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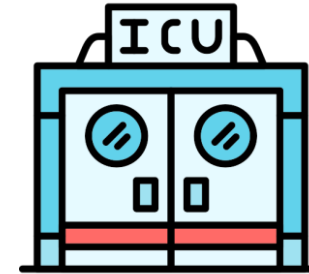
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# Mitos sobre las alergias: *El pasado, pasado está... “let it go, let it go...”*

Importancia de la cadena lateral (conocido desde 1971)

## Beta-lactam Hypersensitivity Suspected Antigen

Penicillin Core Structure

Cephalosporin Core Structure

Carbapenem Core Structure

Monobactam Core Structure

Chaudhry et al.  
 Pharmacy (Basel).  
 2019;7(3):103.

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THE POSSIBILITIES

## CDC STI Guidelines, Gonorrhea

<p><b>2015</b></p>	<p>“Use of ceftriaxone or cefixime is contraindicated in persons with a history of an IgE-mediated penicillin allergy (e.g., anaphylaxis, Stevens Johnson syndrome, and toxic epidermal necrolysis)”</p>
<p><b>2020 update</b></p>	<p>“When ceftriaxone cannot be used for treating urogenital or rectal gonorrhea because of cephalosporin allergy, a single 240 mg IM dose of gentamicin plus a single 2g oral dose of azithromycin is an option.”</p>
<p><b>2021</b></p>	<p>“<b>Third-generation cephalosporins</b> (e.g., ceftriaxone and cefixime) <b>have lower cross-reactivity with IgE-mediated penicillin-allergic patients</b> (&lt;1%) compared with first- and second-generation cephalosporins (1%-8%)</p>

*CDC: Centers for Disease Control and Prevention*  
*STI: Sexually Transmitted Infections*

Practice Guideline > J Allergy Clin Immunol. 2022 Dec;150(6):1333-1393.

doi: 10.1016/j.jaci.2022.08.028. Epub 2022 Sep 17.

## Drug allergy: A 2022 practice parameter update

- $\beta$ -lactam antibiotics with **dissimilar R-group side chains** are associated with **low cross-reactivity**.
- It is **safe to administer antibiotics with different R-group side chains**
- **Cefazolin does NOT share a common side chain with any other  $\beta$ -lactams**

Practice Guideline > J Allergy Clin Immunol. 2022 Dec;150(6):1333-1393.

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## Drug allergy: A 2022 practice parameter update

- Alergia a penicilina descrita en 10% de los pacientes
- De estos, **9/10** están **etiquetados de alergia de forma equivocada**



- relacionado con **peores resultados**
- mayor incidencia de **infecciones relacionadas con la cirugía**
- mayor riesgo de infecciones por ***Clostridioides difficile***, MRSA y ***Enterococcus*** resistente a vancomicina

J Allergy Clin Immunol Pract. 2022; 10(12): 3262-3269

Infect Control Hosp Epidemiol. 2022; 43(7): 829-833

BMJ. 2018; 361: k2400.

Practice Guideline > J Allergy Clin Immunol. 2022 Dec;150(6):1333-1393.

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## Drug allergy: A 2022 practice parameter update

### *Consensus Based Statement*

*“We recommend that a proactive effort should be made to de-label patients with reported penicillin allergy, if appropriate.”*

The Joint Task Force on Practice Parameters (JTFPP)

## Antibiotic Use in Patients With $\beta$ -Lactam Allergies and Pneumonia: Impact of an Antibiotic Side Chain–Based Cross-Reactivity Chart Combined With Enhanced Allergy Assessment

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No difference in:

- overall allergic reactions between cohorts (2.4% vs. 1.6%;  $p = 0.738$ )
- reactions caused by  $\beta$ -lactams (1.3% vs. 0.9%;  $p = 0.703$ )

Healthcare facility-onset ***Clostridioides difficile* infection decreased**  
(1.2% vs. 0.2%;  $p = 0.032$ )



> [Am J Health Syst Pharm. 2023 Apr 8;80\(8\):532-536. doi: 10.1093/ajhp/zxac385.](#)

## Pharmacist adjustment of preoperative antibiotic orders to the preferred preoperative antibiotic cefazolin for patients with penicillin allergy labeling

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> [Open Forum Infect Dis. 2023 Apr 24;10\(6\):ofad224. doi: 10.1093/ofid/ofad224.](#)  
eCollection 2023 Jun.

## Cefazolin vs Second-line Antibiotics for Surgical Site Infection Prevention After Total Joint Arthroplasty Among Patients With a Beta-lactam Allergy

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(+) Known cross-reactive (X) Same R1 side chain	Penicillin	Amoxicillin	Ampicillin	Cephalexin	Cefadroxil	Cefazolin	Cefuroxime	Ceftriaxone	Cefotaxime	Ceftazidime	Cefepime	Cefiderocol	Aztreonam
Penicillin		+	+	+									
Amoxicillin	+		+	+	X								
Ampicillin	+	+		X									
Cephalexin	+	+	X										
Cefadroxil		X											
Cefazolin													
Cefuroxime													
Ceftriaxone											X		
Cefotaxime											X		
Ceftazidime												X	X
Cefepime								X	X				
Cefiderocol										X			X
Aztreonam										X		X	

DePestel. J Am Pharm Assoc. 2008;48(4):530-540.

