

## Drug Formulary Guidelines

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## I. ANTI-INFECTIVES: ORAL

## ANTI-BACTERIALS

## Cephalosporins

cephalexin

cefaclor

cefixime

## Penicillins

amoxicillin

ampicillin

penicillin VK

dicloxacillin

amox/clav

## Macrolides

erythromycin

erythromycin base ER

azithromycin

## Tetracyclines

doxycycline

tetracycline

## Quinolones

ciprofloxacin

## Urinary Tract Anti-infectives

trimethoprim

nitrofurantoin

## Other Anti-Bacterials

tmp/smx

metronidazole

## ANTI-MALARIALS

hydroxychloroquine

primaquine

pyrimethamine

Cellulitis: <http://www.journals.uchicago.edu/CID/journal/issues/v41n10/37519/37519.web.pdf>  
 RTI: [http://www.icsi.org/respiratory\\_illness\\_in\\_children\\_and\\_adults\\_\\_guideline\\_/respiratory\\_illness\\_in\\_children\\_and\\_adults\\_\\_guideline\\_\\_13116.html](http://www.icsi.org/respiratory_illness_in_children_and_adults__guideline_/respiratory_illness_in_children_and_adults__guideline__13116.html);  
 Bacterial endocarditis: <http://www.americanheart.org>;  
 RTI//CAP/Other: <http://www.cdc.gov/drugresistance/community/technical.htm>;  
 Practice guidelines: <http://www.journals.uchicago.edu/IDSA/guidelines>;  
 Publications: <http://www.idsociety.org>

UTI: [http://www.icsi.org/urinary\\_tract\\_infection/uncomplicated\\_urinary\\_tract\\_infection\\_in\\_women\\_2.html](http://www.icsi.org/urinary_tract_infection/uncomplicated_urinary_tract_infection_in_women_2.html)

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<b>ANTI-VIRALS</b>	Hepatitis: <a href="http://www.cdc.gov/ncidod/diseases/hepatitis/index.htm">http://www.cdc.gov/ncidod/diseases/hepatitis/index.htm</a> , <a href="http://www.aasld.org">http://www.aasld.org</a> ,
acyclovir oral	HIV/AIDS: <a href="http://www.aidsinfo.nih.gov">http://www.aidsinfo.nih.gov</a>
<b>ANTI-FUNGALS</b>	
nystatin	
griseofulvin	
fluconazole 150mg	
<b>ANTI-MYCOBACTERIALS</b>	
isoniazid	
rifampin	
pyrazinamide	
ethambutol	
<b>ANTIHELMINTICS</b>	
thiabendazole	
<b>II. ANTI-INFECTIVES: TOPICAL</b>	
<b>TOPICAL ANTI-BACTERIALS</b>	
bacitracin	
poly/bac	
<b>TOPICAL ANTI-FUNGALS</b>	
nystatin	
tolnaftate	
clotrimazole	
<b>TOPICAL ANTI-FUNGAL COMBINATIONS</b>	
nystat/triamcin	
<b>SCABICIDES/PEDICULOCIDES</b>	<a href="http://www.cdc.gov">http://www.cdc.gov</a>
pyrethrins	
<b>III. IMMUNE MODULATORS</b>	DMARDS: <a href="http://www.caremark.com">http://www.caremark.com</a>
<b>ANTI-NEOPLASTICS</b>	
Any oral/injectable FDA-approved cancer therapy	
Epogen / Neupogen / Neulasta requires PA	
<b>IMMUNOSUPPRESSANTS -- all require PA</b>	
<b>IV. CARDIOVASCULAR</b>	JNC7 Guidelines: <a href="http://www.nhlbi.nih.gov/guidelines/hypertension">http://www.nhlbi.nih.gov/guidelines/hypertension</a>
<b>CARDIAC GLYCOSIDES</b>	Chronic heart failure: <a href="http://www.acc.org">http://www.acc.org</a> , <a href="http://www.americanheart.org">http://www.americanheart.org</a> , <a href="http://www.hfsa.org">http://www.hfsa.org</a>
digoxin	
<b>CALCIUM-CHANNEL BLOCKERS</b>	

