



CLEAN HANDS SAVE LIVES

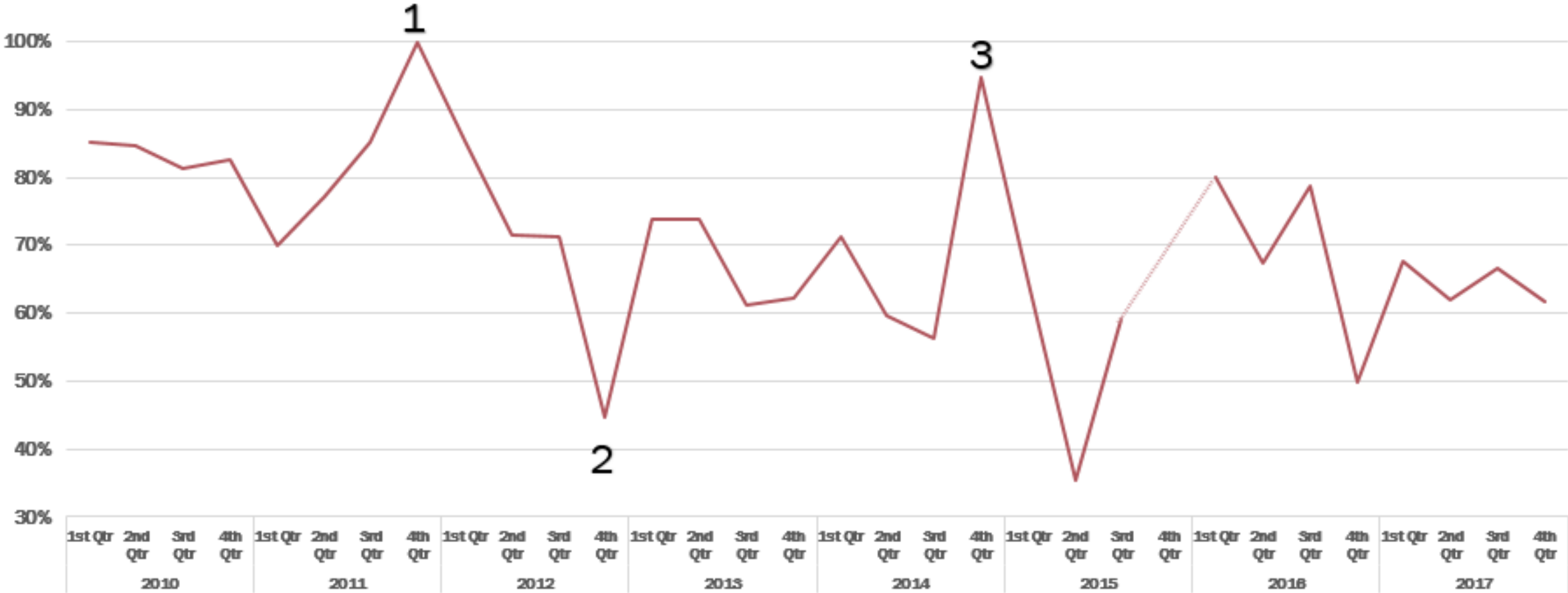
Hand hygiene is the best defense against
spread of infection

When should you do hand hygiene?

IN & OUT

- Required by everyone with patient contact
 - *Immediately before entering and after leaving patient room*
 - *Before and after all contact with patients, their equipment, or environment*
 - *Perform hand hygiene and change gloves between dirty and clean tasks*
 - *After removing gowns, gloves, and masks*
 - *Before sterile or aseptic tasks*

