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Using international disease classifications to characterise hospitalised patients and performance, CUH Kigali, Rwanda

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Introduction

- Rwanda small country in Central Africa
- About 9 million inhabitants
- 2 tier district based health system
- 3 national referral hospitals
- In 2007, Government domestic budget is about 30 million US\$





Introduction

Raising difficulties in health system implementation:

- Image: Solution with a second state of the MoH will reach about 13 usd/inh/yr [65 billion RwF], of which 3.4 will be the Govt share [17 billion RwF]
- Sout of 17 10⁹ RwF, 20-25 % will be allocated to national referral hospitals
- I ≥ an other significant share of the global health budget will be focused on HIV/AIDS



allocation inequality in terms of health problems
lack of ownership



Introduction

Central University Hospital in Kigali (CUHK)403 beds

- About 12 000 hospitalisations in 2006
- About 150 000 outpatients clinics in 2006
- 11 clinical services and 7 wards
- 65 medical doctors
- 350 paramedics
- 120 non medical staff





Methods

- In-depth management reform including finance, procurement, human resources and health information at the CUH of Kigali
- Implementation of an integrated computerised data management system
- Use of international classifications (ICD-10 and ICPC-2)



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 Use of a "thesaurus" which allows to "translate" diagnoses into internationally comparable codification

Methods

This presentation reports on the pattern of 15 700 diagnoses in patients hospitalised in the CUHK between January 2006 and June 2007

Basic descriptive analysis of events



Methods

The objectives of the study are

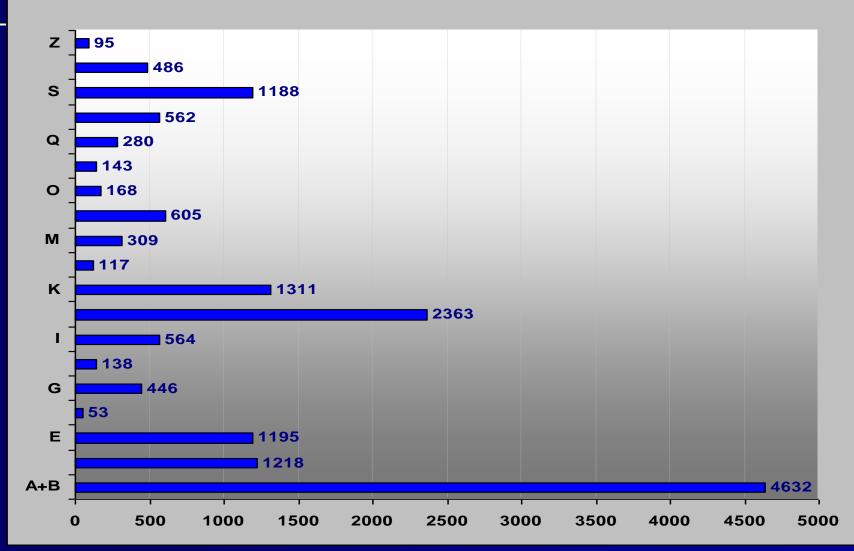
[1] to analyse major causes of hospitalisation in a 400-bed tertiary hospital in Central Africa and



[2] to link this profile with quantitative and qualitative performance criteria

Main findings: ICD-10

ICD - 10 (n = 15 873)



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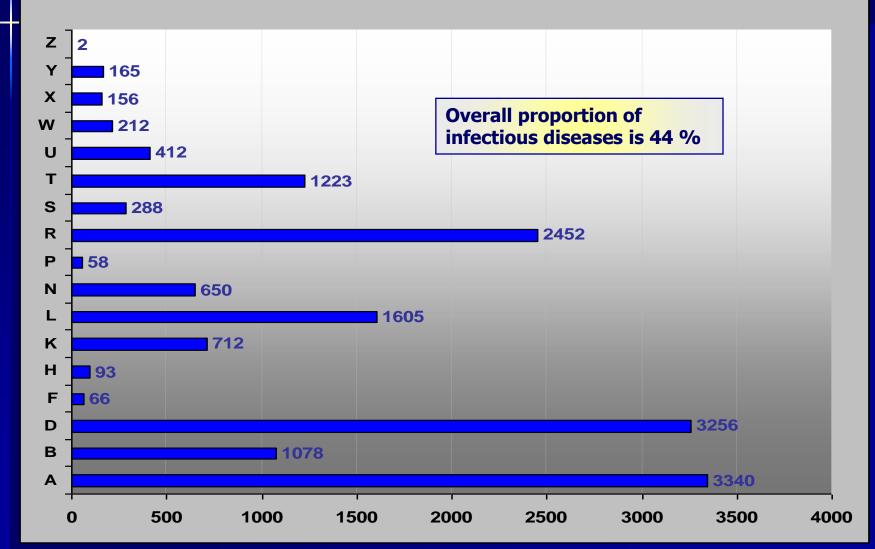
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Main findings: ICPC-2