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verapamil	
verapamil SR	
diltiazem	
felodipine	
nifedipine SR	
diltiazem SR	
<b>DIURETICS</b>	
<b>Thiazides</b>	
hydrochlorothiazide	
<b>Carbonic Anhydrase Inhibitors</b>	
acetazolamide	
<b>Loop</b>	
furosemide	
<b>Potassium-Sparing</b>	
spironolactone	
<b>Diuretic Combinations</b>	
triamt/hctz	
<b>BETA BLOCKERS</b>	<a href="http://www.acc.org">http://www.acc.org</a>
atenolol	<a href="http://www.nhlbi.nih.gov/guidelines/hypertension">http://www.nhlbi.nih.gov/guidelines/hypertension</a>
propranolol	
metoprolol	
metoprolol XL	
atenolol/chlorthalidone	
<b>ALPHA BLOCKERS</b>	<a href="http://www.nhlbi.nih.gov">http://www.nhlbi.nih.gov</a>
prazosin	
<b>ACE INHIBITORS</b>	<a href="http://www.acc.org">http://www.acc.org</a>
captopril	<a href="http://www.americanheart.org">http://www.americanheart.org</a>
lisinopril	<a href="http://www.diabetes.org">http://www.diabetes.org</a>
benazepril	<a href="http://www.nhlbi.nih.gov">http://www.nhlbi.nih.gov</a>
benazepril / HCTZ	<a href="http://www.nhlbi.nih.gov/guidelines/hypertension">http://www.nhlbi.nih.gov/guidelines/hypertension</a>
captopril/hctz	
lisinopril/hctz	
<b>ANGIOTENSIN-II ANTAGONISTS</b>	
losartan	
losartan/HCTZ	
<b>VASODILATORS</b>	

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hydralazine	
minoxidil oral	
<b>ADRENERGICS</b>	
methyldopa	
clonidine oral	
<b>NITRATES</b>	
nitroglycerin SL	
nitroglycerin topical	
isosorbide dinitrate	
<b>ANTI-PLATELET / ANTI-COAGULANT</b>	
dipyridamole	
warfarin	
clopidogrel -- <b>Requires PA</b>	<a href="http://www.pbm.va.gov">http://www.pbm.va.gov</a> ; <a href="http://www.guideline.gov/summary/summary.aspx?ss=15&amp;doc_id=9373&amp;nbr=5019">http://www.guideline.gov/summary/summary.aspx?ss=15&amp;doc_id=9373&amp;nbr=5019</a>
<b>ANTI-ARRHYTHMICS</b>	
quinidine sulfate SR	<a href="http://www.acc.org/clinical/guidelines/atrial_fib/af_index.htm">http://www.acc.org/clinical/guidelines/atrial_fib/af_index.htm</a>
procainamide	<a href="http://www.aafp.org/x25474.xml">http://www.aafp.org/x25474.xml</a>
disopyramide	
quinidine gluconate	
procainamide SR	
amiodarone	
<b>LIPID-LOWERING AGENTS</b>	<a href="http://www.nhlbi.nih.gov">http://www.nhlbi.nih.gov</a>
<b>Statins</b>	
lovastatin	
simvastatin	
<b>Other Lipid-Lowering Agents</b>	
gemfibrozil	
<b>ANTI-DEPRESSANTS -- NON-FORMULARY</b>	<a href="http://www.psych.org">http://www.psych.org</a>
<b>ANTI-CONVULSANTS</b>	<a href="http://www.neurology.org/content/62/8/1252.full.pdf+html">http://www.neurology.org/content/62/8/1252.full.pdf+html</a>
clonazepam	
phenobarbital	
valproic acid	
phenytoin	
carbamazepine	
levetiracetam	
Gabapentin	

