ICU patients with a diagnosed BSI \( n = 110 \)

Total number of episodes of nosocomial BSI \( n = 198 \)

BSI episodes caused by Gram positive and Gram negative pathogens \( n = 174 \)

Candida spp. \( n = 20 \)  
Missing data \( n = 9 \)

Anaerobics \( n = 4 \)  
Missing data \( n = 1 \)

Polymicrobial episodes \( n = 40 \)

Monomicrobial episodes of GPB and GNB \( n = 134 \)

Episodes with missing data \( n = 29 \)

Number of patients diagnosed with positive blood culture \( n = 84 \)

Monomicrobial episodes of GPB and GNB without missing data \( n = 105 \)

Episodes of GPB \( n = 42 \)

Episodes of GNB \( n = 63 \)

Patients with GPB \( n = 36 \)

Patients with GNB \( n = 48 \)

Total number of episodes excluded \( n = 93 \)