Trubiano. J Allergy Clin Immunol Pract 2017;5:1532-1542.

Zagursky. J Allergy Clin Immunol Pract 2018;6:72-81.

Picard. J Allergy Clin Immunol Pract. 2019;7(8):2722-2738.e5.

Wijnakker. Clin Micro Infect. 2023 in press.



# New CDC Requirements for Antibiotic Use Reporting and Opportunities for Antibiotic Stewardship

**Antibiotic Use and Resistance Reporting Are Required Starting in 2024**



Centers for Disease Control and Prevention  
CDC 24/7: Saving Lives, Protecting People™

National Healthcare Safety Network (NHSN)

CDC > NHSN Home > Patient Safety Component



## Using NHSN Antibiotic Use Data for Action, Not Just Counting

<https://www.cdc.gov/nhsn/au-case-examples/index.html>

Ejemplos de buenas prácticas o casos de éxito

### **SAAR: *standardized antimicrobial administration ratio***

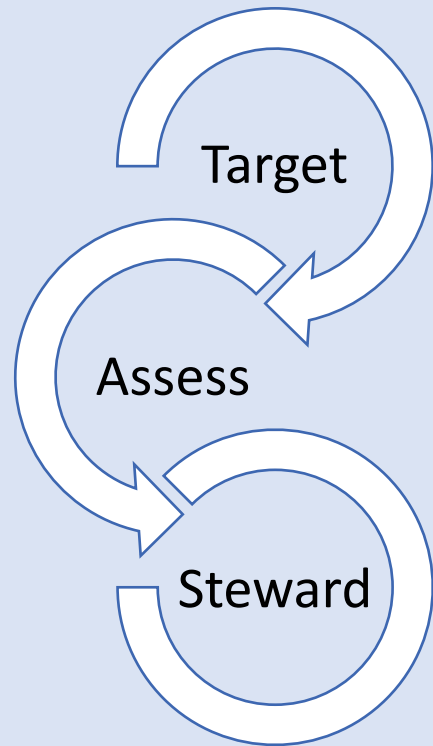
- medida que permite comparar los resultados observados con los predichos (predicted days of antimicrobial therapy).
- *predicted antimicrobial use days*: basados en datos nacionales agregados

**SAAR target:** elegido para cada categoría de antimicrobianos

### ***AU-cumulative attributable difference (AU-CAD)***

- traduce el SAAR target en una variable más tangible: número de días de antimicrobianos que es necesario añadir o quitar para conseguir el SAAR target.

