

Inclusion Criteria:

- Patients that have tested positive for STI

Exclusion Criteria:

- Pre-pubertal child - **Call SCAN provider on call.**
- Treatments of the following diagnoses:
 - Pelvic inflammatory disease
 - Epididymitis, orchitis, or proctitis
 - Immunocompromised patients
 - Hepatitis
- Alternative treatments are not included in this guideline
 - Please refer to the [CDC STI Pocket Guide](#)

Does pubescent pt test positive for STI?

No → **Negative test results for STI:**

- Follow-up as needed with primary care provider
- Discontinue empiric treatment

Yes

CM lab will notify Infection Control for the following reportable STIs: Gonorrhea, Chlamydia, HIV, and Syphilis

Positive test results for STI:

- Continue to use **protected note types** as appropriate
- If pt is no longer in the care setting, contact pt using information on their **Confidential Information Form** (found in orders or ad hoc forms).
 - [Pt lost to follow-up](#)

Treatment guides

Chlamydia

- **Preferred:** [Doxycycline](#) 100 mg PO BID x 7 days
- OR**
- **Alternative** - to be considered in cases of pregnancy, poor adherence, or RX pickup issues: Azithromycin 1 g PO x 1 dose

Gonorrhea

- **Preferred:** Ceftriaxone
 - 500 mg IM x 1 for pts < 150 kg
 - 1000 mg IM x 1 for pts > 150 kg
- OR**
- **Alternative for cephalosporin allergy:** Gentamicin 240 mg IM in a single does **PLUS** Azithromycin 2 g orally in a single dose

If Chlamydia infection has not been excluded, treat for chlamydia also

Trichomoniasis

Metronidazole

- Females: 500 mg PO BID x 7 days
- Males: 2000 mg PO x 1 dose

HIV

See [HIV CPM](#) for recommendations

Syphilis

Penicillin G 2.4 M units IM x 1

- Refer to Infectious Diseases for follow up testing

Discharge Planning:

- Provide [pt STI education](#)
- Recommend [partner notification](#)
- Age < 17 years: Consider age of pt and partner
 - Consult Social Work
- Use [confidential documentation](#) processes
 - Refer to [Confidentiality Tips](#)

Gonorrhea, Chlamydia, or Trichomoniasis:

- Follow-up with PCP or CM Adolescent Specialty Clinic

HIV or Syphilis:

- Clinic referral to Infectious Diseases

Abbreviations (laboratory & radiology excluded):

BID = two times a day
 CDC = Centers for Disease Control
 CPM = Care Process Model
 HIV = Human Immunodeficiency Virus
 IM = intramuscular
 PO = by mouth
 pt = patient
 RX = prescription
 STI = Sexually Transmitted Infection

