

# UTI: A practical approach

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# Clinical Scenario # 1

- A 22-yo woman evaluated for one day history of dysuria and urinary urgency and frequency. She had an episode of cystitis 2 years ago. The patient has a sulfa allergy.
- On PE : Afebrile , BP 110/60, HR 60 and RR 14 . Mild suprapubic tenderness but no flank tenderness.. The remainder of the examination is N.
- Urine dipstick analysis shows 3 +leukocyte esterase. A pregnancy test is negative.

Treatment with which of the following options is most appropriate?

- A) Amoxicillin
- B) Fosfomycin
- c) Levofloxacin
- d) Nitrofurantoin

# Clinical scenario # 2

- A 32 yo woman is evaluated for 2 day history of dysuria and urinary urgency and frequency and a 1 day history of fever . She has no nausea or vomiting.
- PE : Temp 38.5 C (101.3 F), BP 120/70, HR 90/ min, RR 12 /min. R flank tenderness at palpation .
- A urinalysis shows more than 20 leukocytes /hpf and 4 + bacteria. A pregnancy test is negative.

In addition to obtaining a urine culture, which of the following is the most appropriate empiric treatment ?

- A) Ampicillin
- B) Ciprofloxacin
- C) Nitrofurantoin
- D) TMP/SMX

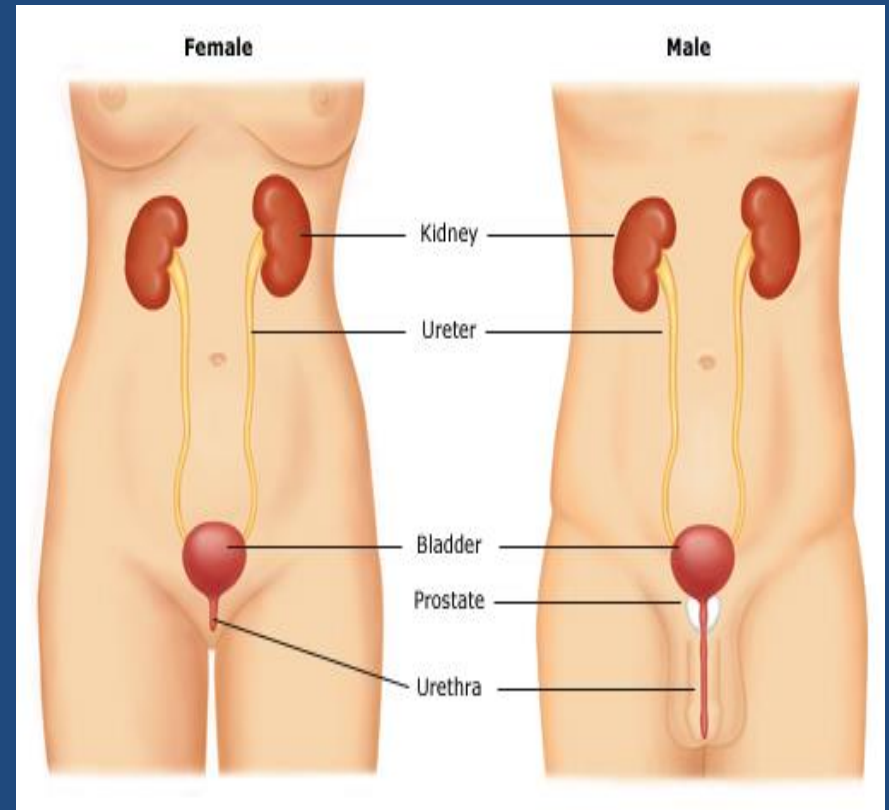
# Urinary Tract Infections

## Outline

- Definition
- Diagnosis
- Microbiology
- UTI (syndromes)
- Treatment

# Urinary tract infection

- Uncomplicated UTI: infection in a premenopausal , non pregnant women with no urological abnormalities
- Complicated UTI: infection and a urinary tract with functional or structural abnormalities.



