ESCMID COLLABORATIVE CENTRE
Infectious Diseases Department - Centro Hospitalar São João
University of Porto Medical School, Portugal

Our hospital, Centro Hospitalar São João, is the second largest hospital in Portugal (with 1124 beds) and the main reference Center of the North of the country. It is a University hospital with strong connection to the Medical School of the University of Porto. The Infectious Diseases Department is the reference of Infectious Diseases for the North region and is one of the National designated centres for emerging infectious diseases.

WARD
27 beds (9 negative pressured individual rooms)
Around 500 patients admitted/year.

CLINICAL ACTIVITY

INFECTION PREVENTION AND CONTROL
ANTIBIOTIC STEWARDSHIP

The Department of Hospital Epidemiology has a Unit dedicated to hospital infection prevention and control and also antibiotic stewardship. Surveillance, prevention and control of HAI, monitoring and intervention in antibiotic prescriptions, educational sessions, participation in clinical roundups, local guidelines development are some of the activities of this group.

ICU
6 beds / ECMO Reference Centre

AMBULATORY DEPARTMENT

HIV Clinic
Hepatitis Clinic

IMUNOMODULATION THERAPY AND ID RISK CLINIC

TEACHING / ACADEMIC ACTIVITIES

Thematic presentations, clinical cases or journal club are presented in regular meetings twice a week. Active collaboration in the pre graduate training of medical students. Post-graduation training for residents and seniors.

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