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Antimicrobial Stewardship Guide

Educate & Engage Residents, Family

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Tool 6. Managing Resident and Family Expectations

Nurses, prescribing clinicians, and any other staff who discuss or dispense medication may experience pressure from residents and family members to prescribe antibiotics. This is a template for discussing this topic and introducing the talking points to use with residents and family members.

The intention is to both (a) support nurses and prescribing clinicians when residents or family members request antibiotics when antibiotics are not needed (b) and (c)