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<b>ANTI-PARKINSON AGENTS</b>	
<b>Anticholinergic</b>	
Trihexyphenidyl hydrochloride	
Benztropine mesylate	
<b>Dopaminergics</b>	
amantadine EDS	
carbidopa/levodopa	
bromocriptine	
levodopa	
<b>VI. ANALGESIC/MUSCULOSKELETAL</b>	<a href="http://www.asahq.org">http://www.asahq.org</a>
<b>MIGRAINES</b>	Musculoskeletal: <a href="http://www.rheumatology.org">http://www.rheumatology.org</a>
Sumatriptan	<a href="http://guideline.gov/content.aspx?id=14440&amp;search=migraines+and+headache">http://guideline.gov/content.aspx?id=14440&amp;search=migraines+and+headache</a>
<b>NSAIDS</b>	
ibuprofen	
naproxen	
<b>NARCOTICS</b>	
Hydrocodone w/APAP	
Oxycodone ER -- <b>Requires PA</b>	
<b>ANTI-RHEUMATICS</b>	
methotrexate	
<b>MYASTHENIA GRAVIS AGENTS</b>	
pyridostigmine	
neostigmine	
<b>GOUT MEDICATIONS</b>	
colchicine	
allopurinol	
<b>VII. DERMATOLOGICS</b>	
<b>TOPICAL STEROIDS</b>	
hydrocortisone	
triamcinolone	
<b>VIII. OTIC PREPARATIONS</b>	
antipyrine/benzocaine	
carbamide	
<b>acetic acid/hc otic</b>	<b>For treatment of acute otitis externa caused by Pseudomonas sp., Aspergillus sp., and Candida sp.</b>

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ofloxacin otic

For chronic suppurative otitis media with perforated tympanic membranes due to *S. aureus*, *P. mirabilis*, or *P. aeruginosa*; For treatment of otitis externa due to *E. coli*, *P. aeruginosa*, and *S. aureus*

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<b>IX. OPHTHALMICS</b>	
<b>OPHTHALMIC ANTI-BACTERIALS</b>	
sulfacetamide	
bacitracin	
erythromycin	
<b>GLAUCOMA AGENTS</b>	
<b>Sympathomimetics</b>	
phenylephrine	
naphazoline	
dipivefrin	
brimonidine	
<b>Beta Blockers</b>	
timolol	
carteolol	
<b>Miotics</b>	
carbachol	
<b>OPHTHALMIC ANTI-INFLAMMATORY</b>	
<b>Corticosteroids</b>	
dexamethasone	
prednis	
<b>NSAIDs</b>	
flurbiprofen	
<b>X. NASAL PREPARATIONS</b>	
cromolyn	
fluticasone	
<b>XI. ENDOCRINE MEDICATIONS</b>	Diabetes: <a href="http://www.diabetes.org">http://www.diabetes.org</a>
<b>INSULIN</b>	
Human Insulin (regular, NPH, lente)	
insulin glargine	
Insulin glulisine	
insulin lispro	
<b>ORAL HYPOGLYCEMICS</b>	<a href="http://www.guidelines.gov/summary/summary.aspx?doc_id=5185&amp;nbr=3567">http://www.guidelines.gov/summary/summary.aspx?doc_id=5185&amp;nbr=3567</a> <a href="http://care.diabetesjournals.org/cgi/content/full/30/suppl_1/S4#SEC5">http://care.diabetesjournals.org/cgi/content/full/30/suppl_1/S4#SEC5</a>
glipizide	
glyburide	