# UTI : Clinical symptoms and presentation in adult

- Lower tract : cystitis
  - Dysuria urinary urgency and frequency lateral fullness discomfort.
  - hemorrhagic cystitis bloody urine (10%)
- Upper tract: pyelonephritis
  - Fever, sweating
  - Nausea, vomiting, flank pain, dysuria
  - Dehydration, hypotension
- Vaginal discharge ( ho STD)



# Diagnosis of UTI

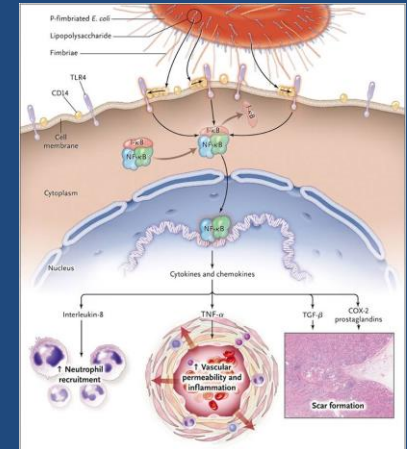
- Collection of specimens
- Urinalysis microscopic examination
  - WBC upper limit 5-10 leukocytes hpf.
  - presence of bacteria
- Urine dipstick test : rapid screening test
  - Leukocyte esterase test (rapid pyuria screen)
    - Se (detect >10 WBC/mL) 75-96%, Sp 94-98%
  - Nitrate->Nitrite test positive in only 25%
    - Se ~20%, Sp 95%

# Diagnosis of UTI

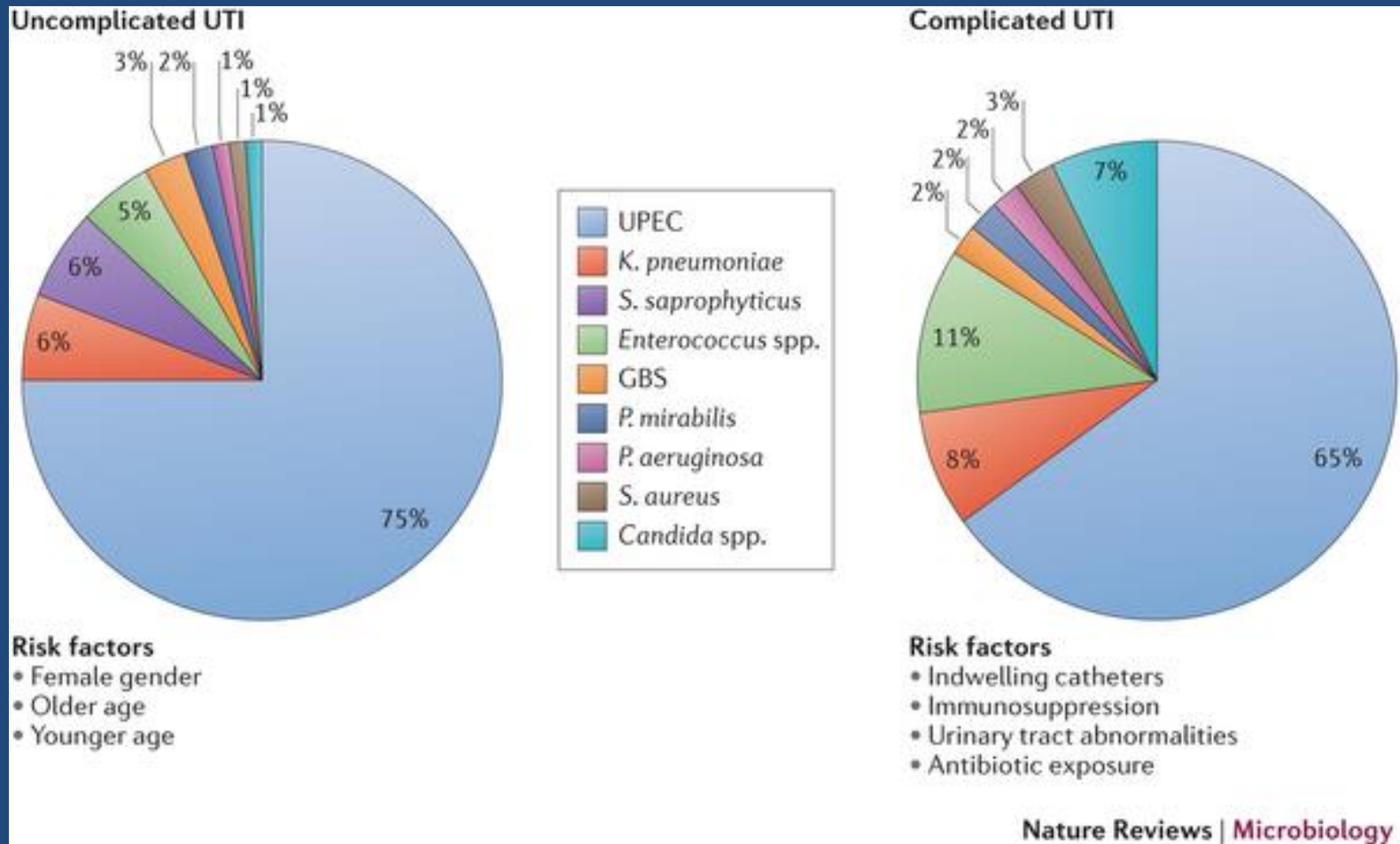
- Indications for urine culture
  - Pyelonephritis
  - complicated UTI
  - Recurrent UTI
  - Patients with multiple allergies
  - Suspect MDRO

