

What Can ICPs do for stewardship

Harnessing, THE FORCE of ICPs

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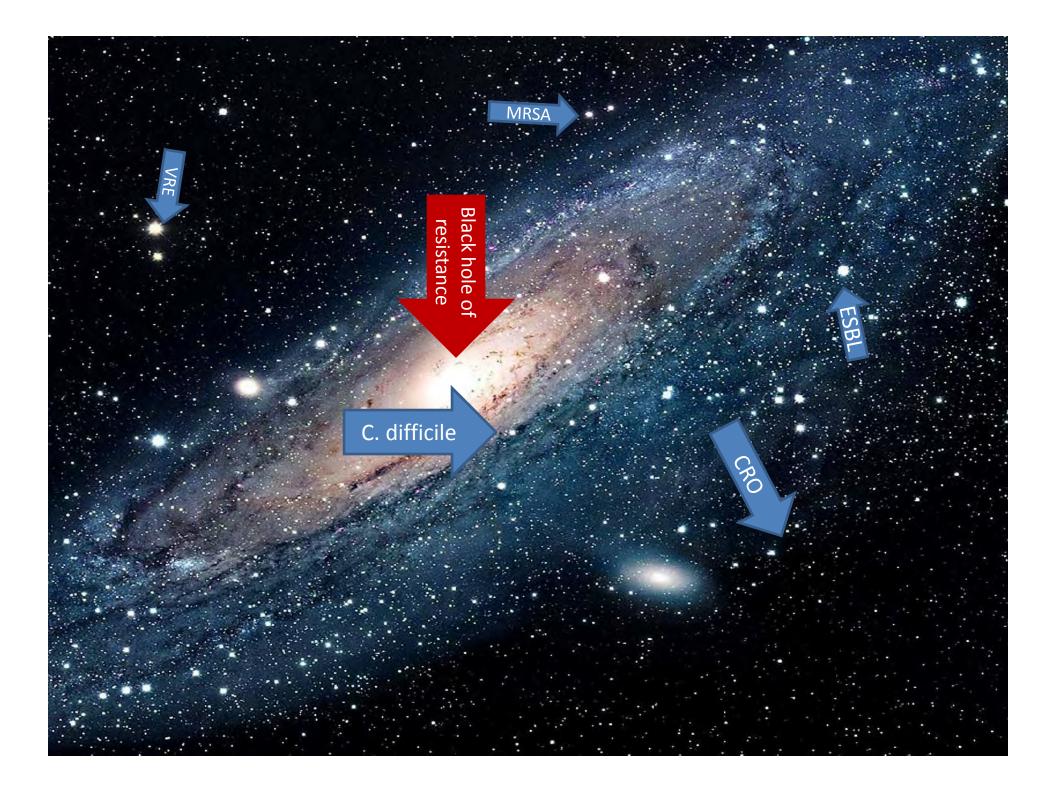




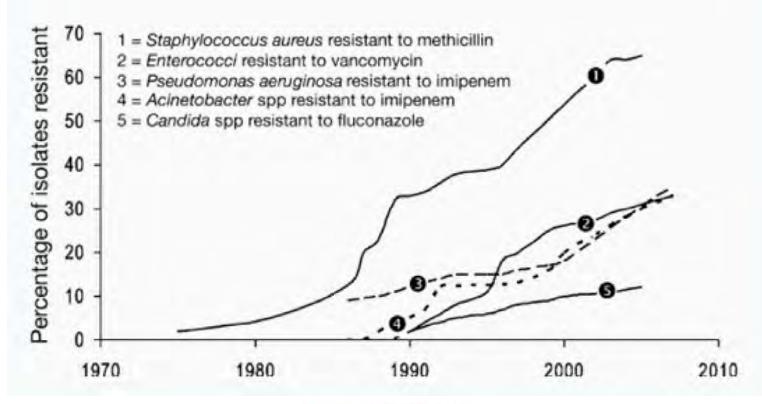
Long, long ago in a hospital far, far
away, there were a group of intrepid
practitioners, their entany - resistant
infections - were weiging a battle of
attrition against all afforts at cleaning,
hand washing and Personal Protective
Equipment

Despite their heroic efforts, new infections appeared, as if from nowhere, increasing work-loads and causing a great disturbance in the work-force.

