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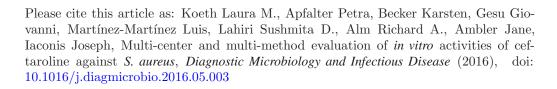
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#### **Abstract**

This five-site study was performed to assess the reproducibility of ceftaroline MIC and disk results for *Staphylococcus aureus*. Three commercial broth microdilution, three gradient diffusion and ceftaroline 5 µg disk diffusion methods were compared to a reference broth

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