

# Common Antibiotics

CEPHALOSPORINS		
	IV	Oral
1 <sup>st</sup> gen	<b>Cefazolin</b>	Cephalexin [Keflex]
2 <sup>nd</sup> gen	<b>Cefuroxime [Ceftin]</b> Cefotetan	Cefuroxime [Ceftin]
3 <sup>rd</sup> gen	<b>Ceftriaxone [Rocephin]</b> <b>Ceftazidime [Fortaz]</b> Cefotaxime	Cefdinir [Omnicef]
4 <sup>th</sup> gen	<b>Cefepime</b>	<none>
5 <sup>th</sup> gen	<b>Ceftaroline [Teflaro]</b>	<none>
Pseudomonas coverage MRSA coverage		

other BETA-LACTAMS		
	IV	Oral
Penicillins	Nafcillin Ampicillin Ampicillin + Sulbactam [Unasyn] <b>Piperacillin-Tazobactam [Zosyn]</b>	Amoxicillin Amoxicillin + clavulanate [Augmentin]
Carbapenem	Ertapenem <b>Meropenem [Merrem]</b> Imipenem	
Monobactam	<b>Aztreonam</b>	
Pseudomonas coverage MRSA coverage		

Fluoroquinolones	
	IV / oral
2 <sup>nd</sup> gen	Ciprofloxacin
3 <sup>rd</sup> gen	Levofloxacin [Levaquin]
4 <sup>th</sup> gen	Moxifloxacin
All have anti-pseudomonas coverage Use less – try cephalosporins first.	