**AU-CAD = Observed antimicrobial days - (Predicted antimicrobial days x SAAR target)**

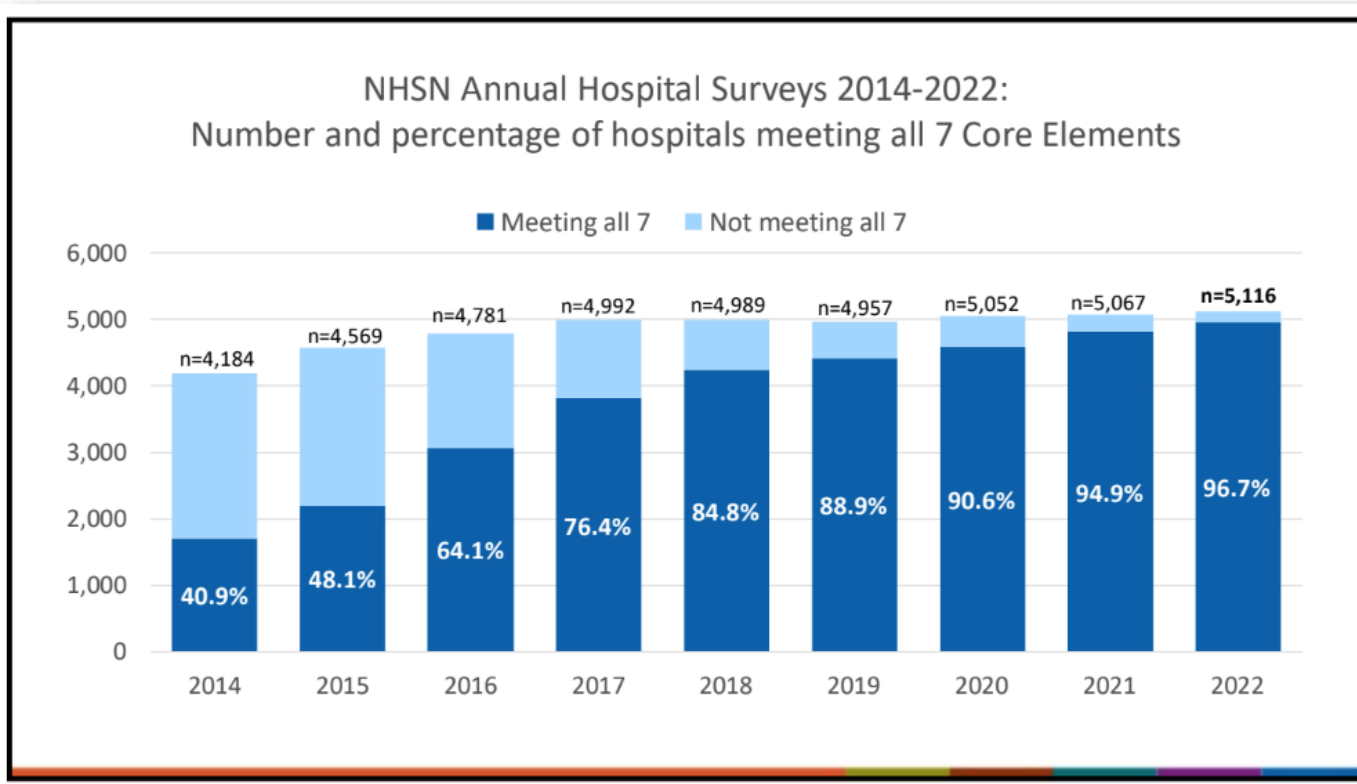


## Targeted Assessment for Stewardship

*“We came up with a SAAR goal of 0.9, how many days of therapy do we need to eliminate to get there?”*

- 1. Target:** identificar servicios y áreas con potencial de mejora (a través del AU cumulative attributable difference = AU-CAD).
- 2. Assess:** identificar las oportunidades para la mejora del uso de antimicrobianos.
- 3. Steward:** implementar actividades de “antibiotic stewardship”, enfocadas a las oportunidades identificadas.

# NHSN Annual Hospital Surveys 2014-2022: Number and percentage of hospitals meeting all 7 Core Elements



## Core Elements of Hospital Antibiotic Stewardship Programs



### Hospital Leadership Commitment

Dedicate necessary human, financial, and information technology resources.



### Accountability

Appoint a leader or co-leaders, such as a physician and pharmacist, responsible for program management and outcomes.



### Pharmacy Expertise (previously "Drug Expertise"):

Appoint a pharmacist, ideally as the co-leader of the stewardship program, to help lead implementation efforts to improve antibiotic use.



### Action

Implement interventions, such as prospective audit and feedback or preauthorization, to improve antibiotic use.



### Tracking

Monitor antibiotic prescribing, impact of interventions, and other important outcomes, like *C. difficile* infections and resistance patterns.



### Reporting

Regularly report information on antibiotic use and resistance to prescribers, pharmacists, nurses, and hospital leadership.



### Education

Educate prescribers, pharmacists, nurses, and patients about adverse reactions from antibiotics, antibiotic resistance, and optimal prescribing.



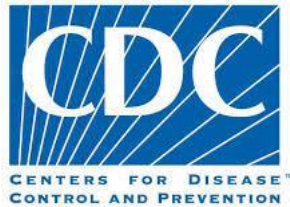
## Oportunidades para los PROA:

- Identificar áreas de interés y “temas candentes”
- Sepsis
- *Diagnostic excellence/stewardship*: Better Diagnoses = Better Antibiotic Use

# Antibiotic Stewardship and Sepsis: Better Together



## Hospital Sepsis Program Core Elements: 2023



<https://www.cdc.gov/sepsis/core-elements.html>

### Hospital Sepsis Program Core Elements

- 
**Hospital Leadership Commitment**  
 Dedicating the necessary human, financial, and information technology resources.
- 
**Accountability**  
 Appointing a leader or co-leaders responsible for program goals and outcomes.
- 
**Multi-Professional Expertise**  
 Engaging key partners throughout the hospital and healthcare system.
- 
**Action**  
 Implementing structures and processes to improve the identification of, management of, and recovery from sepsis.
- 
**Tracking**  
 Measuring sepsis epidemiology, management, and outcomes to assess the impact of sepsis initiatives and progress toward program goals.
- 
**Reporting**  
 Providing information on sepsis management and outcomes to relevant partners.
- 
**Education**  
 Providing sepsis education to healthcare professionals, patients, and family/caregivers.

 <https://www.cdc.gov/sepsis/core-elements.html>



# Updates in Antifungal Pharmacotherapy: Resistance, Challenges, New Options

- Resistencia a antifúngicos: preocupación creciente
    - 2022 World Health Organization Fungal Priority Pathogen List
  - “Limitaciones” de los test de sensibilidad antifúngica
  - Mecanismos de resistencia a antifúngicos
- ➔
- Cryptococcus neoformans
  - Candida auris
  - Aspergillus fumigatus
  - Candida albicans

## New and Pipeline Agents



Fosmanogepix  
**Ibrexafungerp \***  
 Olorofim  
 Opelconazole  
**Oteseconazole \***  
**Rezafungin \***

\* FDA Approved

## Summary – Antifungal Resistance

	Amphotericin B	Azoles	Echinocandins	Flucytosine (5-FC)
Cellular Stress Response	✓	✓	✓	✗
Efflux Pumps	✗	✓	✗	✓
Endogenous Pyrimidine Biosynthesis	✗	✗	✗	✓
Reduced Membrane Permeability	✓	✓	✓	✓
Target Site Modification	✓	✓	✓	✓
Target Site Overexpression	✓	✓	✗	✗

