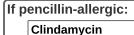
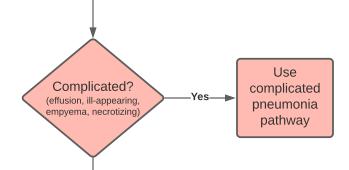
Outpatient or Initial Inpatient Management of Community-Acquired Pneumonia



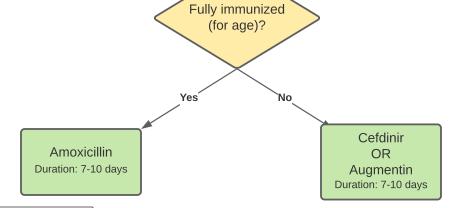
General dosing 10-15mg/kg/dose q8h; comes as 150mg & 300mg capsules, as well as 75mg/5mL solution

	Weight	Dosing
	<u>></u> 40kg	600mg q8h
	30kg-39.9kg	450mg q8h
	20kg-29.9kg	300mg q8h
	10kg-19.9kg	150mg q8h
	<10kg	10 mg/kg/dose q8h



Exclusion Criteria:

-Less than 3 months of age -Complicated pneumonia -Chronic lung disease (i.e., cystic fibrosis)



No

	Cefdinir		
General dosing 7mg/kg/dose; comes as 300mg capsule, as well as 250mg/5mL or 125mg/5mL suspension			
Weight	Dosing		
<u>></u> 40kg	300mg BID		
30kg-39.9kg	250mg BID		
25kg-34.9kg	200mg BID		
20kg-24.9kg	150mg BID		
16kg-19.9kg	125mg BID		
12.5kg-15.9kg	100mg BID		
9kg-12.49kg	75mg BID		
<9kg	7mg/kg/dose BID		

Amoxicillin

General dosing 45mg/kg/dose BID; comes as 125mg & 250mg chewable tabs, 250mg capsules, 500mg, 875mg tablets, also 125mg/5mL, 250mg/5mL, 250mg/5mL, 400mg/5mL suspension

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	Weight	Dosing	
	>25kg	1000mg BID	
	20kg-24.9kg	875mg BID (tabs), or 880mg BID (400mg/5mL suspension)	
	15kg-19.9kg	750mg BID (tabs or caps), or 720mg BID (400mg/5mL suspension)	
	<15kg	45mg/kg/dose BID	

If admitting Immunized - Ampicillin

Unimmunized - Amp/Sulbactam OR Ceftriaxone