# Microbiology of UTI

- *E. coli* 75-90%
- *S. saprophyticus* 5-15%
- Klebsiella, Proteus, Enterococcus, Pseudomonas small percentages
  - Hospital acquired : Enterobacter, Klebsiella, Acinetobacter, Serratia, Citrobacter, Providencia, Pseudomonas, Enterococcus
  - Anaerobes rarely cause UTI
  - Candida increasingly recognized as a cause of UTI



# Microbiology of UTI



# Urinary Tract Infections

- Acute uncomplicated cystitis
- Acute uncomplicated pyelonephritis
- Recurrent UTI
- Complicated UTI- sepsis
- CA UTI
- Candida UTI

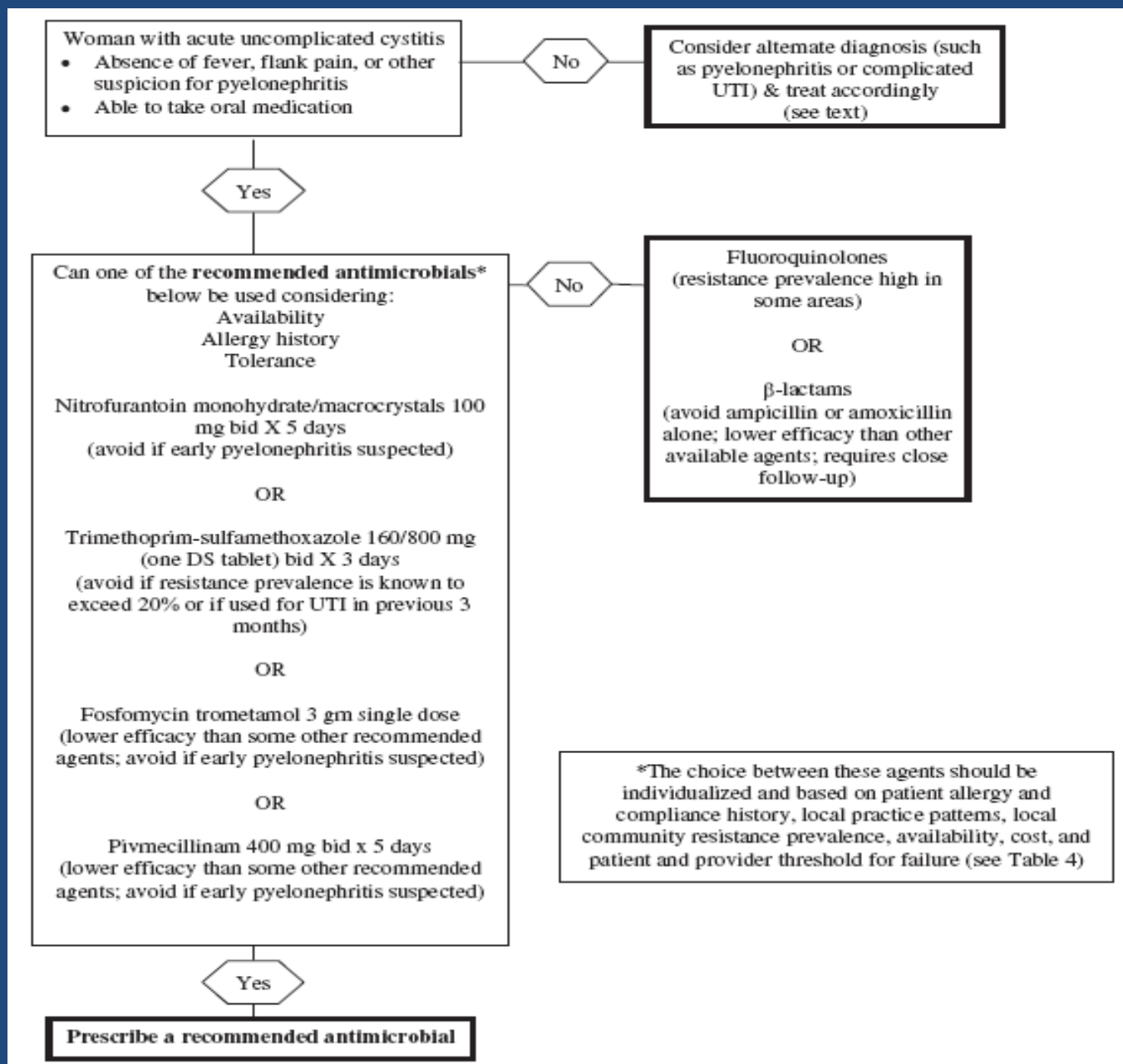
# Treatment of UTIs

- Acute uncomplicated cystitis
- Acute uncomplicated pyelonephritis

# Treatment of UTIs

For AUC and AUP consider :

- Antimicrobial resistance
- Collateral damage
  - Cephalosporins linked to subsequent infections VRE, ESBL Klebsiella, Beta lactamase R acinetobacter, C Dif
  - Fluoroquinolones linked to infection with MRSA and FQ R in GN






# Acute uncomplicated pyelonephritis

- Urine culture and susceptibility testing
- Oral ciprofloxacin 500 BID x 7 days (w or wo initial IV). Resistance < 10%
- Oral TMP/SMX (160/800) if uropathogen known to be susceptible x 14 days. If susc not known initial IV (ceftriaxone or AG)
- Oral B- lactam less effective. If used initial IV (ceftriaxone or AG) 10-14 days

### CDC Warning on FQ Antibiotic use: Rolling Back Use for Patient Safety

1. FDA recommendations state that risks of serious side effects with fluoroquinolones generally outweigh benefits for patients with the following:
  -  a. **Acute bacterial sinusitis**
  - b. **Acute exacerbation of chronic bronchitis**
  - c. **Uncomplicated UTI**
2. The FDA has determined that fluoroquinolones should be reserved for the previous three conditions only when there are no alternative treatment options.
3. Fluoroquinolones may be considered in the following scenarios:
  - a. Patient with type 1 hypersensitivity reaction to both penicillin and cephalosporins
  - b. Definitive therapy for multidrug resistant organism in which the isolate is resistant to all beta-lactams and susceptible to fluoroquinolone.
  - c. For bacteremia stepdown therapy in which organism is susceptible
  - d. For serious bacterial infections (i.e. anthrax & plague) where the benefits of fluoroquinolones outweigh the risk.

