General description

Cefazolin is a first generation cephalosporin.

Recommendations

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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

- Other specified prophylactic measures

Second choice

- Bacterial infection of joint
- Osteomyelitis or osteitis

Other indications

- Surgical site infection