

2025 Louisiana Office of Public Health Project Firstline Quarterly Webinar Series

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Topic #1: Antimicrobial Resistance and the Role of the ICAR in Mitigating Multidrug-Resistant Organisms in Louisiana

April 23, 2025 from 11:00 a.m. until 12:00 p.m.

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Presentation Objectives:

- Describe how antimicrobial resistance occurs and list common resistance mechanisms
- Review Louisiana MDRO data to highlight trends
- Discuss the importance of the ICAR in combating antimicrobial resistance
- Outline at least 3 modules in the Infection Control Assessment Response (ICAR) tool

Presenters:

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