But, then, came a group of allies, whose efforts could vastly improve the

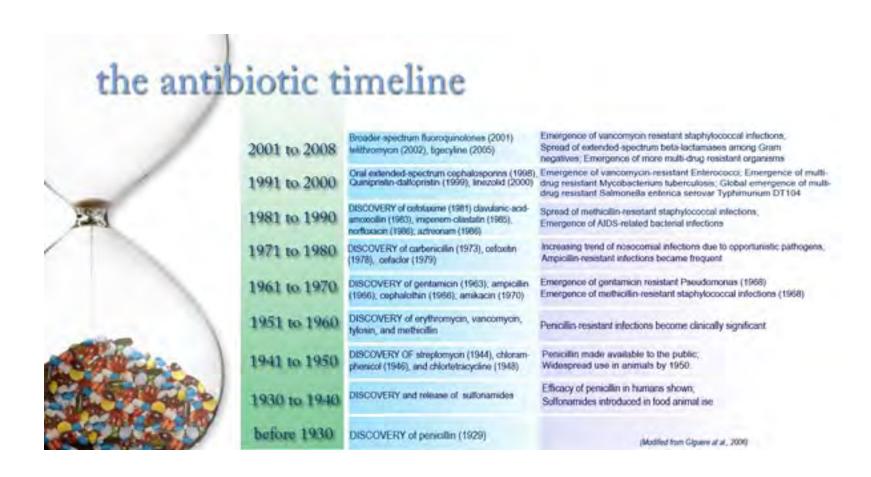


Antimicrobial Resistance for Selected Pathogens over Time



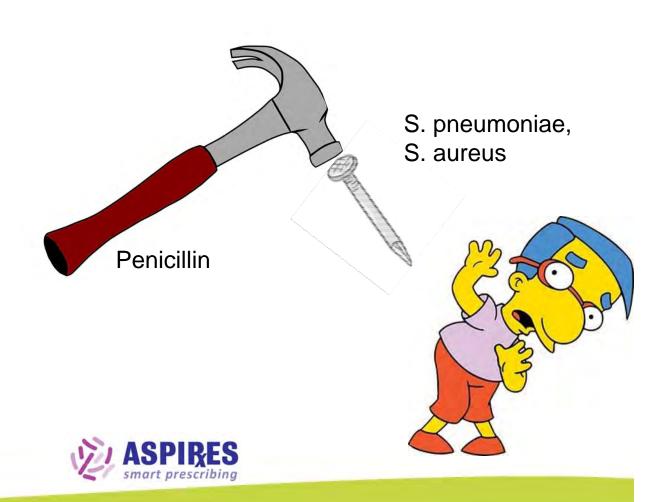






