

Table 2. Antimicrobial Regimens for the Treatment of Cholera

Drug	Dose Adults	Children
Tetracycline	500 mg four times-a-day for 3 days	50 mg/kg of body weight four times-a-day for 3 days
Doxycycline	300 mg as a single-dose	Not evaluated
Furazolidone	100 mg. four times-a-day for 3 days	5 mg/Kg of body weight per day four times-a-day for 3 days, or 7 mg/Kg as a single dose
Cotrimoxazole	160 mg of trimethoprim/800 mg of sulfamethoxazole twice-a-day for divided in 3 days	8 mg of trimethoprim-40 mg of sulfamethoxazole/kg divided in two doses for 3 days
Norfloxacin	400 mg. twice-a-day for 3 days	Not recommended
Ciprofloxacin	250 mg. once-a-day for 3 days or 1g single-dose	Not recommended
Azithromycin	1g, single-dose	20 mg/kg, single-dose