

TABLE E-1 Details of Reoperations for Suspected Infection

	Total Hip Arthroplasty	Total Knee Arthroplasty	Combined Cohort
Infection (<i>no.</i>)	18	14	32
Mean time to infection diagnosis (<i>days</i>)	20.8	29.6	24.7
Treatment (<i>no.</i>)			
Antibiotics and irrigation and debridement	15	8	23
Antibiotics, irrigation and debridement, and liner exchange	1	4	5
Antibiotics, irrigation and debridement, and component resection	2	2	4
Arthrotomy during reoperation	10	13	23
Positive intraoperative cultures	16	11	27
Primary infecting organism			
Methicillin-sensitive <i>Staphylococcus aureus</i>	5	2	7
Methicillin-resistant <i>Staphylococcus aureus</i>	3	3	6
Diphtheroids	2	3	5
Coagulase-negative <i>Staphylococcus</i> species	2	2	4
<i>Escherichia coli</i>	3	0	3
Group-B <i>Streptococcus</i>	1	1	2