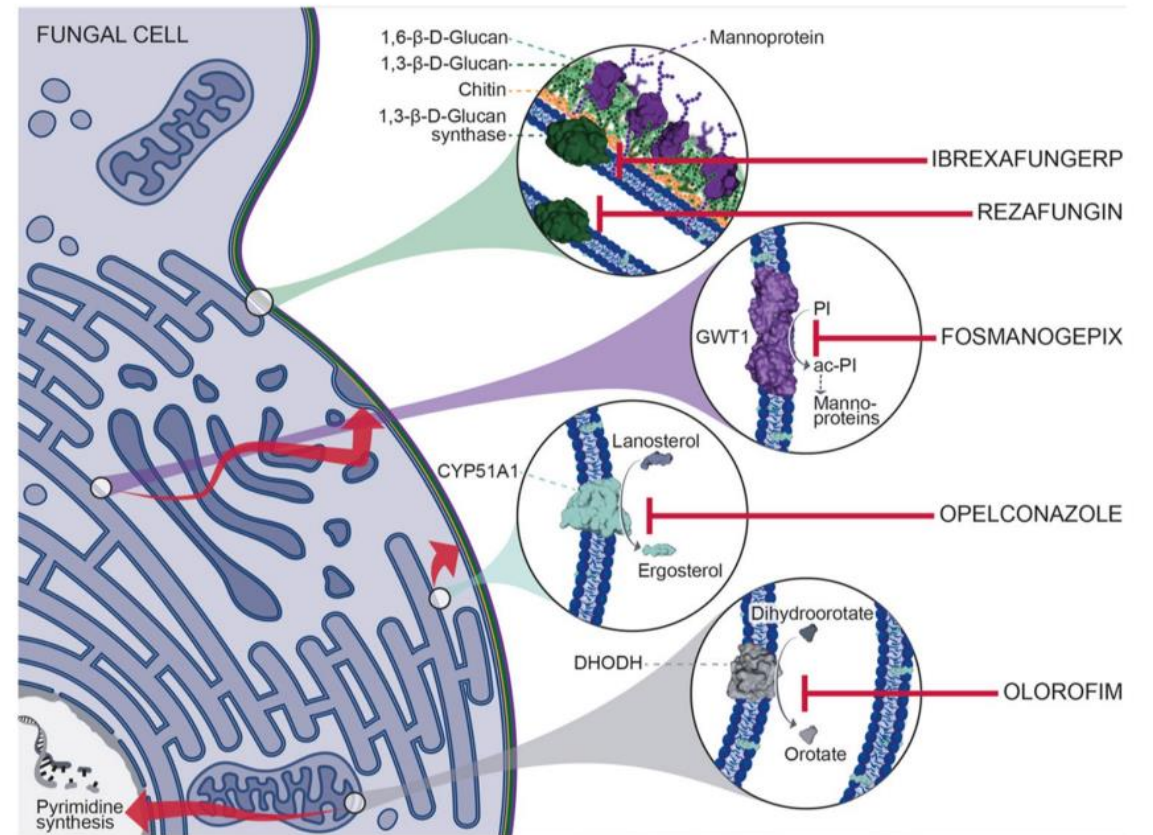
Drugs (2021) 81:1703–1729  
<https://doi.org/10.1007/s40265-021-01611-0>

LEADING ARTICLE

## The Antifungal Pipeline: Fosmanogepix, Ibrexafungerp, Olorofim, Opelconazole, and Rezafungin

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**Fig. 1** Mechanism of action of novel antifungal drugs discussed in this review. *DHODH* dihydroorotate dehydrogenase



	<b>Espectro</b>	<b>Vía adm</b>	<b>Indicación</b>	<b>Efectos adversos</b>
<b>Ibrexafungerp</b>	<i>Candida</i> <i>Aspergillus</i> <i>Pneumocystis</i>	Oral	Candidiasis vulvovaginal	Gastrointestinal, cefalea
<b>Oteseconazole</b>	<i>Candida</i> <i>Aspergillus</i>	Intravenosa <b>semanal</b>	Candidemia Candidiasis invasiva	Fiebre Hipopotasemia
<b>Rezafungin</b>	<i>Candida</i>	Intravenosa	Candidiasis vulvovaginal recurrente	Rash, cefalea, infecciones urinarias, infecciones respiratorias
<b>Fosmanogepix</b>	<b>AMPLIO!</b> <i>Candida</i> <i>Aspergillus</i> <i>Fusarium</i> <i>Scedosporium</i> <i>Cryptococcus</i> Dimorphics <i>Cladosporium</i>	Oral/IV <b>semanal</b>	<b>FDA Fast Track Status</b>  <b>Difficult-to-treat invasive fungal infections</b>	

# The 2023 CDC Vaccine Update

GRYPE

COVID

VIRUS RESPIRATORIO SINCICIAL

## Gripe: tratamientos antivirales

Oseltamivir VO

Baloxavir VO

Zanamivir INH

Peramivir IV

<https://www.cdc.gov/flu/pdf/professionals/antivirals/antiviral-summary-clinicians.pdf>

## Virus respiratorio sincicial (VRS): vacunas

*In June 2023, CDC's Advisory Committee on Immunization Practices (ACIP) recommended the **first two RSV vaccines for older adults.***