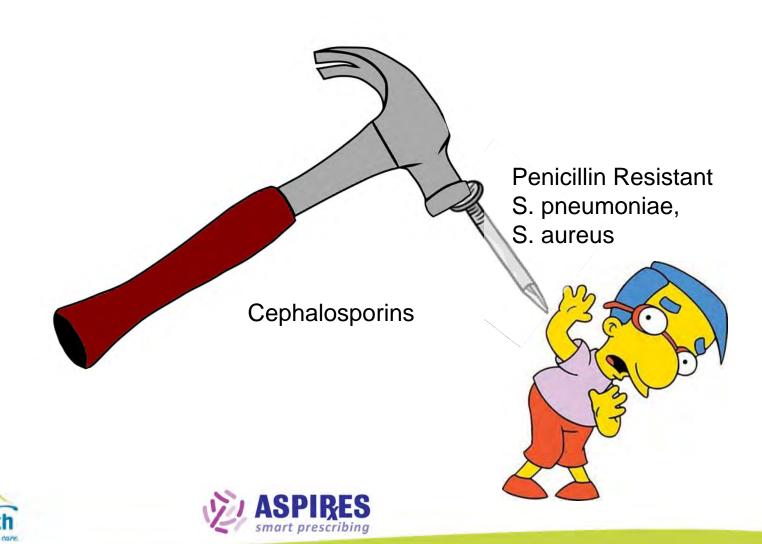




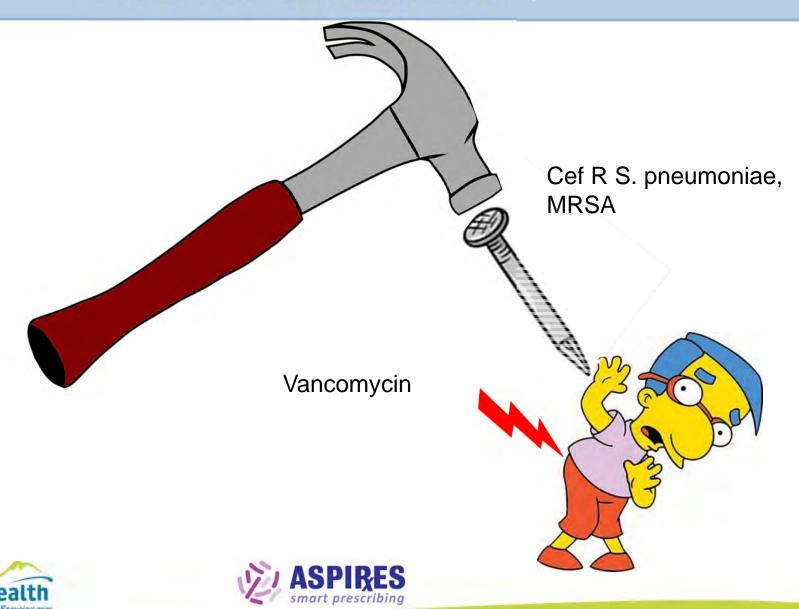


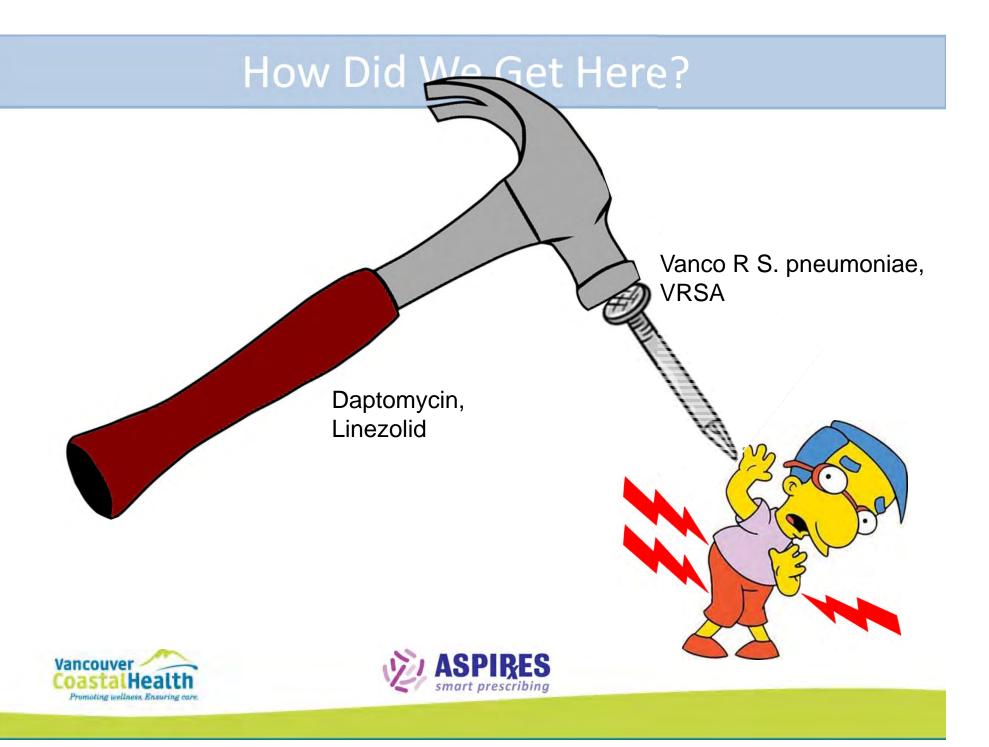


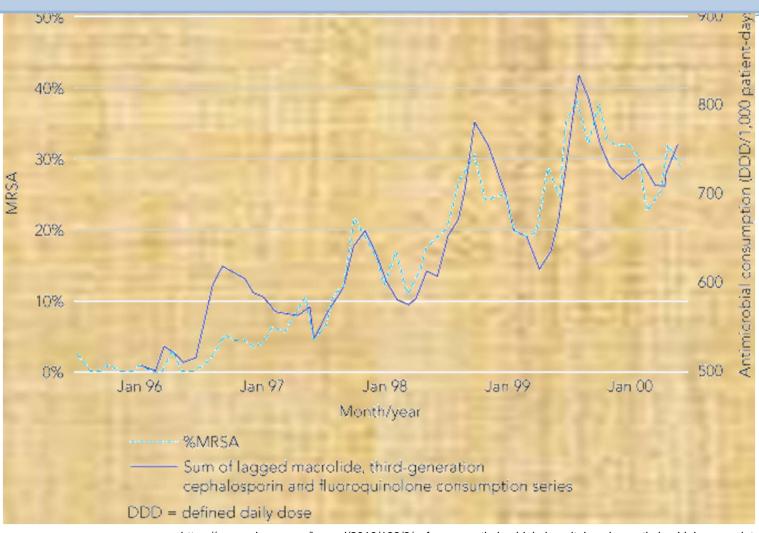
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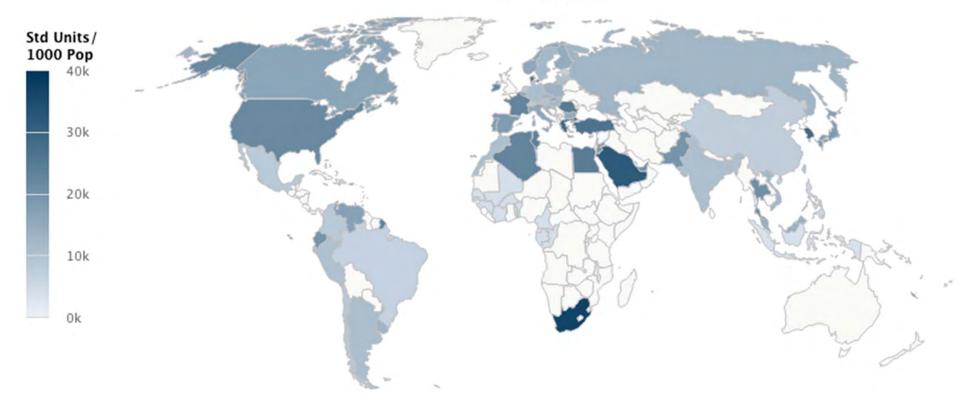
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Use of All antibiotics in 2010

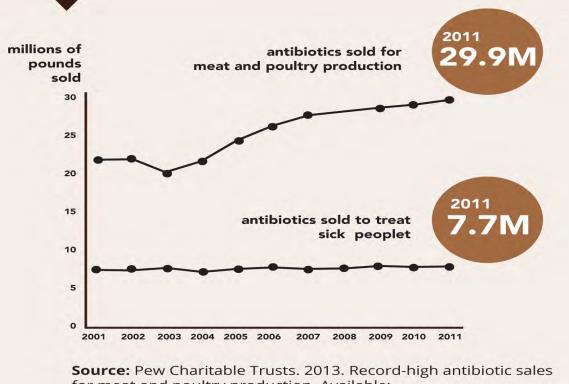
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MOST DRUGS GO TO LIVESTOCK



