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|  | Pyomyositis (2007-2012) | Nasal carriage (2008) | Nasal carriage (2012) |
| Number of isolates | 101 | 222 | 195 |
| Age (med, IQR) | 7.8 years  (4.2-11.8) | 5.9 years  (2.5- 8.3) | 6.3 years  (4.1- 9.9) |
| Male (n (%) | 66/97 (68%) | 122/221 (55.2%) | 105/195 (53.8%) |
| MRSA (n (%)) | 0 (0%) | 61 (27.5%) | 52 (26.7%) |

**Supplementary File 1**