

Table 4: Recommended Drug Dosages for Meningitis

	Adults - total daily dose (dosing interval; hours)	Children - mg/kg/day (dosing interval; hours)
Ampicillin	12 (4)	200-400 (3-6)
Chloramphenicol	4 -6 (6)	75-100 (6-8)
Cefotaxime	8-12 (6-8)	200 (6)
Ceftazidime	6 (8)	125-200 (6-8)
Ceftriaxone	4 (12-24)	100 (12-24)
Meropenem		120 (8)
Rifampicin	06 (24)	10-20 (12-24)
Dexamethasone		06 (6)

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