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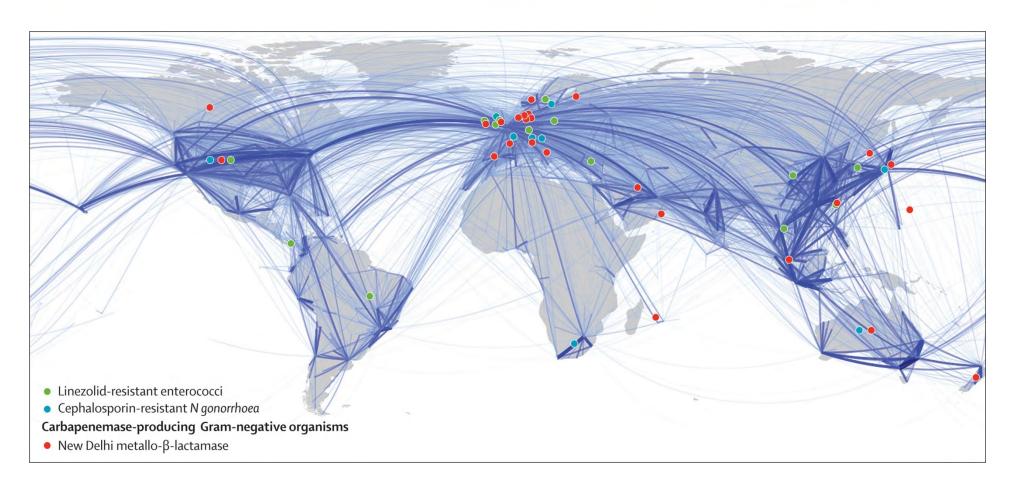






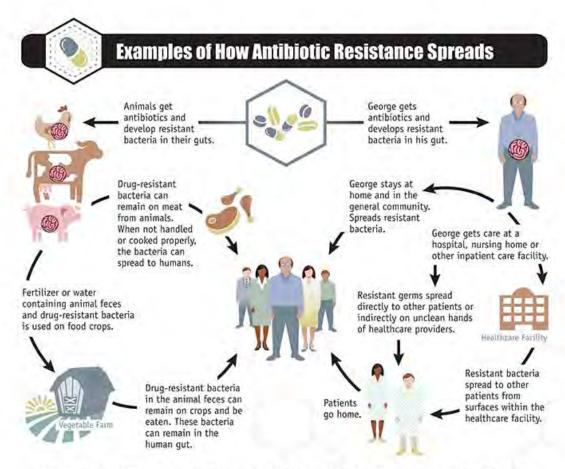










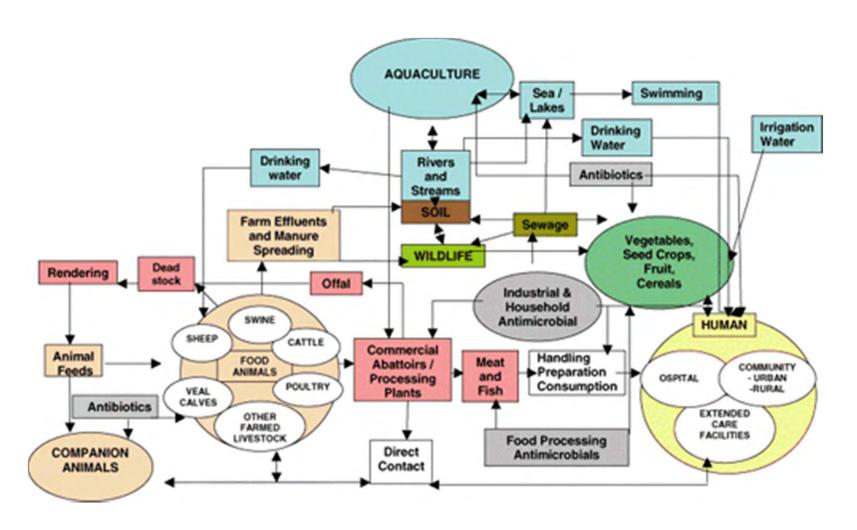


Simply using antibiotics creates resistance. These drugs should only be used to treat infections.





What Can We Do ????



