

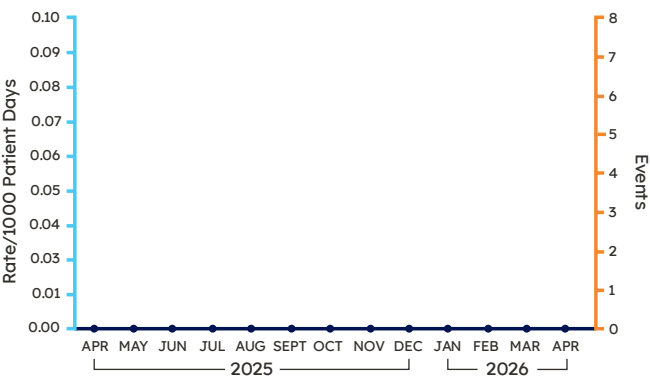
Quality and Safety



Phoenix Children’s exists to advance hope, healing and the best healthcare for children and their families. We strive to keep high-quality and safe care at the forefront of all we do. As part of the Solutions for Patient Safety (SPS), we collaborate with other children’s hospitals and work together to eliminate serious harm. This fact sheet provides more information on three SPS reports.

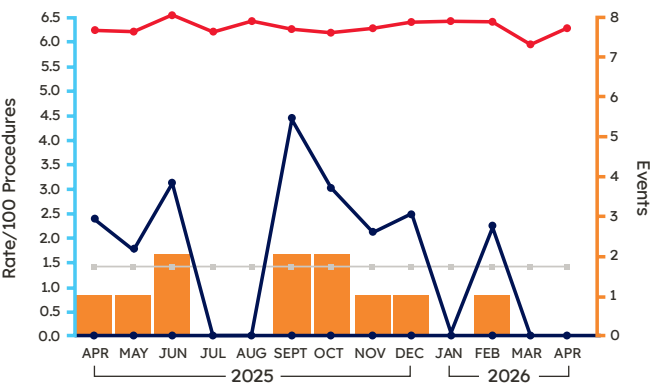
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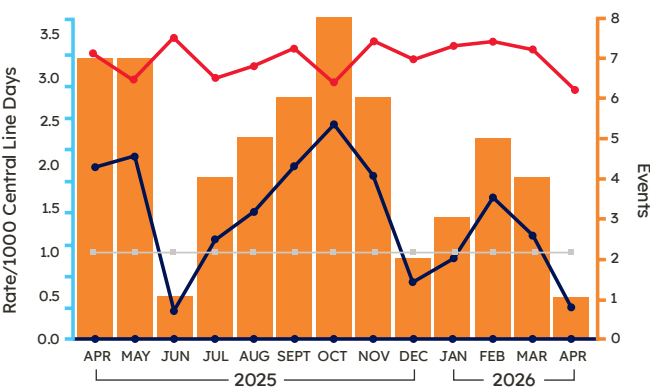
Adverse Drug Events (ADEs)

Medication administration is the most common intervention in healthcare but is extremely high risk. Adverse drug events (ADEs) can occur when someone is harmed by a medication. Medication safety is a top priority at Phoenix Children’s, and we remain focused on the medication administration process. Our health system’s reportable ADE rate for the most serious events is zero.



Surgical Site Infections (SSI)

Surgical site infections (SSI) can occur after surgery in the part of the body where the surgery took place. Phoenix Children’s follows a pre-operative bathing protocol for our patients to help prevent infection. Phoenix Children’s also follow intra-operative standards and post-operative wound care protocols.



Central Line Associated Blood Stream Infections (CLABSI)

Central line-associated blood stream infections (CLASBI) can occur when germs enter the bloodstream through a patient’s central line. Most cases are preventable with proper technique, surveillance and management strategies.