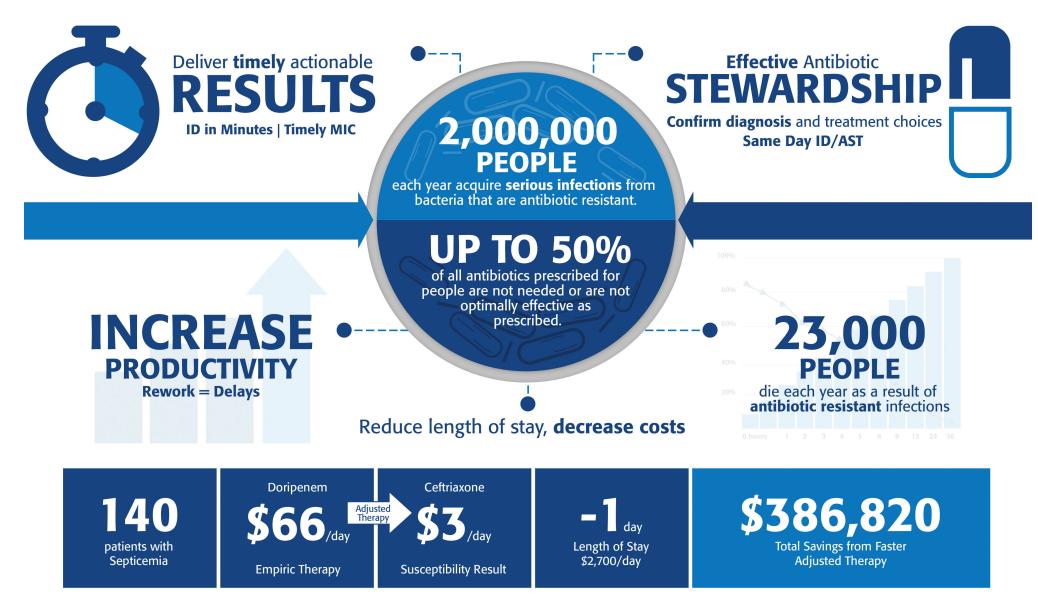


Keeping You a Step Ahead: Rapid Microbiology Solutions



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Through pioneering diagnostics, we help you stay a step ahead of today's microbiology challenges - and tomorrow's as well.

Antibiotic Resistance is a complex problem today with potential catastrophic implications in the future without action. Antibiotic resistance infections add considerable but possibly avoidable cost to an already overburdened healthcare system. From microbiology labs to Pharmacy to administration, you're facing challenges old and new:

Stay a step ahead...

- Confirm diagnosis and treatment choices
- Deliver timely results
- Enhance antibiotic stewardship
- Improve patient care hospital-wide

We stand ready with solutions- for today, and tomorrow. The people of bioMérieux have been leading the fight against infectious disease for more than a century - since Marcel Mérieux established his institute in 1897.

We continue to deliver practical innovations that advance clinical care – including a total ID/AST solution that brings together the technological innovation, scientific leadership and world-class support. With bioMérieux as your partner, labs will have the ability to deliver key information more rapidly, enabling clinicians to make confident decisions more quickly

In 2013 CDC issued a reference document citing 4 core actions that will help with the fight against antibiotic resistance:

- Preventing infection and preventing the spread of resistance 1)
- 2) Tracking resistant bacteria
- Improving the use of today's antibiotics 3)
- Promoting the development of new antibiotics and developing new 4) diagnostic tests for resistant bacteria

With everything from the largest bacterial collection library in the industry and prominent opinion leaders on staff, to highly rated support services and a proven ability to keep systems up and running, we're ideally suited to help you stay at the forefront of lab operations, financial performance and - most important of all - patient care.

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bioMérieux's Rapid Microbiology Solutions

Detection



*BacT/Alert[®] VIRTUO[™] has not been cleared by the FDA and is not available in the US.

Rapid Identification/Susceptibility Testing



Surveillance





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