CANADIAN ANTIMICROBIAL RESISTANCE ALLIANCE

## **CAN-R WEBSITE**

## **ABOUT CAN-R**

The Canadian Antimicrobial Resistance Alliance (CARA) launched a website in early 2007, CAN-R (www.can-r.ca). The site is an online research portal designed to aid and educate Canadian healthcare providers on the escalating issue of antibiotic resistance in Canada. In 2010, the site was redesigned with a clean and simple layout, and an exceptionally user-friendly interface to enhance the user experience.

Providing current and comprehensive information, the site includes a variety of features and tools on antibiotic resistance in Canada including:

- Surveillance of pathogens and infections
- Antimicrobial usage data
- Summary content from major conferences
  and meetings
- Key publications from evidence-based medical literature
- Clinical updates featuring:
  - Emerging issues, new research, investigational and new antimicrobials, and resistance surveillance.

## WHO WILL BENEFIT FROM CAN-R

CAN-R is a useful tool for researchers, medical care providers, and the media in understanding the rise of antimicrobial resistance in Canada and how it is being managed. Intended audiences include:

 Infectious disease specialists, medical microbiologists, clinical and basic microbiologists, clinical pharmacists, researchers, urologists, respirologists, intensivists, surgeons, residents and fellows, laboratory and nursing staff.

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#### **ABOUT CARA**

The Canadian Antimicrobial Resistance Alliance (CARA) is a research group dedicated to the study of medical microbiology/infectious diseases issues with special interest in infections caused by antimicrobial resistant pathogens as well as antimicrobial usage in Canada. The CARA headquarters are in Winnipeg, Canada, but CARA researchers are based across Canada and include site members who contribute to national antimicrobial resistance surveillance studies including CANWARD, CANWARD Anaerobe, CANICU, NAUTICA, and CROSS.

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