

# Use of broad-spectrum antibiotics

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## Identifying and definitional attributes

<b>Metadata item type:</b>	Outcome Area
<b>METEOR identifier:</b>	624357
<b>Registration status:</b>	<a href="#">Health</a> , Standard 12/09/2016
<b>Description:</b>	A patient who is treated with broad-spectrum antibiotics has the treatment reviewed and, if indicated, switched to treatment with a narrow-spectrum antibiotic. This is guided by the patient's clinical condition and the results of microbiology tests.

## Relational attributes

<b>Indicator sets linked to this outcome area:</b>	<a href="#">Clinical care standard indicators: antimicrobial stewardship</a> <a href="#">Australian Commission on Safety and Quality in Health Care</a> , Retired 25/01/2022 <a href="#">Health</a> , Standard 12/09/2016
<b>Indicators linked to this outcome area:</b>	<a href="#">Antimicrobial stewardship: 7a-Review of patients prescribed broad-spectrum antibiotics</a> <a href="#">Australian Commission on Safety and Quality in Health Care</a> , Retired 25/01/2022 <a href="#">Health</a> , Standard 12/09/2016

## Source and reference attributes

<b>Submitting organisation:</b>	Australian Commission on Safety and Quality in Health Care
<b>Reference documents:</b>	ACSQHC (Australian Commission on Safety and Quality in Health Care) 2014. Antimicrobial stewardship clinical care standard. Sydney: ACSQHC.