



CLAB NORTHLAND

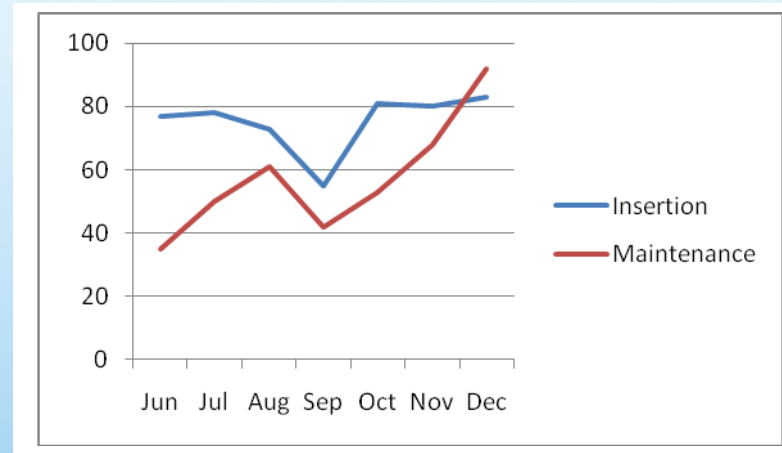
- **What has changed?**

- Team membership adjusted
- Involvement of Quality Directorate management
- Improved overall knowledge + practice around Infection Control – audited evidence
- Simple algorithm to clarify CLAB insertion/maintenance documentation

- **Barriers**

- Forms incorrect/not completed (ongoing)
 - Generic education
 - Daily review by CNM/Shift Co-ordinator during AM round
- Unclear process for HO taking blood cultures
 - In progress with microbiologist
- Team configuration
 - Quality Directorate manager
- Initial failure to meet insertion pack requirements
 - Standardised to CLAB pack
 - Chlorhexidine only stocked on CVL trolley

Data for 2012



CLAB FREE DAYS – 247

Last CLAB – June 2012 – insertion in OT

- **Ensuring change is permanent**

- ACNM has CLAB as defined part of role
- Improved working relationship with IP + C
- Improved + clarified data pickup + entry

- **Upcoming changes**

- ICU documentation review to include specific CLAB section
- Ward roll out – Ward CNMs + ACNMs support – Awaiting microbiology clarification x2 B/C
- OT roll out – Plan in place. Awaiting ward roll out 1st
- Adjustment of maintenance form to improve full completion
- Electronic checklists via Trendcare