Fluoroquinolone Boxed Warning	
July 2008	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>increased risk of tendinitis and tendon rupture</li></ul>
February 2011	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>increased risk of exacerbating muscle weakness related to Myasthenia gravis</li></ul>
August 2013	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>increased potential risk for irreversible peripheral neuropathy</li></ul>
July 2016	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>increased CNS effects ((i.e. anxiety, depression, hallucinations, suicidal thoughts, confusion)</li></ul>
July 2018 (new labeling change)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>new mental health side effects updated to include ddisturbances in attention, disorientation, agitation, nervousness, memory impairment and delirium</li><li>serious blood sugar disturbances, particularly risk of coma with hyopglycemia</li></ul>

# Recurrent UTIs

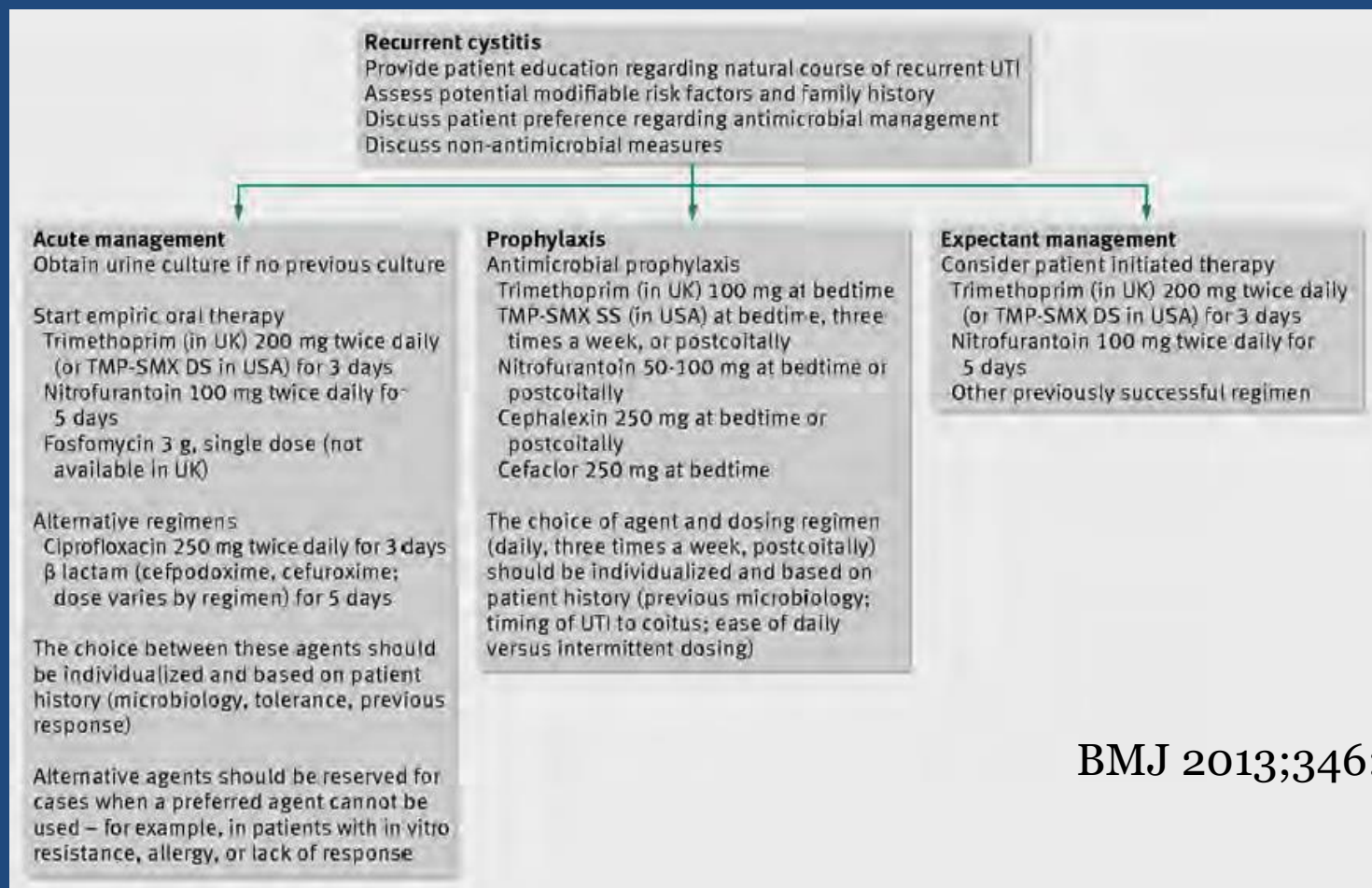
- 2 or > episodes 6M or 3 or > in a year. Non pregnant adult women
- Relapse : If current infection is caused by same pathogen as the initial UTI and occurs within 2 weeks
- Re infection: If current infection is caused by a different strain than initial UTI of Urine culture was sterile

