



NEIGHBORHOOD HEALTH PLAN OF RI ADOPTED NATIONAL GUIDELINES FOR

## Use of Antibiotics for Pediatric Respiratory Infections

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Neighborhood reviews Clinical Practice Guidelines every two years.

**Please Follow the Link Below for Full Guideline Details:**

<https://www.cdc.gov/antibiotic-use/hcp/clinical-care/pediatric-outpatient.html>

<https://health.ri.gov/publications/guidelines/AntibioticsRxCardsPediatrics.pdf>

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