Appendix 3 - Norovirus Outbreak Data Record Ward

Possible Norovirus Infection: A person (patient or staff) who, within a 24 hour period has, 2 or more episodes of non-bloody diarrhoea*, and/**or**, 2 or more episodes of vomiting, without having any other obvious cause or symptoms.

Confirmed Norovirus Infection: A person (patient or staff) who, within a 24 hour period has, 2 or more episodes of non-bloody diarrhoea*, and/or , 2 or more episodes of vomiting, without having any other obvious cause for symptoms **AND** who has tested positive for Norovirus in RT-PCR.

Tick if symptoms present (Antibiotics is abbreviated as [Abx]) **Date(s) and Day**

Names/numbers of all symptomatic patients (diarrhoea and/or vomiting)	D=Diarrhoea V=Vomiting	Abx Y or N	Laxatives/ Enemas Y or N	Specimen date	Possible or Confirmed*	Other Info						

***Does the patient meet the definition of a Possible or Confirmed case?**

Date (agree a time of day to be done)									Comment
No. of patients symptomatic									
No. of patients <48 hrs symptomatic free									
No. of empty beds									
No. of new HCWs off duty with symptoms									