ICPC-2 (n = 15 768)



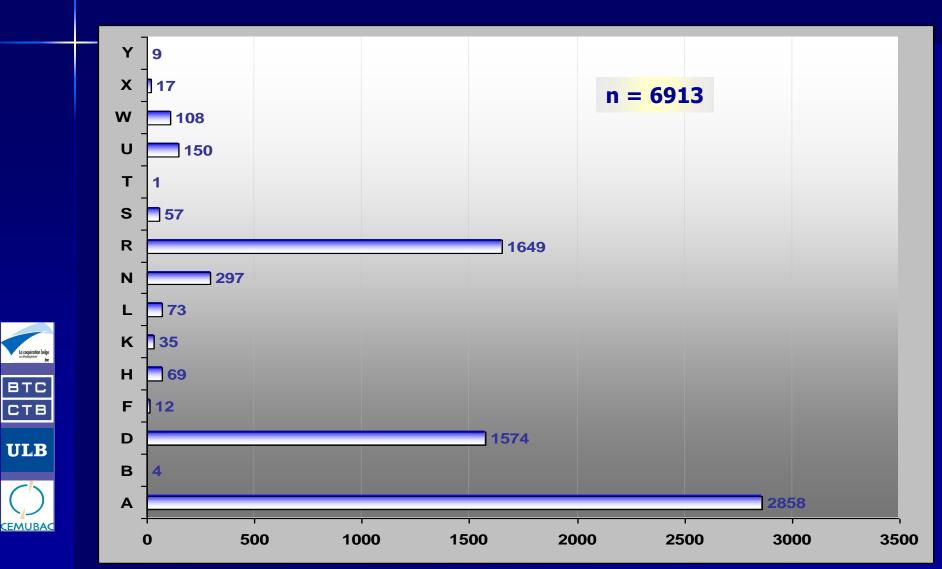
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Main findings: infectious diseases [ICPC-2]

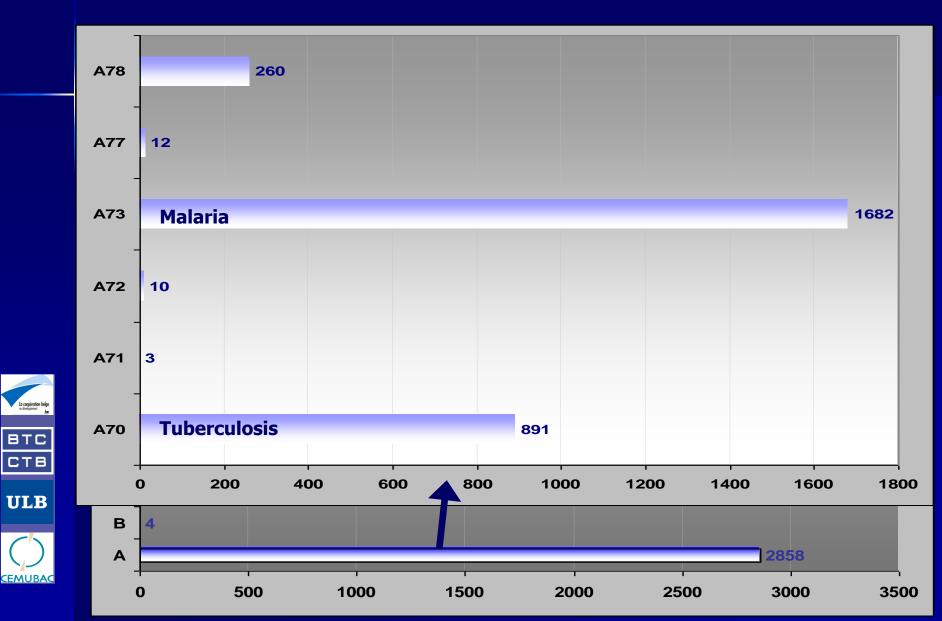


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Main findings: infectious diseases



