

Table 1 - Deaths for which MRSA was: (a) recorded as the underlying cause of death; (b) described as a contributory factor; and (c) mentioned as either the underlying cause of death or a contributory factor - Scotland 1996-2008

	Year												
	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008
(a) Underlying Cause	6	13	14	22	35	36	46	39	42	38	51	56	48
(b) Mentioned as a contributory factor	28	56	64	72	74	100	109	130	148	174	162	174	166
(c) Mentioned as <u>either</u> the underlying cause <u>or</u> a contributory factor	34	69	78	94	109	136	155	169	190	212	213	230	214

Quarter in which the deaths were registered	Year												
	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008
(a) Underlying cause													
Annual total	6	13	14	22	35	36	46	39	42	38	51	56	48
Quarter 1	1	3	4	4	10	7	8	8	8	8	18	24	8
Quarter 2	1	4	5	6	7	12	19	14	9	12	6	15	12
Quarter 3	3	3	4	4	9	10	11	9	13	11	14	5	12
Quarter 4	1	3	1	8	9	7	8	8	12	7	13	12	16
(b) Mentioned as a contributory factor													
Annual total	28	56	64	72	74	100	109	130	148	174	162	174	166
Quarter 1	8	13	17	18	18	27	28	34	26	40	42	57	49
Quarter 2	4	13	13	21	12	23	36	46	36	58	46	42	38
Quarter 3	5	15	15	15	20	21	24	22	30	42	49	39	42
Quarter 4	11	15	19	18	24	29	21	28	56	34	25	36	37
(c) Mentioned as <u>either</u> the underlying cause <u>or</u> a contributory factor													
Annual total	34	69	78	94	109	136	155	169	190	212	213	230	214
Quarter 1	9	16	21	22	28	34	36	42	34	48	60	81	57
Quarter 2	5	17	18	27	19	35	55	60	45	70	52	57	50
Quarter 3	8	18	19	19	29	31	35	31	43	53	63	44	54
Quarter 4	12	18	20	26	33	36	29	36	68	41	38	48	53