



ANNUAL PLAN HIGHLIGHTS



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Introduction

The annual plan is one of the most significant activities that the General Directorate of Infection Prevention and Control (GDIPC) conducts every year to set an overall direction by discussing goals, initiatives, and KPIs. Moreover, the annual plan supports to manage the resources and priorities in an organized way, keeps the workforce united, motivates and retains the team as well as empowers them by providing a sense of direction.

In this document, you can access the GDIPC's series of milestones including the framework for tasks, outlined activities, and targets that will be carried out to achieve the GDIPC's aims and objectives for the year 2023

Mission Statement



Reducing the HAIs rates and preventing their occurrence



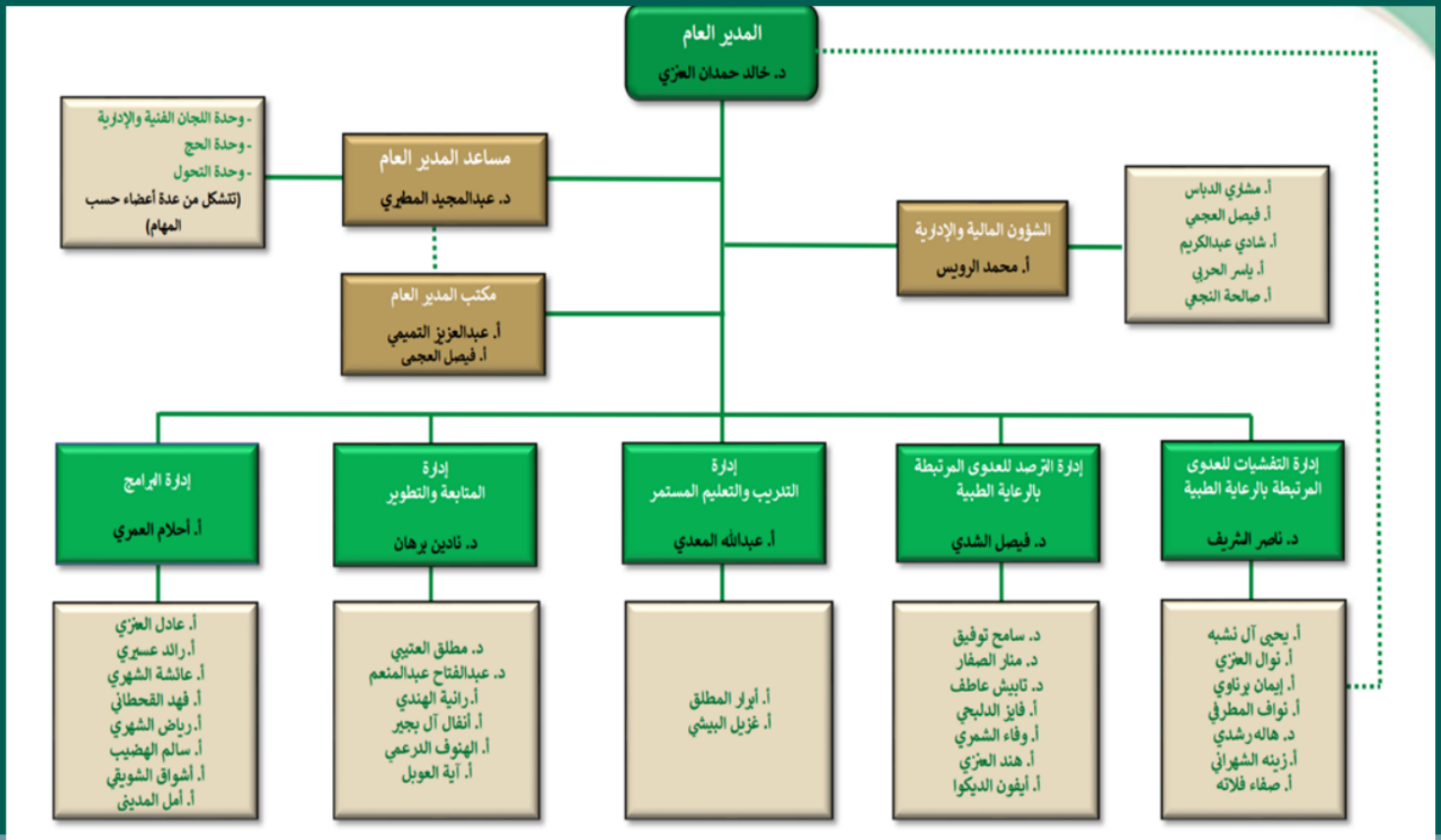
To be the pioneers and leaders at the international level distinguished by infection-free healthcare facilities.



- Goals Achievement
- Difference Making
- Innovation
- Perfection
- Collaboration

GDIPC's Structure

GDIPC's team is knowledgeable, ambitious, goal-driven, and success-oriented, they are capable and committed to perform high standards of work in relation to Infection Prevention and Control and Patient Safety which led to the high growth of GDIPC's goals. Thus, providing positive consequences to healthcare facility seekers either patients, visitors, or even healthcare workers in the Kingdom of Saudi Arabia.





