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Letter to the Editor

Working party guidance on the control of multi-resistant acinetobacter outbreaks



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Sir,

I read with great interest the recent paper by Teare *et al.* concerning *Acinetobacter* spp. [1]. I understand from colleagues that they still find the working party report [2] helpful, despite it being several years old now. It was based on the experiences of many infection control teams at the time. The essential points are as pertinent today as they were then, as this excellent paper shows. Your readers might wish to know that the working party report has now been transferred to the Public Health England website, as follows:

<https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/acinetobacter-working-party-guidance-on-the-control-of-multi-resistant-acinetobacter-outbreaks>

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