

# HAIs BY THE NUMBERS

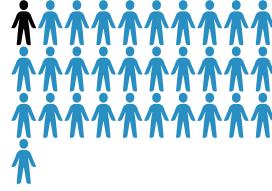


SuctionShield

1 Life Lost Due to a Preventable Infection = 1 Life Too Many



**1 in 3 HOSPITALS**  
will have a patient acquire  
an HAI today, and everyday



**1 OF EVERY 31**  
**HOSPITAL PATIENTS**  
has at least 1 healthcare  
associated infection



**VAP**  
(Ventilator Associated  
Pneumonia) is the costliest  
per incident



**3 TIMES MORE PEOPLE DIE**  
**FROM HAIs THAN CAR**  
**ACCIDENTS EACH YEAR**

## FINANCIAL IMPACT PER HOSPITAL

**1.7 Million**

HAIs occur each year



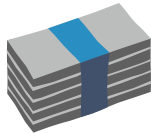
**100,000**

patient deaths



**\$200 BILLION**

unreimbursed care, staff  
absentee days, loss of life



## WHAT IS SUCTIONSIELD?

A disposable holster that attaches to  
virtually any horizontal surface to hold  
suction implements, helping to reduce  
cross contamination and HAI transmission.

Sources: [www.cdc.gov/hai/data/portal/progress-report.html](http://www.cdc.gov/hai/data/portal/progress-report.html) ; [www.nhtsa.gov/press-releases/early-estimate-2021-traffic-fatalities](http://www.nhtsa.gov/press-releases/early-estimate-2021-traffic-fatalities); <https://epi.dph.ncdhhs.gov/cd/diseases/hai.html>



A SMART SIMPLE WAY

TO REDUCE THE

SPREAD OF INFECTION



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