GDIPC'S CALENDAR 2023

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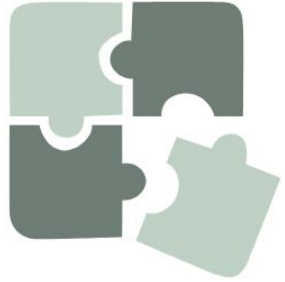
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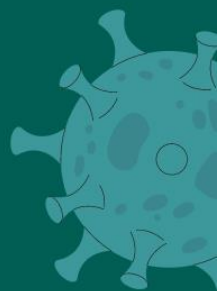
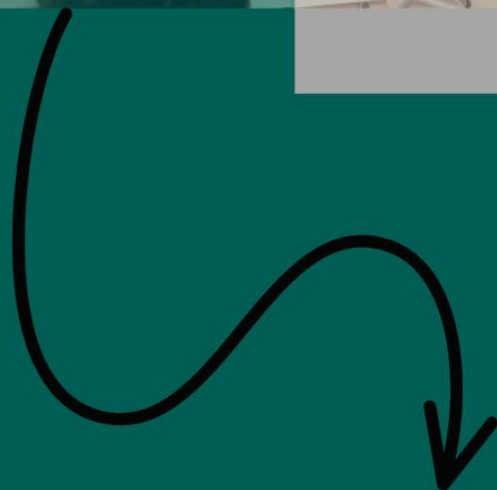
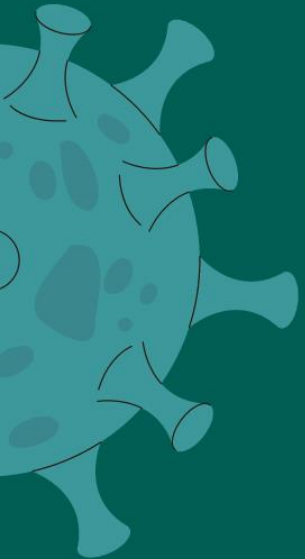
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GDIPC'S STRATEGIES



IPC Programs



GOAL



To ensure the effective implementation of the IPC programs at all levels (GDIPC, Regional Directorate, Healthcare facilities).

STRATEGIES



- 1 Monitor and develop the regional auditors' competencies, skills, and auditing performance
- 2 Improve the competencies and skills of the GDIPC auditing team members
- 3 Prepare and update the IPC guidelines and tools for specific services
- 4 Study the newly developed ICA tools regarding their impacts on IPC program implementation in healthcare facilities
- 5 Implement the IPC improvement project in sterilization services among private dental centers

Monitoring and Development



GOAL



To monitor the progress and evaluate the effectiveness of GDIPC strategies, plans, projects, initiatives, and activities on a scheduled basis through structured KPIs.

STRATEGIES



- 1 Formulate GDIPC strategies, annual plans, projects, initiatives, and activities on a scheduled basis through structured KPIs
- 2 Monitor and evaluate the GDIPC annual plan for 2023 quarterly
- 3 Monitor and evaluate the current GDIPC strategies
- 4 Improve the research skills of the GDIPC members
- 5 Implement the Capacity Building Project in Infection Control (III)
- 6 Implement the MDROs Rate Reduction Project

Training and Education Program



GOAL



To increase the competencies of infection preventionists by increasing the number of IC programs from 5 to 9

STRATEGIES



- 1 Implement 6 comprehensive programs (CICP, CSP, HAIOS)
- 2 Implement 3 Infection Control Orientation Programs (ICOPs)
- 3 Update and expand BICSL program.

HAI Surveillance Program

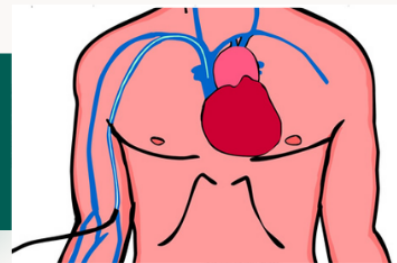


GOAL



To ensure 100% coverage of HAIs surveillance programs in the targeted MOH and private hospitals.

STRATEGIES



- 1 Reduce the NICU's CLABSI rate from 3.78 per 1000 central line days during the last year (2022) to 3 per 1000 central line days in Neonatal ICUs
- 2 Reduce the CLABSI rate from 2 per 1000 central line days during the last year (2022) to 1.5 per 1000 central line days in Adult Medical /Surgical ICUs
- 3 Reduce the CAUTI rate from 1.7 per 1000 urinary catheter days during the last year (2022) to 1.36 per 1000 urinary catheter days in Adult Medical /Surgical ICUs
- 4 Establish a national benchmark for SSIs rate in 106 MOH hospitals by the end of 2023
- 5 Improve data entry in the new electronic surveillance system (HESN plus).
- 6 Implement HESN Plus Surveillance modules in non-MOH hospitals
- 7 Implement Ped-VAE Surveillance module in all MOH hospitals that have Pediatric or Neonatal ICUs

HAIs Outbreak Program and RRT

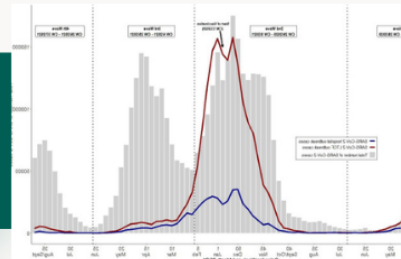


GOAL



To enhance the preparedness of HAIs outbreak

STRATEGIES



- 1 Improve the infection control measures and management process during the HAIs outbreaks
- 2 Improve the notification process via the electronic system
- 3 Raise awareness and knowledge about HAIs Outbreaks among Regional Health Directorate coordinators and infection preventionists in targeted hospitals
- 4 Develop and enhance the outbreak program activities which support the improvement of HAIs outbreak notification and management

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