Hand hygiene compliance, 2010 - 2017

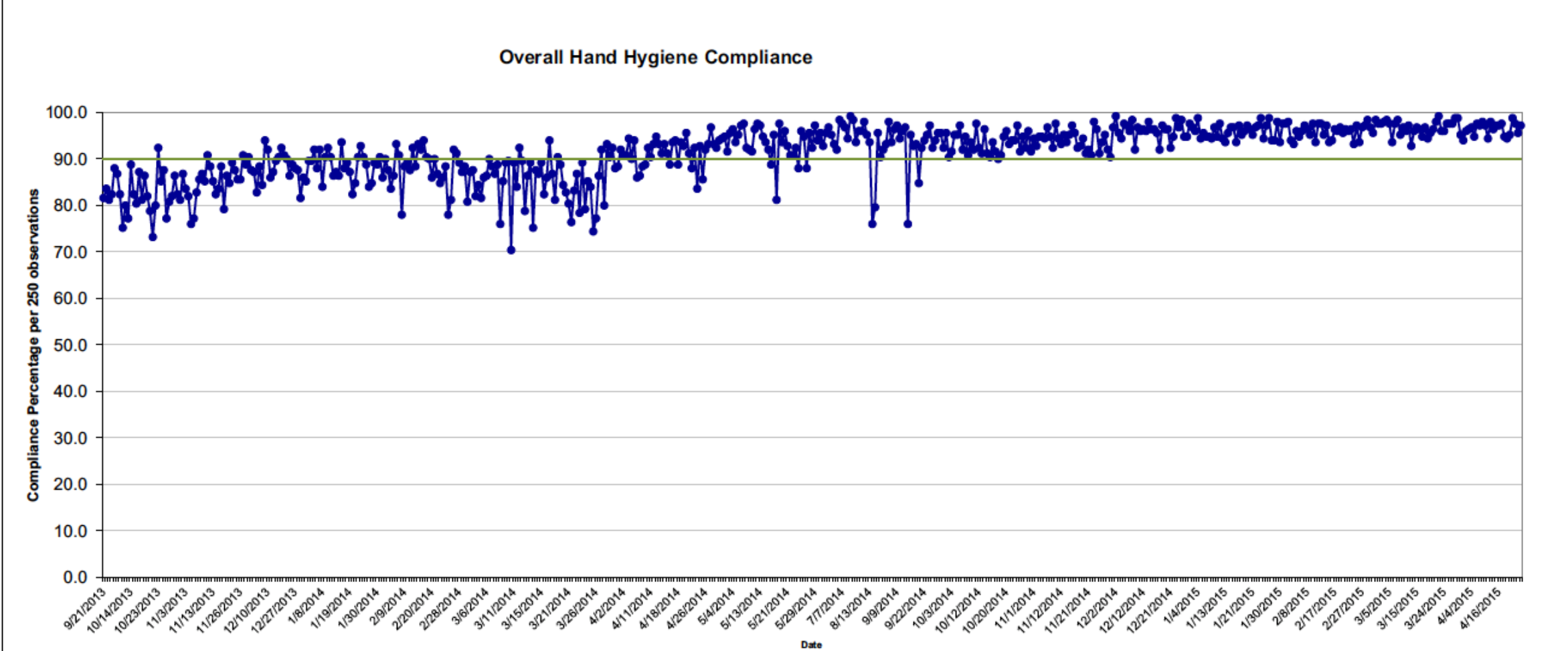


- 1. 2011 KPC+ *Klebsiella* outbreak
- 2. 2012 4Q 2 pumps campaign, new stringent observation definitions
- 3. 2014 4Q Ebola

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“All hands on deck” approach improved compliance

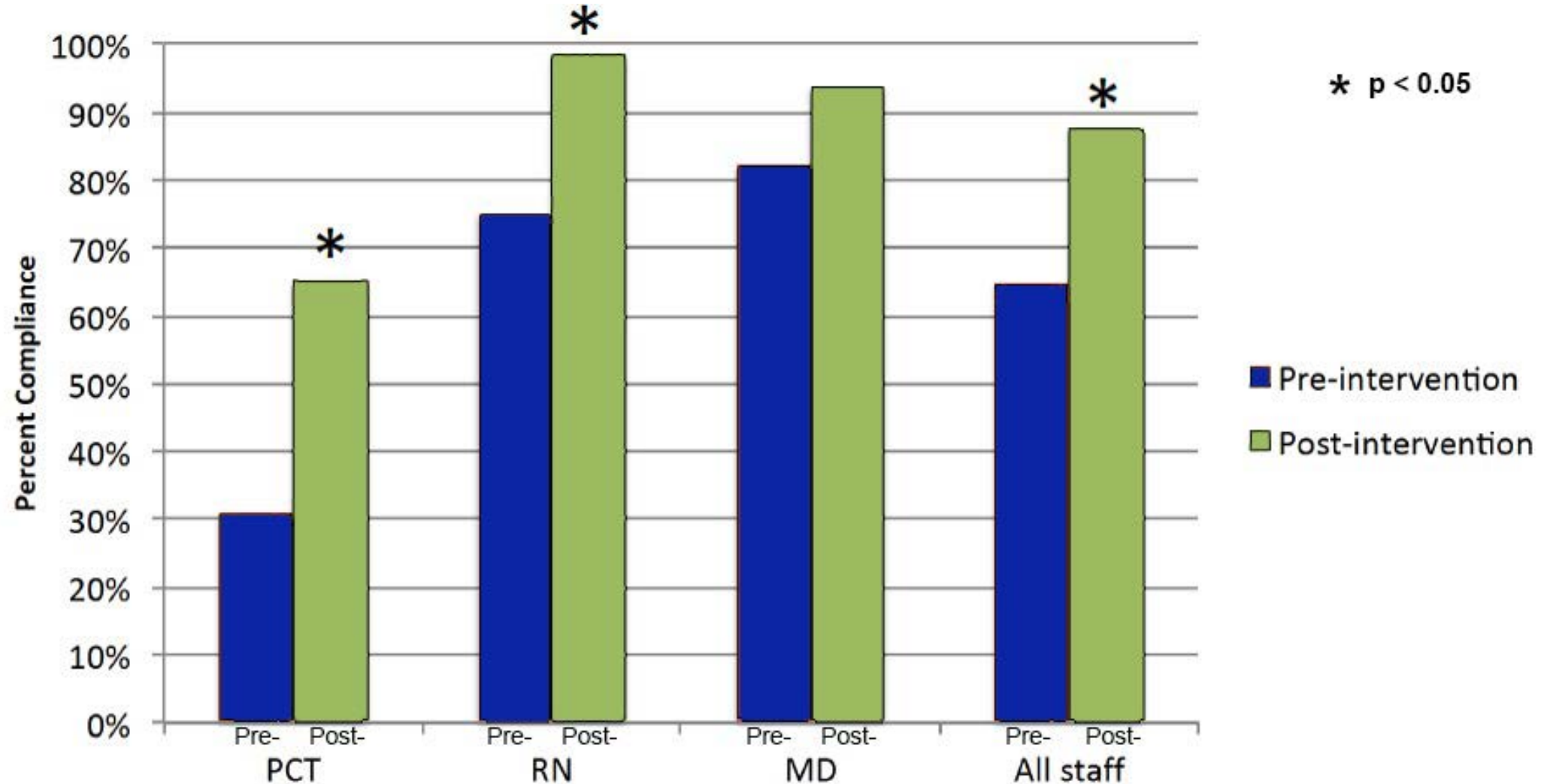


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Use of a code word increased hand hygiene compliance



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