Prevent Healthcare-Associated Infections (HAIs) from Spreading

- **Protect yourself, patients, and the facility** with infection prevention and control practices.
- **Work with colleagues** to identify infection risks.
- **Prioritize areas** that pose immediate safety risks.
- **Follow guidelines** for cleaning and disinfecting.

An HAI is an infection that can result from receiving health care.

On any given day, about 1 in 31 hospital patients has at least one healthcare-associated infection.

Learn more about infection prevention and control at [www.cdc.gov/infectioncontrol](http://www.cdc.gov/infectioncontrol).