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### General description

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### Recommendations

#### Section

**Access group antibiotics**

Parenteral > General injections > unspecified: 1 g in vial (as sodium salt) powder for injection

#### Indications

**First choice**

- Other specified prophylactic measures
- Co-prescribed with metronidazole

**Second choice**

- Bacterial infection of joint
- Osteomyelitis or osteitis

**Other indications**

- Surgical site infection