

TABLE E-1. Infecting Microorganisms*

	Group I (N = 70)	Group II (N = 58)
<i>Staphylococcus aureus</i> (methicillin-resistant)	17	10
<i>Staphylococcus aureus</i> (methicillin-sensitive)	9	4
<i>Staphylococcus epidermidis</i>	15	9
<i>Streptococcus</i>	6	3
<i>Staphylococcus</i> (coagulase-negative)	5	10
<i>Pseudomonas aeruginosa</i>	4	6
<i>Escherichia coli</i>	2	4
<i>Klebsiella pneumoniae</i>	1	2
<i>Enterobacter cloacae</i>	1	1
<i>Proteus mirabilis</i>	1	0
<i>Enterococcus</i>	0	1
<i>Bacillus subtilis</i>	0	1
<i>Bacteroides fragilis</i>	0	1
Unidentified gram-positive bacillus	2	1
Unidentified gram-negative bacillus	2	2
Mixed	5	3

*The values are given as the number of hips.