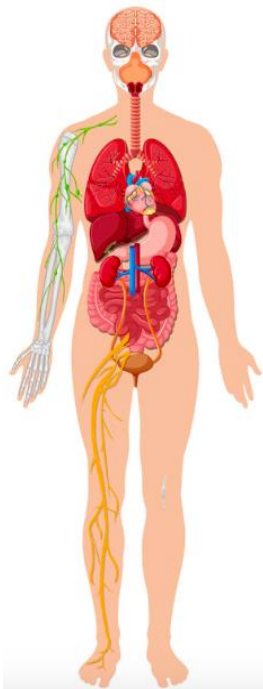
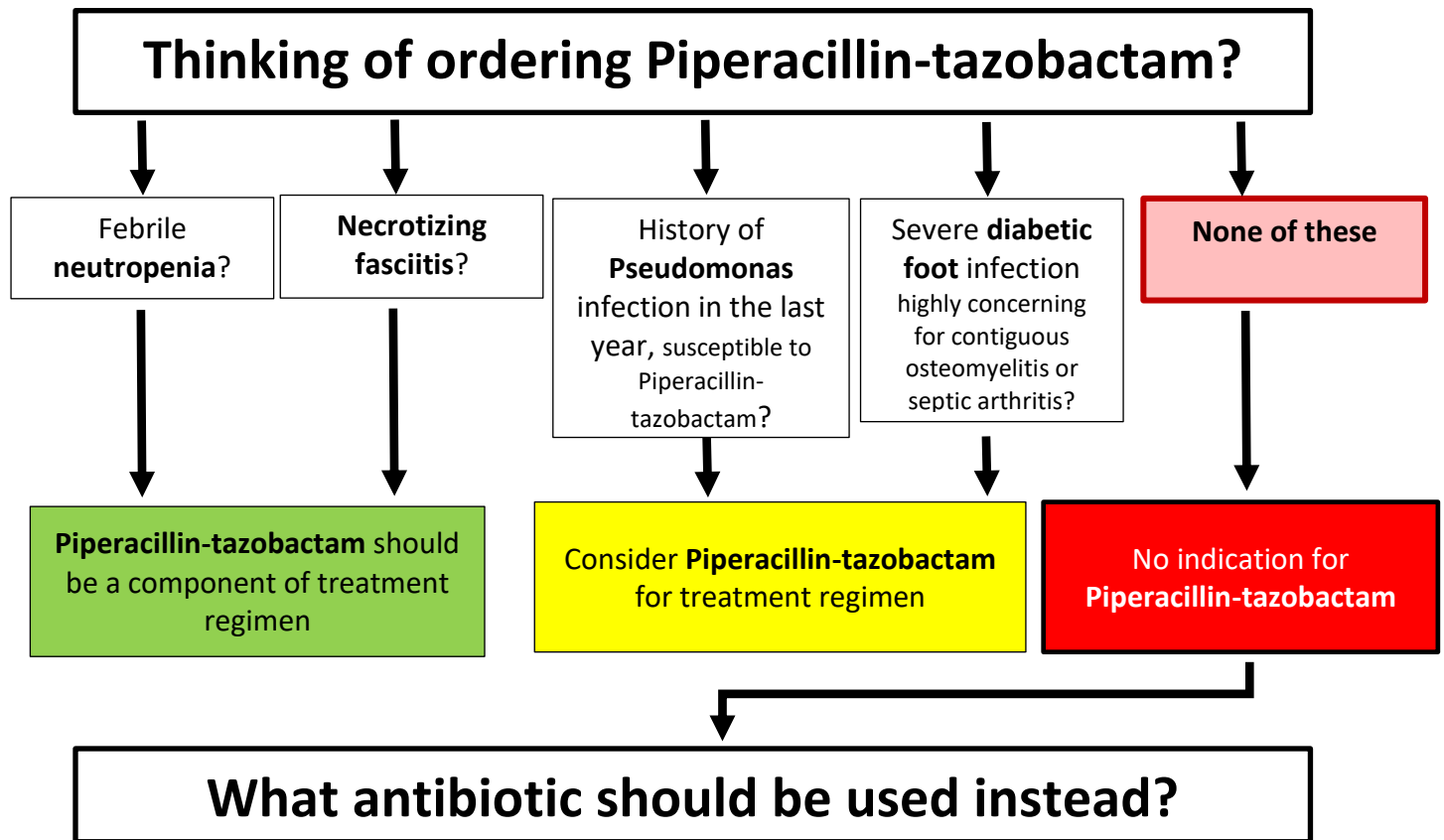


Empiric Antibiotics for Sepsis SYndromes CHOICES (EASY CHOICES)

*Applies to GIM-bound patient with sepsis syndrome within 72 hours of hospitalization
(excluding those with known hospitalization or surgery within 30 days)*



Meningitis	→	Ceftriaxone + Vancomycin +/- Ampicillin
Pneumonia	→	Ceftriaxone + Azithromycin
Acute cholangitis	→	Ceftriaxone
Pyelonephritis (sepsis from urinary source)	→	Ceftriaxone +/- Ampicillin
Cellulitis	→	Non-suppurative: Cefazolin Suppurative: TMP/SMX or Doxycycline or Vancomycin
Unknown source	→	Ceftriaxone

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