Stewardship vs. Infection Control

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Our Common Goals

- Reducing production and spread of resistance
- Reducing adverse events for patients
- Reducing nosocomial infections
- Improving patient care
- Decreasing costs
- Improving patient flow

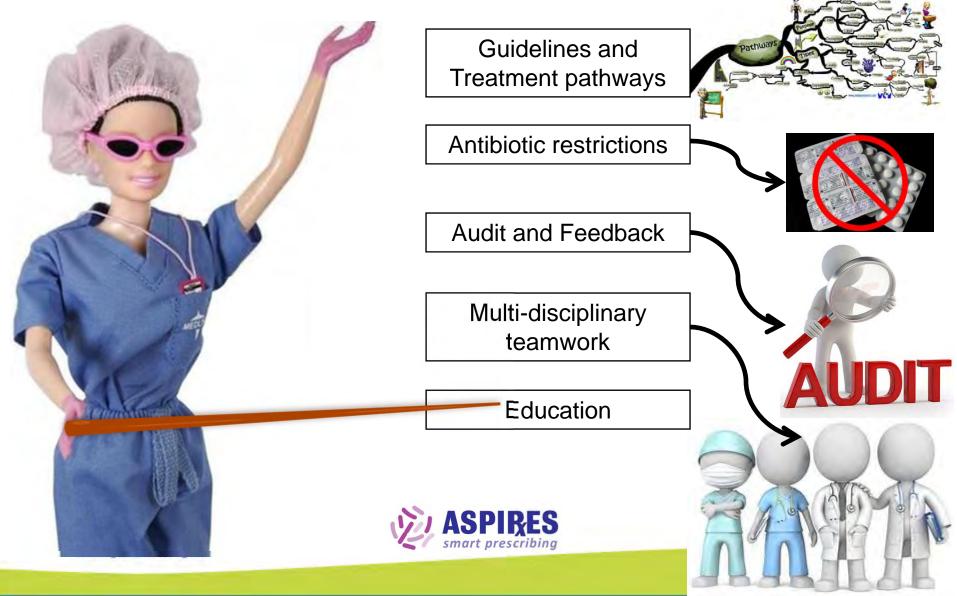




Our Different Approaches



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What does this look like?



Avoid Raw Pork







Where We Can Intervene

Decreased Selection

- Decreased use of selecting Decreased exposure agents
 - antibacterials
- Decreased use of **Antibiotics**
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 - Courses of Therapy
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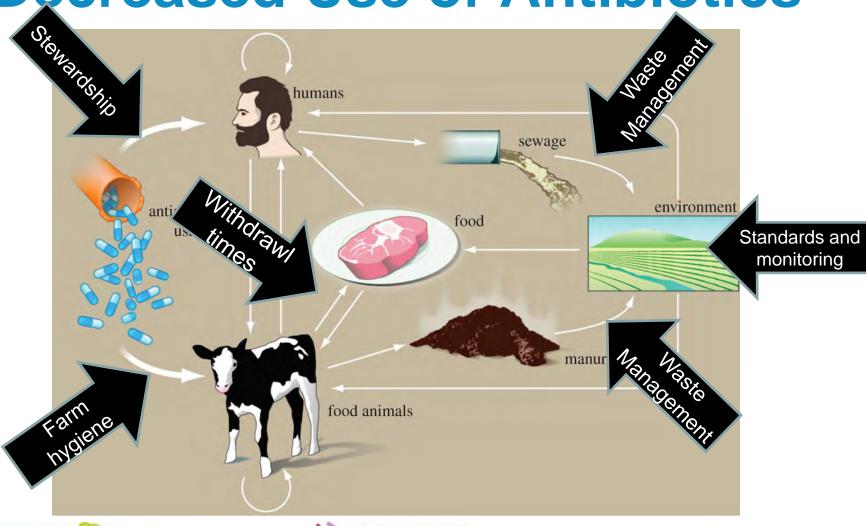
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Decreased Use of Antibiotics













Decreased use of antibiotics

Point

- Stop or significantly decrease agricultural use
- Decrease courses, duration or spectrum of therapy

Counter-point

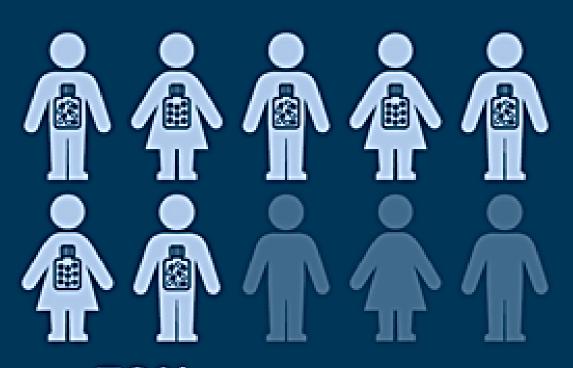
- Decreased food supply, increasing cost
- Increased risk for patients
- Easier said than done