# Recurrent UTI : Risk Factors

- Spermicidal products
- Sexually active
- Genetic factors
- Variations in innate immune system (low CXCR1 and CXCR2 expression)

# Preventive measures

- Antimicrobial prophylaxis
- Patient centered approach



# Non antimicrobial strategies

- Lactobacillus : L crispatus intravaginal suppositories, oral capsules with L rhamnosus GR-1 and L reuteri RC- 14
- Estrogens
- Cranberries
- Urination before and after sexual activity
- Diet (alcalinizing agents and siderocalin)

Infect Dis Clin N Am 28 (2014) 135-147

CID 2013 : 57 719-24

Shields-Cutter RR et al. Human urinary composition controls antibacterial activity of siderocalin J Biol Chem 2015;290(26):15949-15960

# Drug induced UTI's

- Recent reports of drug induced UTI's related to sodium-glucose coransporter 2 (SGLT2) inhibitors “flozins”
- Oral hypoglycemics that work by increasing the amount of glucose spilled in the urine
- Include canagliflozin (Invokana), empagliflozin (jardiance) and dapagliflozin (Farxiga)

# Complicated UTIs

## Initial evaluation:

- Detailed history- Previous UTI, prior ATB use
- Physical exam – Sepsis ?
- UA and Urine culture
- Imaging

## If obstruction

- Prompt urologic evaluation



# Complicated UTIs

- Diabetes Mellitus
- Acute pyelonephritis
- Emphysematous pyelonephritis
- Renal abscess
- Renal papillary necrosis
- UTI in renal transplant recipients
- Nephrolithiasis
- Prostatitis

# Diagnosis of CA-UTI

- In patients with indwelling urethral, indwelling supra pubic or intermittent catheterization
- Presence of symptoms or signs cw UTI with no other identified source of infection along with  $10^3$  CFU/ml of  $\geq 1$  bacterial species in a single urine specimen.

# Diagnosis of CA-UTI

- Signs and symptoms cw UTI include: new onset of worsening fever, rigors, altered mental status, malaise, or lethargy with no other identified cause, flank pain; CVA tenderness; acute hematuria; pelvic discomfort
- When catheter removed : dysuria, urgent or frequent urination, supra pubic pain or tenderness

# Diagnosis of CA-UTI

- A urine culture should be obtained prior to initiating antimicrobial treatment
- If an indwelling catheter has been in place for > 2 weeks at the onset of CA-UTI and is still indicated, the catheter should be replaced and a urine sample sent from freshly placed catheter
- If catheter can be discontinued , a culture of voided midstream urine specimen should be obtained

# Banner Clinical Practice

- Discuss with patient indication and risk of placing an indwelling urinary catheter and document in chart.
- Select an indication for the catheter when ordering.
  - Urinary retention or obstruction
  - U.O. monitoring in critically ill, incontinent, uncooperative
  - Peri-operatively for selected surgical procedures
  - Fluid challenge in patients with ARF
  - Urinary incontinence posing risk to patient
  - Prolonged immobilization
  - Palliative care in terminally ill
- Continuing the catheter requires daily renewal order.
  - Nursing will contact you on daily basis for indication and order
  - Exceptions include certain urologic/gyn/perineal procedures

# CA UTIs

- Cefepime 2 gm IV q 12h, Pip/tazo 3.375 gr q 6h or IMP 500 mg q 6h
- Discontinue or exchange catheter
- Duration 5- 14 days
- Shorter duration in uncomplicated UTI 3d
- Do not use moxifloxacin

