

Drug	Dose	Duration	+/- Notes
<b>Likely to be sexually transmitted pathogen but NOT gonorrhoea</b>			
Doxycycline PO	100mg every 12 hours	10-14 days	Risk of photosensitivity. Absorption significantly impaired by antacids, iron/calcium/magnesium/zinc containing products. Separate administration by 2-3hrs
<b>OR</b>			
Ofloxacin PO	200mg every 12 hours	14 days	See fluoroquinolone warning below
<b>Likely to be sexually transmitted INCLUDING gonorrhoea</b>			
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• If allergic to cephalosporins, recommend onward referral to a dedicated STI clinic.</li> <li>• Gonorrhoea cultures must be sent prior to treatment.</li> </ul>			
Ceftriaxone IM <b>PLUS</b> Doxycycline PO	1g  100mg every 12 hours	Single dose  10-14 days	<u>Ceftriaxone:</u> Dissolve 1g ceftriaxone in 3.5ml of 1% Lidocaine Injection for IM injection. Not for IV injection <u>Doxycycline:</u> Risk of photosensitivity. Absorption significantly impaired by antacids, iron/calcium/magnesium/zinc containing products. Separate administration by 2-3hrs
<b>Likely to be enteric pathogen (urinary tract source or history of receptive anal intercourse)</b>			
Ofloxacin PO	200mg every 12 hours	14 days	See Fluoroquinolone warning below.
<b>OR</b>			
Ciprofloxacin PO	500mg every 12 hours	10 days	