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1	Impact of coronavirus disease 2019 (COVID-19) pre-test probability on positive predictive value of high cycle threshold severe acute respiratory coronavirus virus 2 (SARS-CoV-2) real-time reverse transcription polymerase chain reaction (RT-PCR) test results. <i>Infection Control and Hospital Epidemiology</i> , 2022, 43, 1179-1183.	1.8	4
2	Real-Time RT-PCR Allelic Discrimination Assay for Detection of N501Y Mutation in the Spike Protein of SARS-CoV-2 Associated with B.1.1.7 Variant of Concern. <i>Microbiology Spectrum</i> , 2022, 10, e0068121.	3.0	5
3	The Importance of Shiga Toxin-Producing <i>Escherichia coli</i> O145:NM[H28]/H28 Infections in Argentina, 1998–2020. <i>Microorganisms</i> , 2022, 10, 582.	3.6	6
4	Performance Characteristics of Next-Generation Sequencing for the Detection of Antimicrobial Resistance Determinants in <i>Escherichia coli</i> Genomes and Metagenomes. <i>MSystems</i> , 2022, 7, .	3.8	5
5	Household Transmission of Carbapenemase-producing Enterobacterales in Ontario, Canada. <i>Clinical Infectious Diseases</i> , 2021, 73, e4607-e4615.	5.8	8
6	Characterization of <i>bla</i> _{KPC-2} -Harboring <i>Klebsiella pneumoniae</i> Isolates and Mobile Genetic Elements from Outbreaks in a Hospital in Ecuador. <i>Microbial Drug Resistance</i> , 2021, 27, 752-759.	2.0	6
7	Emergence of Morganellaceae Harboring <i>bla</i> IMP-27 Metalloenzyme in Canada. <i>MSphere</i> , 2021, 6, .	2.9	3
8	Genomic Epidemiology of Carbapenemase-Producing Enterobacterales at a Hospital System in Toronto, Ontario, Canada, 2007 to 2018. <i>Antimicrobial Agents and Chemotherapy</i> , 2021, 65, e0036021.	3.2	4
9	Diverse <i>Escherichia coli</i> lineages from domestic animals carrying colistin resistance gene <i>mcr-1</i> in an Ecuadorian household. <i>Journal of Global Antimicrobial Resistance</i> , 2020, 22, 63-67.	2.2	16
10	Genomic analysis of two <i>Acinetobacter baumannii</i> strains belonging to two different sequence types (ST172 and ST25). <i>Journal of Global Antimicrobial Resistance</i> , 2020, 23, 154-161.	2.2	6
11	Dissemination of Verona Integron-encoded Metallo- β -lactamase among clinical and environmental Enterobacteriaceae isolates in Ontario, Canada. <i>Scientific Reports</i> , 2020, 10, 18580.	3.3	12
12	Using Genetic Distance from Archived Samples for the Prediction of Antibiotic Resistance in <i>Escherichia coli</i> . <i>Antimicrobial Agents and Chemotherapy</i> , 2020, 64, .	3.2	5
13	Mobile genetic elements associated with carbapenemase genes in South American Enterobacterales. <i>Brazilian Journal of Infectious Diseases</i> , 2020, 24, 231-238.	0.6	27
14	Genomic Epidemiology of Carbapenemase-Producing Enterobacterales (CPE) in Toronto, Canada. <i>Infection Control and Hospital Epidemiology</i> , 2020, 41, s479-s480.	1.8	0
15	Clinical and Genetic Characteristics of Extended-Spectrum Beta-Lactamase-Producing Enterobacteriaceae Among Canadian Children. <i>Infection Control and Hospital Epidemiology</i> , 2020, 41, s167-s168.	1.8	0
16	Comparing Patient Risk Factor-, Sequence Type-, and Resistance Locus Identification-Based Approaches for Predicting Antibiotic Resistance in <i>Escherichia coli</i> Bloodstream Infections. <i>Journal of Clinical Microbiology</i> , 2019, 57, .	3.9	12
17	Characterization of <i>Escherichia coli</i> Carrying <i>mcr-1</i> Plasmids Recovered From Food Animals From Argentina. <i>Frontiers in Cellular and Infection Microbiology</i> , 2019, 9, 41.	3.9	21
18	Genome-based epidemiology and antimicrobial resistance determinants of <i>Neisseria gonorrhoeae</i> isolates with decreased susceptibility and resistance to extended-spectrum cephalosporins in Argentina in 2011–16. <i>Journal of Antimicrobial Chemotherapy</i> , 2019, 74, 1551-1559.	3.0	33

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22	Interspecies DNA acquisition by a naturally competent <i>Acinetobacter baumannii</i> strain. <i>International Journal of Antimicrobial Agents</i> , 2019, 53, 483-490.	2.5	14
23	Characterization of a multidrug resistant <i>Citrobacter amalonaticus</i> clinical isolate harboring bla _{NDM-1} and mcr-1.5 genes. <i>Infection, Genetics and Evolution</i> , 2019, 67, 51-54.	2.3	17
24	Characterization of OXA-48-like carbapenemase producers in Canada, 2011–14. <i>Journal of Antimicrobial Chemotherapy</i> , 2018, 73, 626-633.	3.0	26
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27	1186. Prevalence of Carbapenemase-Producing Enterobacteriaceae (CPE) in Hospital Drains in Southern Ontario. <i>Open Forum Infectious Diseases</i> , 2018, 5, S358-S358.	0.9	1