# Zosyn extended infusion

- Zosyn 4.5 gm IV q 6h will be automatically replaced 3.375 GM IV extended infusion (4hs) q 8h. MIC <16
- ER 30 min infusion will continue

CID 2013; 56(2): 272-282

J Pharm Pract.2011 Dec ;24(6):571-6

J Expert Opin Drug Metab Toxicol.2010 Aug; 6(8): 1017-31

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## Orders Prior to Reconciliation

## Orders After Reconciliation

Order Name/Details	Status		Order Name/Details	Status
<b>Home Medications</b>				
			omeprazole (Prilosec 10 mg oral enteric coated capsule) 10 mg, 1 cap, Oral, Daily, for 30 days, 30 cap, 0 Refill(s) < Notes for Patient >	Prescribed
<b>Continued Home Medications</b>				
diclofenac (diclofenac sodium extended release) 100 mg, Oral, BID	Documented		diclofenac (diclofenac sodium extended release) 100 mg, Oral, BID < Notes for Patient >	Documented
diclofenac 100 mg, 2 tab, Oral, BID	Ordered			
Ruconazole 400 mg, 2 tab, Oral, Daily	Ordered		Ruconazole (Ruconazole 200 mg oral tablet) 400 mg, 2 tab, Oral, Daily, for 34 days, 68 tab, 0 Refill(s) < Notes for Patient > <b>The continued order status has changed since it was reconciled or replaced.</b>	Prescribed
piperacillin-tazobactam (Zosyn (extended interval)) 3.375 gm, IV Piggyback, Q8H	Ordered		piperacillin-tazobactam (piperacillin-tazobactam 3 gm-0.375 gm intravenous injection) See Instructions, IV Piggyback Q8H, 34 unit(s), 0 Refill(s) < Notes for Patient > <b>The continued order status has changed since it was reconciled or replaced.</b>	Prescribed
prednisONE 15 mg, 3 tab, Oral, Daily	Ordered		prednisONE (prednisONE 5 mg oral tablet) 15 mg, 3 tab, Oral, Daily, for 60 days, 180 tab, 0 Refill(s) < Notes for Patient >	Prescribed
propranolol 20 mg, 2 tab, Oral, BID	Ordered		propranolol (propranolol 10 mg oral tablet) 20 mg, 2 tab, Oral, BID, for 60 days, 240 tab, 0 Refill(s) < Notes for Patient >	Prescribed
VANCOMycin 250 mg, 10 mL, Oral, Q8H	Ordered		VANCOMycin (vancomycin 125 mg oral capsule) 125 mg, 1 cap, Oral, Q8H, for 34 days, 136 cap, 0 Refill(s) < Notes for Patient >	Prescribed
<b>Medications</b>				
chlorhexidine topical (Fendex) 15 mL, Swish and Spit, BID	Ordered			
lanetidine 20 mg, 1 tab, Oral, BID	Ordered			
glucagon 1 mg, 1 mL, SubCutaneous, On Call, PRN: Blood Glucose	Ordered			
glucose 15 gm, Oral, On Call, PRN: Blood Glucose	Ordered			
glucose 30 gm, Oral, On Call, PRN: Blood Glucose	Ordered			
glucose (Dextrose 50%) 25 gm, 50 mL, IV Push, On Call, PRN: Blood Glucose	Ordered			
heparin 5,000 unit(s), 1 mL, SubQ, Q8H (in)	Ordered			
multivitamin 1 tab, Oral, Daily	Ordered			

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## Antibigrams

View for facility antibigrams for the various Banner facilities

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# Candida UTI

- Candidemia rarely results from asymptomatic candiduria
- Patients who have symptoms of UTI should be treated . Oral fluconazole .
- Candiduria + indwelling catheter ,remove catheter. If not possible -> repeat UA
- Treatment of asymptomatic candiduria:
  - Very low birth weight infants
  - Patients undergoing urologic procedures
  - Neutropenic patients

# Recommended reading

- Clinical Practice Guidelines CID 2011:52 e 103-120
- Urinary Catheter Guidelines CID 2010:50 625-663
- Infect Dis Clin N Am 28 (2014) 1-159
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