentage of cesarean births among first time mothers who are at least 37 weeks pregnant with baby in the head down position. Lower values indicate that fewer cesareans were performed in the hospital among primarily low risk, first time mothers.

**0.00** – No cases occurred in reporting period.

**N/A** – Not applicable to this hospital, or rate/ratio too low to be calculated in this reporting period

SMMC Color Legend:

Better than CA and National Average

Improvement Noted Since Prior Year