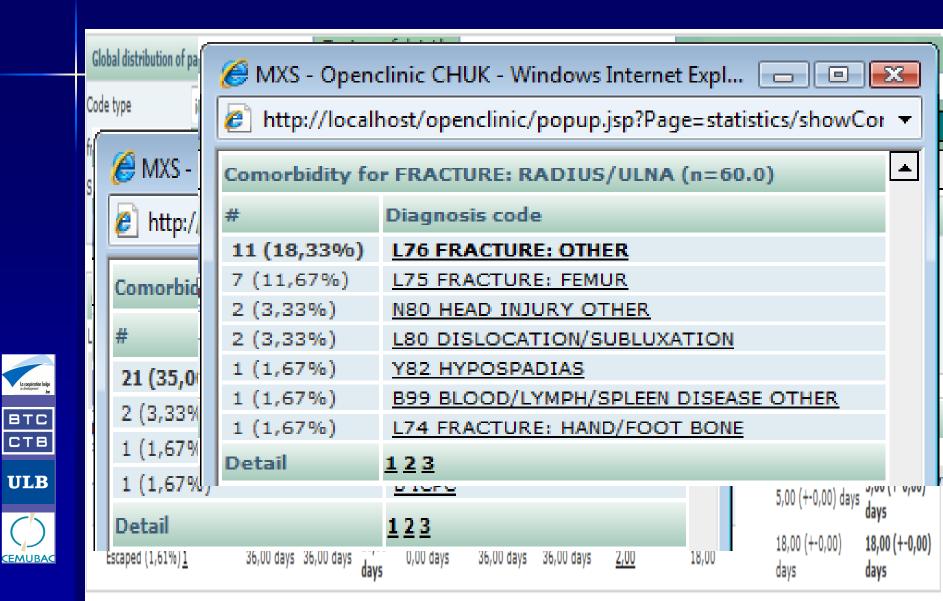
Main findings: average length of stay

Global distribution of pathologies

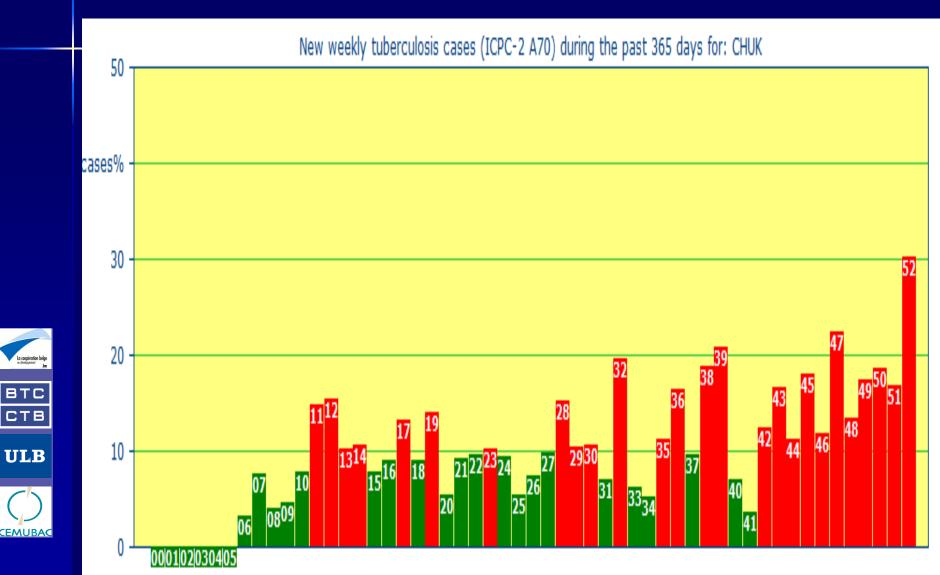
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Main findings: comorbidity



Main findings: epidemiological surveillance



Policy implications

- Usefulness of routine management information system
- Clear potential for health system analysis in a view to improving appropriate use of tertiary hospital in Rwanda



accreditation process Prioritisation of intervention for critical diseases

Relevant tool for quality improvement /

(ALOS and top 5 killers)



Comparisons with international standards Adequation for other hospitals (health districts)

Conclusion

- Potential improvement of management and cost analysis
- Major constraint in terms of changing health professionals behaviour
- Scaling up to other referral hospitals in the country



Opportunities to rationalise resource allocation on the MoH side