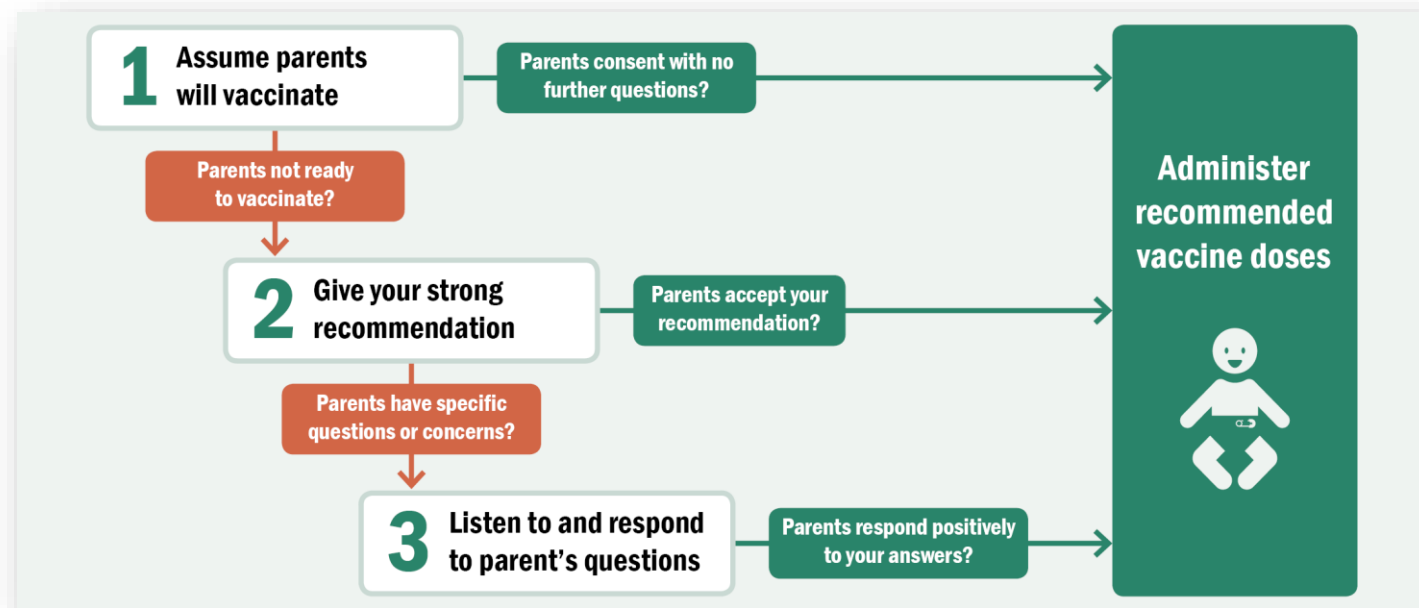
- RSVPreF3 (Arexvy, GSK)
- RSVpreF (Abrysvo, Pfizer)



# The 2023 CDC Vaccine Update

**Vacunas: importancia de la entrevista motivacional → confianza, colaboración**

- “Presumptive approach” + “strong vaccine recommendation”
- Empatía, pedir permiso, aplicar técnicas de entrevista, resolver dudas



# Insights from the International Consensus Recommendations for the Use of Prolonged-infusion $\beta$ -lactams

SPECIAL ARTICLE



PHARMACOTHERAPY

International consensus recommendations for the use of prolonged-infusion beta-lactam antibiotics: Endorsed by the American College of Clinical Pharmacy, British Society for Antimicrobial Chemotherapy, Cystic Fibrosis Foundation, European Society of Clinical Microbiology and Infectious Diseases, Infectious Diseases Society of America, Society of Critical Care Medicine, and Society of Infectious Diseases Pharmacists

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- **Question I:** Are there microbiologic targets for bacterial killing and resistance suppression for  $\beta$ lactams in preclinical PK/PD models of infections?
- **Question II:** Does PI of  $\beta$ -lactams result in enhanced bacterial killing relative to SI in preclinical PK/PD models of infections?
- **Question III:** Do PI  $\beta$ -lactams minimize resistance emergence relative to SI in pre-clinical PK/PD models of infections?
- **Question IV:** Is there a role for therapeutic drug monitoring (TDM) of PI  $\beta$ -lactams?
- **Question V:** What  $\beta$ -lactam concentration or exposure should be targeted when performing TDM?
- **Question VI:** Are there stability concerns when delivering PI  $\beta$ lactam infusions?

# Insights from the International Consensus Recommendations for the Use of Prolonged-infusion $\beta$ -lactams

- **Question VII:** Should PI  $\beta$ -lactam antibiotics be preferred over SI dosing in severely ill adult patients to improve mortality or clinical cure? 
- **Question VIII:** Should PI  $\beta$ -lactam antibiotics be preferred over SI in non-severely ill adult patients to improve mortality and clinical cure? 
- **Question IX:** Is the use of PI  $\beta$ -lactam antibiotics safer than SI among adult and pediatric patients?
- **Question X:** Should a loading dose be administered over no loading dose when using PI  $\beta$ -lactam antibiotics in adults to improve mortality or clinical cure?
- **Question XI:** Should PI  $\beta$ -lactam be used in children versus SI to improve efficacy?
- **Question XII:** Should PI  $\beta$ -lactam be used in obese patients versus SI to improve efficacy?

