

Supplementary Table 1. Susceptibility of isolates to β -lactam and non- β -lactam antibiotics.

Antibiotic or resistance phenotype	% of resistant isolates
Ticarcillin	100
Piperacillin	91
Piperacillin-Tazobactam	88
Ceftazidime	80
Cefepime	85
Aztreonam ^a	17
Gentamicin	71
Amikacin	77
Tobramycin	74
Ciprofloxacin	71
Ofloxacin ^b	94
Meropenem	86
Imipenem	100
Colistin	0
MDR ^c	80

^a 45% of isolates had an inhibition zone between 19 and 27 mm (Intermediate category).

^b the remaining 6% of isolates had an inhibition zone between 22 and 25 mm (Intermediate category)

^c MDR isolates are resistant to at least three of this four antibiotics: ceftazidime, imipenem, ciprofloxacin and tobramycin (1)

References

1. **Obritsch, M. D., D. N. Fish, R. MacLaren, and R. Jung.** 2004. National surveillance of antimicrobial resistance in *Pseudomonas aeruginosa* isolates obtained from intensive care unit patients from 1993 to 2002. *Antimicrob. Agents Chemother.* **48**:4606-4610. doi:48124606 [pii];10.1128AAC.48.12.4606-4610.2004 [doi].

