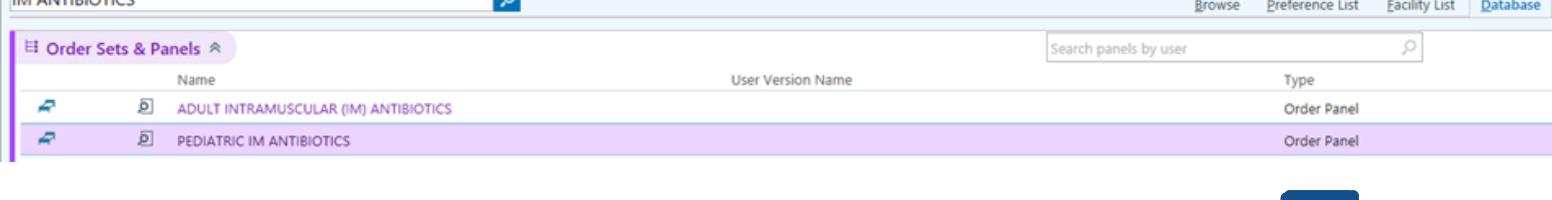
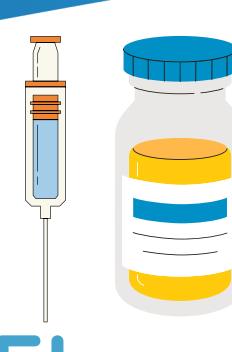


# PEDIATRIC INTRAMUSCULAR ANTIBIOTIC ORDER PANEL

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## EASY ORDERING

Does your patient need a parenteral antibiotic but doesn't have IV access? Use the Pediatric Intramuscular Antibiotics order panel! This helpful tool can be used in the Peds ED as well as inpatient.



### Pediatric IM Antibiotics

- ampicillin (OMNIPEN)
- cefepime (MAXIPIME)
- cefotaxime (CLAFORAN)  
Intramuscular
- ceftazidime (FORTAZ)
- ceftriaxone (ROCEPHIN)
- gentamicin (GARAMYCIN)
- nafcillin (NALLPEN)
- penicillin

## ABX OPTIONS

Parenteral antibiotics commonly used in pediatrics, including the Peds ED, are pre-built for easy ordering for IM injection. Most doses will be sent from Central Inpatient Pharmacy (CIP; 4-8761), except cefotaxime & penicillin G potassium, which will come from the Pediatric Satellite Pharmacy (4-6679).

## WHICH PENICILLIN?

The Pediatric IM Antibiotics order panel makes it easier & safer to choose the appropriate IM penicillin product (i.e., short- vs long-acting).

### penicillin

- penicillin
- penicillin G potassium (aqueous, short acting)  
50,000 Units/kg
- penicillin G benzathine (BICILLIN-LA) (long acting)  
50,000 Units/kg, Once

## QUESTIONS OR CONCERNS?



Contact your service pharmacist with questions about how to best use this order panel.

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