Solution:

Requires change in approach including better hygiene for animals, more oversight and better follow-up and support for prescribers







UP TO 70% OF NURSING HOME RESIDENTS
RECEIVED ONE OF MORE COURSES
OF SYSTEMIC ANTIBIOTICS IN A YEAR





Know The Latest Guidelines



- Prescribe the Narrowest Spectrum Drug for the Shortest period of time to treat infections
- Continuously re-evaluate prescriptions
- Make use of phone consultation and other support





Top 3 Conditions Not to Treat



- Chronic wounds
 - No matter how "icky" if not cellulitis





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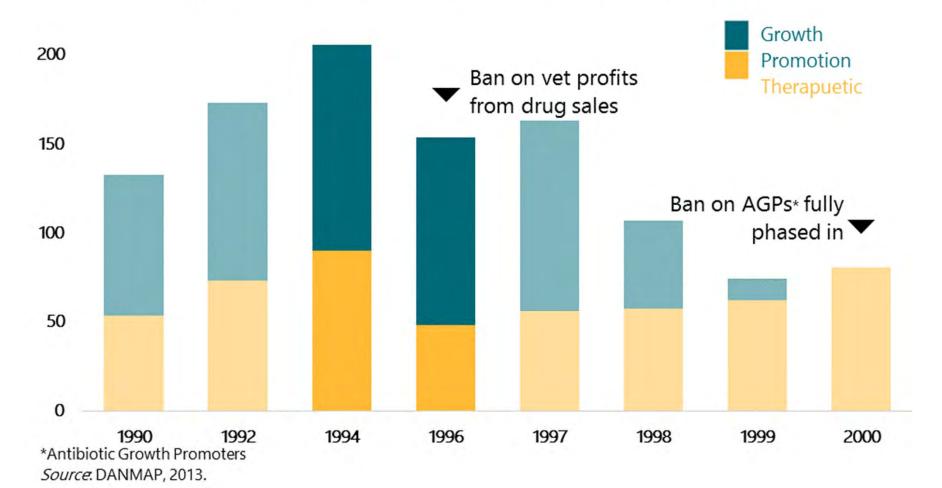
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Antibiotic Use in Farm Animals in Denmark (metric tons)







Animal Husbandry







Farm Biosecurity







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Responsible Drug Disposal









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Vaccinate Eligible Patients

- Pneumococcus
- Meningococcus
- Influenza

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 Are all vaccines that can help prevent resistance







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What Not to Do

- Scare patients
- Stigmatize patients
- Not address concerns
- Hospital grade cleaning
- PPE/precautions at home







What Not to Do

There is no point in insisting on this:



If your clients are doing this:







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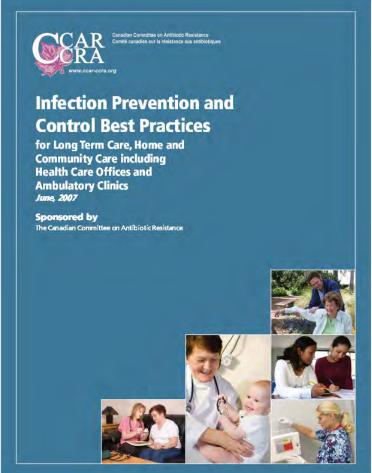
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Advanced Hygiene

- Guidelines for:
 - Office Practice
 - Long Term Care
 - Clinics
 - Home Health Care







What Else Can You Do?:

Be Active Politically

- Antimicrobials on farms
- Local initiatives to reduce antimicrobial use
- Teach at local schools etc. when possible

Make Changes in your Life

- Use regular soap at home
- Buy antibiotic free meat
- Dispose of phamaceuticals responsibly





And remember

- Always
- Always
- Always







The End







Discussion