**Table S1. Evidence summary table for efficacy outcomes among severely ill adult patients**

**Question:** PI compared to SI in severely ill adult patients

Certainty assessment							No of patients		Effect		Certainty	Importance
No of studies	Study design	Risk of bias	Inconsistency	Indirectness	Imprecision	Other considerations	PI	SI	Relative (95% CI)	Absolute (95% CI)		
<b>Mortality</b> <sup>1-20</sup>												
20	randomized trials	<u>serious<sup>a</sup></u>	not serious	not serious	<u>serious<sup>b</sup></u>	none	186/1147 (16.2%)	218/1146 (19.0%)	<b>RR 0.86</b> (0.72 to 1.02)	<b>27 fewer per 1,000</b> (from 53 fewer to 4 more)	⊕⊕○○ Low	CRITICAL
<b>Clinical cure</b> <sup>3,5,7-11,13,15,16,18-21</sup>												
14	randomized trials	<u>serious<sup>a</sup></u>	not serious	<u>serious<sup>c</sup></u>	not serious	publication bias strongly suspected <sup>d</sup>	596/936 (63.7%)	553/960 (57.6%)	<b>RR 1.10</b> (1.03 to 1.19)	<b>64 more per 1,000</b> (from 19 more to 121 more)	⊕○○○ Very low	IMPORTANT
<b>Microbiological cure</b> <sup>5,9,18-21</sup>												
6	randomized trials	<u>serious<sup>a</sup></u>	not serious	<u>serious<sup>e,f</sup></u>	not serious	none	168/222 (75.7%)	145/231 (62.8%)	<b>RR 1.21</b> (1.08 to 1.35)	<b>132 more per 1,000</b> (from 50 more to 220 more)	⊕⊕○○ Low	IMPORTANT

CI: confidence interval; PI: prolonged infusion; RR: risk ratio; SI: short infusion

Should PI  $\beta$ -lactam antibiotics be preferred over SI dosing in severely ill adult patients to improve mortality or clinical cure?

### 3.7.1 | Recommendation 7



We suggest PI  $\beta$ -lactam antibiotics over SI to reduce mortality or increase clinical cure among severely ill adult patients, particularly those with gram-negative infections. (Conditional recommendation; very low certainty of evidence).

Should PI  $\beta$ -lactam antibiotics be preferred over SI in nonseverely ill adult patients to improve mortality and clinical cure?

### 3.8.1 | Recommendation 8



We cannot recommend for or against PI  $\beta$ -lactam antibiotics over SI to reduce mortality and increase clinical cure among nonseverely ill adult patients. (Conditional recommendation; very low certainty of evidence).

Should PI  $\beta$ -lactam antibiotics be used in children versus SI to improve efficacy?

### 3.11.1 | Recommendation 11



We cannot recommend for or against routine use of PI for any specific clinical situations or in any specific patient populations (e.g., severely ill, obese, neonates) to improve the efficacy of  $\beta$ -lactam agents in the pediatric population. (Conditional recommendation, very low certainty of evidence).

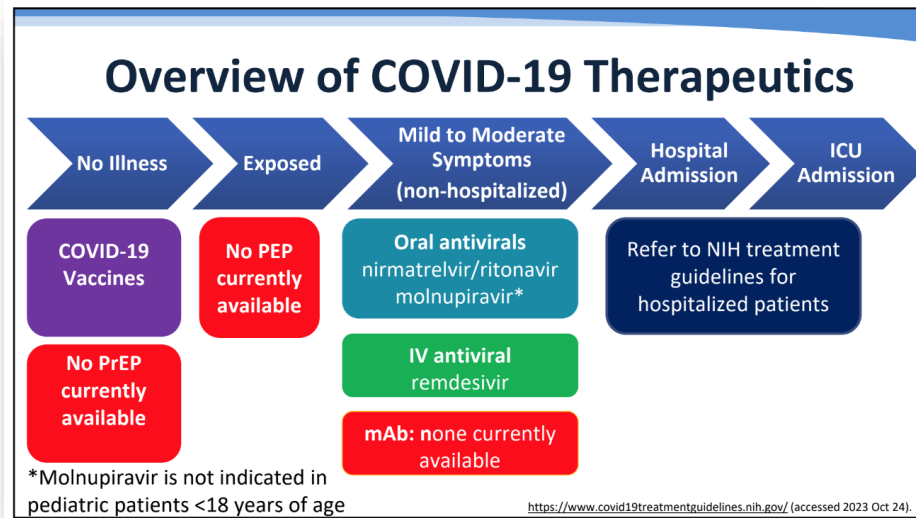
Should PI  $\beta$ -lactam antibiotics be used in obese patients versus SI to improve efficacy?

### 3.12.1 | Recommendation 12



We cannot recommend for or against the routine use of PI to improve the efficacy of  $\beta$ -lactam agents in obese patients (Consensus recommendation).

