Influenza Outbreak Control in Hospitals

The 2017-18 influenza season is one of the most severe in recent years, with the highest rate of illness since the 2009 pandemic. Hospitalizations are expected to exceed 700,000 by the end of the season. Healthcare organizations must rely on a variety of strategies to control the spread within their facilities.

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