

# Antibiotic *C. difficile* Risk, Spectrum of Activity & Cost

\$ < \$10/day	Clindamycin \$\$	Flouroquinolones \$		<b>High risk</b>
\$\$ = \$ 10-50/day	Cefdinir \$	Ceftriaxone \$	Cefepime \$\$	
\$\$\$ = \$50-100/day		Cefoxitin \$\$\$	Ertapenem \$\$\$ Meropenem \$\$	
\$\$\$\$ = \$100-200/day				<b>Medium</b>
\$\$\$\$\$ > \$200/day	Cefuroxime \$	TMP-SMX \$ Azithromycin \$	Amp-sulbactam & Amox-clav \$ Pip-tazo \$\$	
	Cefazolin \$			<b>Low</b>
	Ampicillin \$\$ Amoxicillin \$	Aztreonam \$\$\$\$ Aminoglycosides \$\$	Polymyxin/ Colistin \$\$ Tigecycline \$\$\$\$	
Penicillin \$\$ (IV)	Ox/Nafcillin \$\$\$	Doxycycline \$	Vancomycin \$\$	<b>Very Low</b>
Metronidazole \$	Nitrofurantoin \$		Daptomycin \$\$\$\$ Linezolid \$\$/\$\$\$	

Narrowest spectrum

■ Highest Risk of CDI

Broadest spectrum