# COVID-19 Now and Beyond: Where Do We Go From Here?



## ¿Algo nuevo a la vista?

### Nuevos “mabs” para profilaxis:

- VYD222
- AZD5156

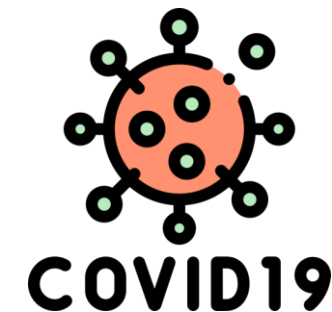
### Antivirales orales

- VV116 (N Engl J Med 2023; 388: 406-417)

### Effectiveness of Oral Nirmatrelvir/Ritonavir vs. Intravenous Three-Day Remdesivir in Preventing Progression to Severe COVID-19: A Single-Center, Prospective, Comparative, Real-Life Study

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Viruses 2023; 15 (7); 1515



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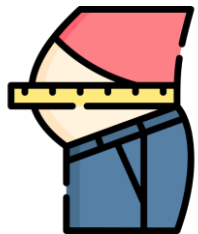
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- Lee Cantrell, PharmD

# Codes That Make You Tachycardic: Emergencies in Special Populations



- Recommend a guideline-supported medication regimen for a **pediatric patient** with pulseless **ventricular tachycardia**.



- Develop an appropriate rapid **sequence intubation regimen** for an **obese patient** with acute hypoxic respiratory failure.



- Design an appropriate regimen for the **initial resuscitation** of a hemodynamically unstable **pregnant patient**.

# Dream of the Endless: Updates in Procedural Sedation

	Intranasal	Intramuscular	Oral/Sublingual
<b>Opioides</b> Morfina Fentanilo Remifentalino Sulfentanilo	<b>Fentanyl</b> (50 mcg/mL) 1-3 mcg/kg		
	<b>Ketamine</b> (100 mg/mL) 3-9 mg/kg	3-5 mg/kg	Oral: 0.5 mg/kg/day (in 3 or 4 divided doses)
	<b>Dexmedetomidine</b> (100 mcg/mL) 1-5 mcg/kg	0.05-0.1 mg/kg	Sublingual
	<b>Midazolam</b> (5 mg/mL) 0.05-0.2 mg/kg		Oral: 0.25-0.5 mg/kg (max 20 mg/dose) Sublingual: 0.2 mg/kg
<b>Sedantes</b> Etomidato Ketamina Midazolam Propofol Dexmedetomidina "Ketofol"	<b>Chloral hydrate</b>		Adult: 500-1000 mg Pediatric: 25-100 mg/kg/dose

# Emergency Medicine Pearls 2023

## When HIET Hits The Fan: Medication Safety Pearls for Hyperinsulinemia-Euglycemia Therapy

**HIET = HYPERINSULINEMIA-EUGLYCEMIA THERAPY** → tratamiento de intoxicaciones por:



- antagonistas del calcio
- beta-bloqueantes
- antiarrítmicos
- antidepresivos tricíclicos
- inhibidores de la recaptación de serotonina/noradrenalina



Bolus: 1 UI/kg

Infusión: 1-10 UI/kg/h

Administración en SG 10%-20%

Administración (OJO SEGURIDAD!)

Estandarización 16 UI/ml, estabilidad 14 días

Laskey D, et al. Clin Toxicol (Phila). 2016; 54 (9): 829-832.

# Emerging and Continuing Controversies in the Management of Septic Shock

## Surviving Sepsis Campaign Guidelines

- Administración precoz de antibióticos
- Resucitación con fluidos → cristaloides balanceados, estrategia restrictiva vs liberal
- Vasopresores → considerar comorbilidades

## Controversias

- Objetivo tensión arterial media (TAM) (Crit Care Med. 2023; 51 (2): 241-253)
- Resucitación temprana vs tardía (Journal of Intensive Care Medicine 2023; 38 (11): 1051-1059)
- Vasopresores: *Lower Versus Higher Exposure* (Crit Care Med. 2023; 51 (2): 254-266)
- Terapias “ahorradoras” de catecolaminas

## Terapias “ahorradoras” de catecolaminas

- **Vasopresina: ¿administración temprana?**
- Corticosteroides
- Angiotensina II
- Ácido ascórbico, tiamina, hidroxocobalamina
- Azul de metileno
- Midodrina
- Bicarbonato sódico, trometamina



> [Ann Pharmacother.](#) 2023 May;57(5):521-526. doi: 10.1177/10600280221118903.  
Epub 2022 Aug 29.

### **Timing of Vasopressin Addition to Norepinephrine and Efficacy Outcomes in Patients With Septic Shock**

Allison L Brask <sup>1</sup>, Shelby M Shemanski <sup>2</sup>, Tyler E Barnes <sup>2</sup>, Ashley K Holmes <sup>2</sup>

> [Ann Pharmacother.](#) 2023 Aug 5:10600280231191131. doi: 10.1177/10600280231191131.  
Online ahead of print.

### **Comparison of Early Versus Late Adjunctive Vasopressin and Corticosteroids in Patients With Septic Shock**

Abdulmajeed M Alshehri <sup>1</sup>, Mary P Kovacevic <sup>1</sup>, Kevin M Dube <sup>1</sup>, Kenneth E Lupi <sup>1</sup>,  
Jeremy R DeGrado <sup>1</sup>