28	1205. Emergence of Carbapenemase Producing Enterobacteriaceae in South Central Ontario, Canada. <i>Open Forum Infectious Diseases</i> , 2018, 5, S365-S365.	0.9	2
29	2165. Risk Factors for CPE Colonization in Household Contacts of CPE Colonized/Infected Patients. <i>Open Forum Infectious Diseases</i> , 2018, 5, S638-S639.	0.9	0
30	Emergence of Carbapenemase-Producing <i>Enterobacteriaceae</i> , South-Central Ontario, Canada. <i>Emerging Infectious Diseases</i> , 2018, 24, 1674-1682.	4.3	25
31	qnrE1, a Member of a New Family of Plasmid-Located Quinolone Resistance Genes, Originated from the Chromosome of <i>Enterobacter</i> Species. <i>Antimicrobial Agents and Chemotherapy</i> , 2017, 61, .	3.2	60
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44	Lateral dissemination and inter-patient transmission of <i>bla</i> _{KPC-3} : role of a conjugative plasmid in spreading carbapenem resistance. <i>Journal of Antimicrobial Chemotherapy</i> , 2016, 71, 344-347.	3.0	20
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50	Molecular Analysis of Antimicrobial Resistance Mechanisms in <i>Neisseria gonorrhoeae</i> Isolates from Ontario, Canada. <i>Antimicrobial Agents and Chemotherapy</i> , 2014, 58, 632-632.	3.2	1
51	Reply to "Further Proofs of Concept for the Carba NP Test". <i>Antimicrobial Agents and Chemotherapy</i> , 2014, 58, 1270-1270.	3.2	19
52	Antimicrobial Activity of Solithromycin against Clinical Isolates of <i>Legionella pneumophila</i> Serogroup 1. <i>Antimicrobial Agents and Chemotherapy</i> , 2014, 58, 909-915.	3.2	32
53	Comparative Genomic Analysis of KPC-Encoding pKpQIL-Like Plasmids and Their Distribution in New Jersey and New York Hospitals. <i>Antimicrobial Agents and Chemotherapy</i> , 2014, 58, 2871-2877.	3.2	105
54	Azithromycin Resistance Is Coevolving with Reduced Susceptibility to Cephalosporins in <i>Neisseria gonorrhoeae</i> in Ontario, Canada. <i>Antimicrobial Agents and Chemotherapy</i> , 2014, 58, 2528-2534.	3.2	53

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57	Complete Nucleotide Sequence of a <i>bla</i> KPC-Harboring IncI2 Plasmid and Its Dissemination in New Jersey and New York Hospitals. <i>Antimicrobial Agents and Chemotherapy</i> , 2013, 57, 5019-5025.	3.2	76
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60	Verona Integron-encoded Metallo- β -Lactamase 1 in Enterobacteria, Ontario, Canada. <i>Emerging Infectious Diseases</i> , 2013, 19, 1156-1158.	4.3	6
61	<i>Neisseria gonorrhoeae</i> Treatment Failure and Susceptibility to Cefixime in Toronto, Canada. <i>JAMA - Journal of the American Medical Association</i> , 2013, 309, 163.	7.4	184
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64	Complete Sequence of a <i>bla</i> KPC-2-Harboring IncFII K1 Plasmid from a <i>Klebsiella pneumoniae</i> Sequence Type 258 Strain. <i>Antimicrobial Agents and Chemotherapy</i> , 2013, 57, 1542-1545.	3.2	69
65	Complete Nucleotide Sequences of <i>bla</i> KPC-4- and <i>bla</i> KPC-5-Harboring IncN and IncX Plasmids from <i>Klebsiella pneumoniae</i> Strains Isolated in New Jersey. <i>Antimicrobial Agents and Chemotherapy</i> , 2013, 57, 269-276.	3.2	88
66	Outbreak of Carbapenem-Resistant Enterobacteriaceae Containing blaNDM-1, Ontario, Canada. <i>Clinical Infectious Diseases</i> , 2012, 55, e109-e117.	5.8	109
67	MupB, a New High-Level Mupirocin Resistance Mechanism in <i>Staphylococcus aureus</i> . <i>Antimicrobial Agents and Chemotherapy</i> , 2012, 56, 1916-1920.	3.2	94
68	<i>Escherichia coli</i> O104:H4 Infections and International Travel. <i>Emerging Infectious Diseases</i> , 2012, 18, 473-476.	4.3	13
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70	Distribution of Antiseptic Resistance Genes <i>qacA</i> , <i>qacB</i> , and <i>smr</i> in Methicillin-Resistant <i>Staphylococcus aureus</i> Isolated in Toronto, Canada, from 2005 to 2009. <i>Antimicrobial Agents and Chemotherapy</i> , 2011, 55, 2999-3001.	3.2	84
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75	New Delhi metallo- β -lactamase-1: local acquisition in Ontario, Canada, and challenges in detection. <i>Cmaj</i> , 2011, 183, 1257-1261.	2.0	37
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77	Susceptibility of <i>Streptococcus pneumoniae</i> to Fluoroquinolones in Canada. <i>Antimicrobial Agents and Chemotherapy</i> , 2011, 55, 3703-3708.	3.2	57
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