

## HQIC Antibiotic Stewardship Workgroup: Clostridioides difficile Module

Video: A **C. Difficile** Patient Survivor Story

Video interview with a nurse describing her own *C. difficile* survival story. The story includes a first-person accounting of her yearlong hospitalization, the impact of antibiotic therapy, prevention of *C. difficile* and the long-term effects of this devastating antibiotic adverse event.

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=XwFlv4Ulf8g>

[Antibiotic Stewardship: C. difficile](#) – This summary document includes content to augment the *C. difficile* patient video story. It includes CDC links, references for patient education and information related to patient diaries.

[C. difficile Resource Summary](#)

[C. difficile Testing Protocol](#)

[Checklist for C. difficile Orders](#)

[C. difficile Process Discovery Tool](#)

[CDI Best Practices Checklist](#)

[Download a Table of Contents](#) to locate specific sections of the Patient Survivor Story video.

### Clips from A **C. Difficile** Patient Survivor Story

[Clip 1](#): Reflections on loneliness and isolation

[Clip 2](#): The value of a patient diary

[Clip 3](#): Strategies that might have prevented the severity of this illness

[Clip 4](#): Additional preventative strategies

[Clip 5](#): Feeling disconnected and unable to communicate

### General Education/Review of **C. difficile**

[C. diff: The Gift that Keeps on Giving – December 9, 2021 – YouTube](#)