

Antibiotic	Dose	Route	Frequency	Indication – if NOT a pre-approved indication, MUST have ID approval

Serum Vancomycin trough 30 minutes before 4th dose

Pt Allergies: \_\_\_\_\_ Pt. Weight (Kg): \_\_\_\_\_

**A.** The following restricted antibiotics can be administered **without ID approval** for the pre-approved indications. Write the order above and place a check mark in the appropriate box. All other uses require ID Fellow approval (see C below). (Note: Suggested doses are based on a 70 kg patient with normal renal function; adjust dose based on pt weight and renal function.)

**NOTE: Restricted antibiotics will be automatically stopped after 7 days; continued administration requires written renewal.**

<p><b>Amikacin</b> (15 mg/kg IV every 24 hr)</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Serious gram negative infection with suspected multi-drug resistance (ie.nursing home, hospital-acquired infection)</p> <p><b>Ampicillin/sulbactam</b> (3 gm IV every 6 hr)</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Animal/human bite infection</p> <p><b>Cefepime</b> (2 gm IV every 8 hr for neutropenic fever; lower dose for other indications)</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Neutropenic fever <input type="checkbox"/> Nosocomial pneumonia</p> <p><b>Fluconazole</b> (400 mg IV every 24 hr)</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Documented fungal sepsis (e.g. + blood culture for <i>Candida</i> sp.) who cannot take/tolerate oral fluconazole <input type="checkbox"/> Suspected fungal sepsis (e.g. Sepsis + <i>Candida</i> species colonization) who cannot take/tolerate oral fluconazole</p> <p><b>Levofloxacin</b> (750 mg IV every 24 hr)</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Community-acquired pneumonia with history of severe β-lactam and cephalosporin allergy (avoid in pts with AIDS or with suspected TB)</p>	<p><b>Piperacillin/tazobactam</b> Extended Infusion—Dosing*</p> <p>Normal renal function: 3.375 g IV q8h over 4 h, <input type="checkbox"/> CrCl &lt;20ml/min: 3.375 g IV q12h over 4 h</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> <b>Healthcare-associated pneumonia</b> (Nosocomial infection, recent hospitalization or nursing home)</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> <b>Complicated UTI</b> – (Recent ceftriaxone, hospital-acquired, suspected <i>Pseudomonas</i>, nephrostomy tube related infection)</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> <b>Complicated intra-abdominal infection</b> – (Recent aminoglycoside, ceftriaxone, or sepsis)</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> <b>Diabetic foot ulcer infection (ICU or Step-down only)</b> Pt <i>seriously ill</i> with sepsis or “wet” gangrene. (Ceftriaxone + metronidazole recommended for all others)</p> <p>* For all pre-approved indications, including HAP.</p> <p><b>Vancomycin</b> (1 gm IV every 12 hr)</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Hospital acquired, ventilator associated, and health-care associated pneumonia (i.e. nursing home) <input type="checkbox"/> Serious infection due to β-lactam resistant gram + cocci (culture-confirmed MRSA/MRSE) <input type="checkbox"/> Empiric therapy of endocarditis <input type="checkbox"/> Empiric therapy of cellulitis with abscess or purulent drainage <input type="checkbox"/> Empiric therapy of septic arthritis <input type="checkbox"/> Empiric therapy for Line/Catheter related infection <input type="checkbox"/> Empiric therapy of suspected gram + infection in febrile neutropenia (indwelling catheter, evidence of soft-tissue infection) <input type="checkbox"/> Bacterial meningitis with suspected PCN-resistant <i>Streptococcus pneumoniae</i> (500-750 mg every 6 hr)</p>
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**B.** These antibiotics are fully restricted and always require ID fellow approval:

**Aztreonam, Amphotericin B, Amphotericin liposomal, Cidofovir, Daptomycin, Doripenem, Ertapenem, Fosfarnet, Ganciclovir, HIV anti-retroviral medications, Linezolid, Meropenem, Micafungin, Posaconazole, Synercid, Tigecycline, Vancomycin PO, Voriconazole, Zanamivir**

**C.** ID approval needed for antibiotics in Section A that do not meet pre-approved indications, and all antibiotics in Section B:

\_\_\_\_\_ **ID Fellow/Attending Name (print)** \_\_\_\_\_ **Date/Time approval given**  **Verbally**  **Documented in chart**

(Please be accurate - form is part of medical record and subject to audit)

DATE	TIME	PHYSICIAN'S SIGNATURE	M.D.
PHYSICIAN'S I.D. #		PHYSICIAN'S NAME (PRINT)	
DATE	TIME	R.N.'S SIGNATURE	R.N.
DATE	TIME	CLERK'S SIGNATURE	

PATIENT DATA - Imprint or Print Legibly

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

MRUN: \_\_\_\_\_

Date of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_

Ward or Clinic: \_\_\_\_\_

Req. Loc. Code: \_\_\_\_\_

