



## Contra-indicated

### Antibiotics to be avoided in penicillin allergy

- Amoxicillin
- Benzympenicillin
- Co-amoxiclav (Augmentin®)
- Flucloxacillin
- Phenoxyethylpenicillin (penicillin V)
- Piperacillin / Tazobactam (Tazocin®)
- Pivmecillinam
- Temocillin
- Ticarcillin (Timentin®)
- 1st generation cephalosporins**
- Cefradine, Cefalexin

## Caution

Use with caution if non-severe allergy (e.g. minor rash after 72 hours)

### Antibiotics to be used in caution in non-severe penicillin allergy (not an exhaustive list)

- Other Cephalosporins:**  
Cefixime, Cefotaxime, Ceftazidime, Ceftriaxone, Ceftobiprole, Cefuroxime, Ceftazidime/Avibactam (Zavicefta®), Ceftolozane/Tazobactam (Zerbaxa®)
- Other beta-lactam antibiotics**  
Aztreonam, Ertapenem, Imipenem, Meropenem/vaborbactam (Vaborem®)

## Considered safe



### Antibiotics safe in penicillin allergy (not an exhaustive list)

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| Amikacin       | Levofloxacin    |
| Azithromycin   | Linezolid       |
| Ciprofloxacin  | Metronidazole   |
| Clarithromycin | Nitrofurantoin  |
| Clindamycin    | Ofloxacin       |
| Colistin       | Rifampicin      |
| Co-trimoxazole | Sodium Fusidate |
| Daptomycin     | Teicoplanin     |
| Doxycycline    | Tetracycline    |
| Erythromycin   | Tigecycline     |
| Fosfomycin     | Tobramycin      |
| Fidaxomicin    | Trimethoprim    |
| Gentamicin     | Vancomycin      |