# Simply the Best — Updates in Best Practices for Managing Pain, Agitation, and Delirium in the Critically Ill

## PAIN FIRST → ANALGOSEDATION

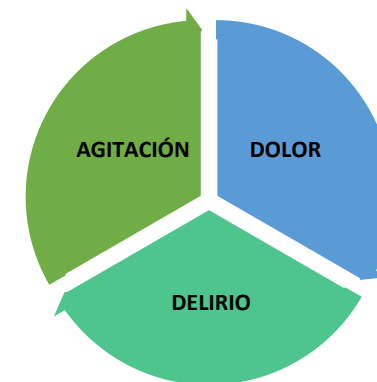
- Objetivos individualizados
- Valoración, valoración, valoración
- Estrategias no farmacológicas
- RASS 0 siempre que sea posible
- Opioides, sedantes, evitar bloqueo neuromuscular
- ANALGOsedación
- Rotación de fármacos



## SEDACIÓN

- Beneficios sedación LIGERA
- Selección de sedante individualizada
- Fármacos adyuvantes
- **Seguridad y eficacia de los gases inhalados y nuevos fármacos (CIPROFOL)?**

Terapia adyuvante con paracetamol o ketamina  
Rotación de opioides





## DELIRIO

Intervenciones no farmacológicas... ¿qué podemos hacer?

- Ajustar horarios para favorecer el descanso nocturno
- Evitar sedantes para el delirio hipoactivo
- Estrategias no farmacológicas para minimizar las dosis
- ABCDEF bundle
- Desprescripción

Review > J Intensive Care Med. 2024 Jan;39(1):28-43. doi: 10.1177/08850666231186747.

Epub 2023 Jul 4.

### A Rapid Systematic Review of Pharmacologic Sleep Promotion Modalities in the Intensive Care Unit

Mojdeh S Heavner<sup>1</sup>, Patricia R Louzon<sup>2</sup>, Emily F Gorman<sup>3</sup>, Kaitlin M Landolf<sup>1 4</sup>,  
Davide Ventura<sup>5</sup>, John W Devlin<sup>6 7</sup>

### *What else?*

- Valproico – tratamiento delirio
- Dexmedetomidina nocturna – sueño
- Melatonina - sueño

# Treating Acetaminophen Overdose: Consensus Guidelines

JAMA  
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Consensus Statement | Emergency Medicine

## Management of Acetaminophen Poisoning in the US and Canada A Consensus Statement

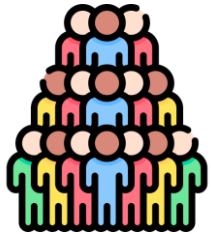
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JAMA Netw Open. 2023; 6(8): e2327739



- Pautas de acetilcisteina y criterios para suspender el tratamiento
- Intoxicaciones con formulaciones de liberación retardada
- Embarazo
- Pacientes con P > 100 kg
- Pediatría
- Paracetamol IV

# Poblaciones especiales



Drug Dosing in Patients with Severe Obesity

## GFR Estimation in Transgender Patients: An Evolution in Progress

- Jesse Rungkitwattanakul, PharmD, BCPS, FNKF

- Reto: valoración de la función renal en pacientes transgénero
- Cambios en masa muscular, cambios en creatitina
- Momento idóneo para valorarlo (no siempre a los 6 meses)
- Cistatina? posiblemente buena alternativa (menor afectación por masa muscular, raza, género)
- **EKFC-cysC (sin género) – pendiente validación** (N Engl J Med. 2023; 388 (4): 333-343)
- Usar distintas aproximaciones, valorar rango, seleccionar dosis inicial + monitorización

ORIGINAL ARTICLE

### Cystatin C–Based Equation to Estimate GFR without the Inclusion of Race and Sex

Hans Pottel, Ph.D., Jonas Björk, Ph.D., Andrew D. Rule, M.D., Natalie Ebert, M.D., M.P.H., Björn O. Eriksen, M.D., Ph.D., Laurence Dubourg, M.D., Ph.D., Emmanuelle Vidal-Petiot, M.D., Ph.D., Anders Grubb, M.D., Ph.D., Magnus Hansson, M.D., Ph.D., Edmund J. Lamb, Ph.D., Karin Littmann, M.D., Ph.D., Christophe Mariat, M.D., Ph.D., [et al.](#)

# Therapeutic Debates & Clinical Pearls 2023

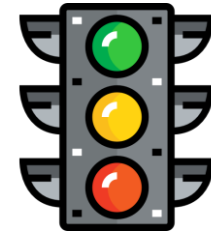


## Therapeutic Debates 2023

- **SGLT2i Debate:** Should We Go With The “-flozins” For All in Chronic Kidney Disease?
- Stop Waiting! **Inhaled Corticosteroids** Belong in the COPD Backbone: A Debate on Initial COPD Therapy
- Don't Stop Believin': The pros and cons of **generic dabigatran**'s journey to the market

# Therapeutic Debates & Clinical Pearls 2023

## Clinical Pearls 2023



- **Over-the-Counter CBD** — Impact on Pharmacotherapy
- You Guana Calm Down: **Guanfacine for Agitation and Delirium** in the Intensive Care Unit
- Site Makes Right: Considering the **Location of Enteral Tube** Placement for Medication Administration
- Open Sesame: What is the Magic Solution to **Keep Umbilical Lines Patent?**
- Bashing **BRASH**: Breaking the Vicious Cycle
- Let's HEAR About **Aminoglycosides Genetics!**





- Actualización farmacoterapéutica “TOP”
- Áreas con alto desarrollo en Farmacia Clínica
- “Stewardship”: *the careful and responsible management of something entrusted to one's care*



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