

Table 6: Deaths for which Clostridium Difficile was mentioned on the death certificate (either as the underlying cause of death or as a contributory factor), by the Health Board of residence of the deceased, Scotland, 2000-2008

NHS Board of residence	Year								
	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008
Scotland	116	170	164	188	239	313	417	597	765
Ayrshire and Arran	13	21	14	17	21	13	18	40	65
Borders	3	-	2	2	1	4	7	5	19
Dumfries and Galloway	-	12	1	3	6	25	9	20	23
Fife	6	9	11	17	24	23	41	49	69
Forth Valley	8	11	8	11	11	17	22	33	65
Grampian	6	4	9	10	12	14	17	42	82
Greater Glasgow and Clyde	32	45	51	44	70	86	117	180	181
Highland	-	2	2	6	5	3	8	25	29
Lanarkshire	18	12	22	17	21	28	52	66	77
Lothian	27	36	32	48	50	78	90	95	90
Orkney	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	3	2
Shetland	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	1
Tayside	3	17	12	13	18	21	35	38	61
Western Isles	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	1