

ANTIBIOTIC GUARDIAN POCKET CARD TEMPLATE (front and back)



COPD	Doxycycline. Alternative Amoxicillin	5 days
CAP Mild	Amoxicillin. Alternative Doxycycline	7 days
CAP Mod	Amoxicillin+Clarithromycin. Alt Doxycycline	7 days
CAP Sev	Co-amoxiclav+Clarithromycin. Minor pen allergy: Ceftriaxone+Clarithromycin. Serious pen allergy: Ciprofloxacin+Vancomycin.	7-10 d
HAP	Stay < 5 days: Assess and treat as CAP. Stay ≥ 5 days + Mild: Doxycycline. Stay ≥ 5 days + Mod/Severe: Pip/Taz ± Vanc. Alt Vancomycin+Ciprofloxacin.	5-7 d 5-7 d 5-7 d
Asp pneu	Metronidazole+Amoxicillin. Metronidazole+Doxycycline/Clarithromycin. (In penicillin allergy, follow alternative/second line)	5-7 d
Microbiologist: 26066/2900		NHS Lothian
April 2015 (not valid after July 2016)		

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BE AN ANTIBIOTIC GUARDIAN

- 1. NHS Lothian Antimicrobial Guidelines 2015**
- 2. Indication + Duration + Review/Stop date**
- 3. Send + Check cultures**

COPD	Doxycycline Alternative Amoxicillin	5 days
CAP Mild	Amoxicillin Alternative Doxycycline	7 days
CAP Moderate	Amoxicillin+Clarithromycin Alternative Doxycycline	7 days
CAP Severe	Co-amoxiclav+Clarithromycin Minor penicillin allergy: Ceftriaxone+Clarithromycin Serious penicillin allergy: Ciprofloxacin+Vancomycin	7-10 days
HAP	Stay<5 days: Assess and treat as CAP	5-7 days
	Stay≥5 days+Mild: Doxycycline	5-7 days
	Stay≥5 days+Moderate/Severe: Piperacillin/Tazobactam ± Vancomycin. Alternative Vancomycin+Ciprofloxacin.	5-7 days
Aspiration pneumonia	Metronidazole+Amoxicillin. Metronidazole+Doxycycline/Clarithromycin	5-7 days

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