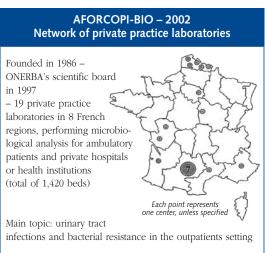
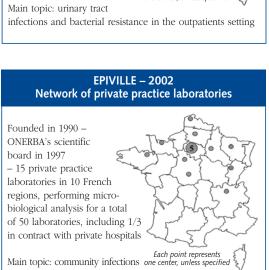


Chapter I The Networks of ONERBA

ONERBA was established in 1997 with 11 networks of microbiologists involved in activities of surveillance of bacterial resistance to antimicrobials. In 2003, ONERBA was federating 15 networks briefly described underneath. (For more details on each network, please see the French version of the report).

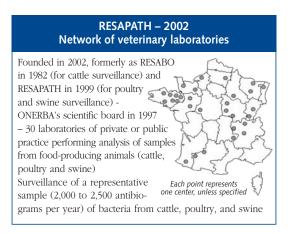




AQUITAINE – 2002 Network of private practice laboratories Each point represents one center, unless specified Founded in 1998 - ONERBA's scientific board in 2000 - 20 private practice laboratories grouped in 10 societies in the Aquitaine region, performing microbiological analysis for ambulatory patients, and 20 private hospitals, 2 general

hospitals, 40 nursing homes and 7 rehabilitation centres

Topic varies each year



Network of the Bacteriology-Virology-Hygiene College of Assistance Publique-Hôpitaux de Paris

Founded in 1993 - ONERBA's scientific board in 1997

- 39 laboratories of teaching hospitals in Paris area
- 20,496 beds, including 14,161 acute-care beds, 2,929 rehabilitation beds, and 3,406 long-term care beds

Networks of the Coordination Centres for prevention of nosocomial infection (C-CLIN)

Microbiological network of the C-CLIN Paris-Nord (Paris and North)

Founded in 1994 - ONERBA's scientific board in 1997

- 93 health institutions
- 5 teaching hospitals, 59 general hospitals, 19 private hospitals with public activities, 2 military hospitals, 2 cancer hospitals, 11 private hospitals
- 30,769 acute-care beds (including 1,509 intensive-care beds), 5,966 rehabilitation beds, 8,907 long-term care beds

Champagne-Ardenne network (East)

Founded in 1996 - ONERBA's scientific board in 2000

- 21 health institutions
- 4,574 acute-care beds, 2,145 rehabilitation or long-term care beds

Franche-Comté network (RF-CLIN, East)

Founded in 1993 - ONERBA's scientific board in 1997

- 26 health institutions
- -3,581 acute-care beds, 3,512 rehabilitation or long-term care beds

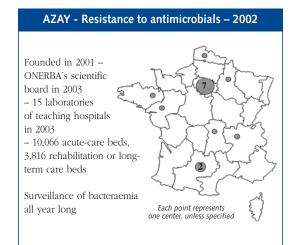
Microbiological network of the C-CLIN Sud-Ouest (South-West)

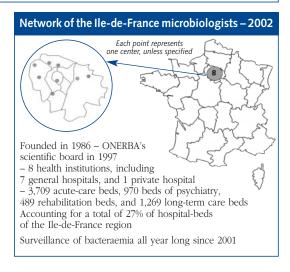
Founded in 1993 - ONERBA's scientific board in 1997

- 56 health institutions
- 14,212 beds, including 10,714 acute-care beds

All 4 networks run 2 types of surveillance:

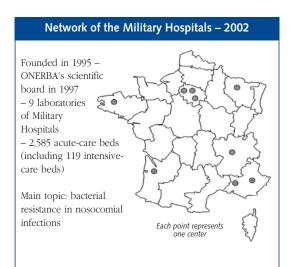
- surveillance of multidrug resistant bacteria each year during a 3-month period
- surveillance of bacteraemia during a 3-month period every year or every other year according to the network





The Networks of ONERBA





Hygiene Network of the Centre of France - 2002

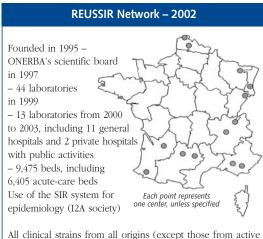
Founded in 2000 - ONERBA's scientific board in 2002

- 35 health institutions
- 9,296 beds

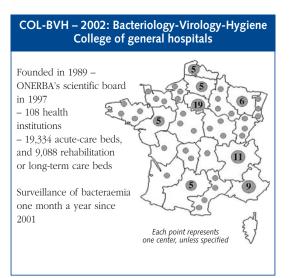
Main topic: bacterial resistance in hospital- and community-acquired infections

National Reference Centers

- Pneumococci
- Haemophilus influenzae
- Resistance of mycobacteria to antimicrobials
- Mechanisms of resistance to antimicrobials



All clinical strains from all origins (except those from active surveillance cultures and environmental strains), all year long



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