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metformin	
<b>GLITAZONES: STEP THERAPY FOR NEW PATIENTS</b>	<b>WARNING: CONGESTIVE HEART FAILURE</b>
Rosiglitazone	Thiazolidinediones, including Avandia (rosiglitazone) and Actos (pioglitazone), cause or exacerbate congestive heart failure in some patients. After initiation of Actos or Avandia, and after dose increases, observe patients carefully for signs and symptoms of heart failure (including excessive, rapid weight gain, dyspnea, and/or edema). If these signs and symptoms develop, the heart failure should be managed according to current standards of care. Furthermore, discontinuation or dose reduction of Avandia or Actos must be considered. Avandia and Actos are not recommended in patients with symptomatic heart failure. Initiation of Actos or Avandia in patients with established NYHA Class III or IV heart failure is contraindicated.
Pioglitazone	
<b>GLUCOSE-ELEVATING AGENTS</b>	
glucagon	
<b>CORTICOSTEROIDS</b>	<a href="http://www.aadassociation.org">http://www.aadassociation.org</a>
prednisone	
triamcinolone	
dexamethasone	
hydrocortisone	
<b>MINERALOCORTICIDS</b>	
fludrocortisone	
<b>THYROID AGENTS</b>	<a href="http://www.guideline.gov/summary/summary.aspx?ss=15&amp;doc_id=3525&amp;nbr=2751">http://www.guideline.gov/summary/summary.aspx?ss=15&amp;doc_id=3525&amp;nbr=2751</a>
levothyroxine	
liothyronine	
<b>ANTI-THYROID AGENTS</b>	
propylthiouracil	
methimazole	
<b>XII. OBSTETRICAL/GYNECOLOGIC</b>	
<b>VAGINAL ANTI-INFECTIVES</b>	
metronidazole	
<b>XIII. UROLOGICS</b>	
<b>ANTISPASMODICS</b>	
bethanechol	
oxybutynin	
<b>OTHER UROLOGICS</b>	
phenazopyridine	
<b>XIV. GASTROINTESTINAL AGENTS</b>	GERD/Heartburn: <a href="http://www.acg.gi.org">http://www.acg.gi.org</a> , <a href="http://www.gastro.org">http://www.gastro.org</a>
<b>Anti-Inflammatory Agents</b>	
mesalamine	
<b>MOTILITY AGENTS</b>	Spasm: <a href="http://www.acg.gi.org">http://www.acg.gi.org</a>

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metoclopramide	
<b>ACID REDUCING/PUD AGENTS</b>	GERD: <a href="http://www.guideline.gov/summary/summary.aspx?doc_id=5188&amp;nbr=3570">http://www.guideline.gov/summary/summary.aspx?doc_id=5188&amp;nbr=3570</a>
cimetidine	
ranitidine	
omeprazole	Long term suppression of gastric acid leads to rebound acid hypersecretion. Patients to be taken off of PPI should be tapered; tapering should be slow (over 6 months) for adequate withdrawal.
<b>HELICOBACTER PYLORI REGIMENS</b>	
BMT	
<b>XV. RESPIRATORY MEDICATIONS</b>	
<b>BRONCHODILATORS</b>	COPD/Asthma: <a href="http://www.aaaai.org">http://www.aaaai.org</a> , <a href="http://www.nhlbi.nih.gov">http://www.nhlbi.nih.gov</a> , <a href="http://www.goldcopd.com">http://www.goldcopd.com</a>
<b>Inhaled Beta-Agonists (Short-Acting)</b>	
albuterol	
terbutaline	
metaproterenol	
<b>Oral Beta-Agonists</b>	
metaproterenol	
albuterol	
<b>INHALED ANTI-INFLAMMATORY AGENTS</b>	
cromolyn	
nedocromil	
beclometh	
Fluticasone/Salmeterol	
<b>INHALED ANTICHOLINERGICS</b>	
ipratropium	
<b>OTHER ORAL AGENTS</b>	
aminophylline	
theophylline	
<b>OSTEOPOROSIS AGENTS -- PA only</b>	<a href="http://www.ace.com">http://www.ace.com</a> , <a href="http://www.nof.org">http://www.nof.org</a>
risedronate	
<b>XX. MISCELLANEOUS -- Generics only</b>	
lancets	
insulin syringes	
blood glucose test strips -- <b>True Track</b>	
epinephrine/chlor	
epinephrine	