

	6407B	Antibiotic Continuation for IFT Written Exam
Nor-Cal EMS Policy & Procedure Manual	Training/Skills	
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1. Paramedics in the Nor-Cal EMS Region can initiate antibiotics in the field?
 - a. True
 - b. False
2. It is acceptable to alter the infusion rate for the antibiotic by the paramedic.
 - a. True
 - b. False
3. The following are potential adverse reactions from antibiotic administration?
 - a. Anaphylaxis
 - b. Nephrotoxicity
 - c. IV infiltration
 - d. All of the above
 - e. None of the above
4. Typical length of infusions for antibiotics is the following?
 - a. IV Push
 - b. 20 to 40 minutes
 - c. 30 to 60 minutes
 - d. 120 minutes
5. Contraindications to the continuation of antibiotics by paramedics are the following?
 - a. Allergy
 - b. Less than 8 years of age
 - c. Patient is on vasopressors
 - d. A and C
 - e. All of the above
6. If the IV infiltrates the infusion of antibiotics need to be stopped completely and can't be restarted?
 - a. True
 - b. False
7. It is mandatory for the provider agency to review 100% of the LOSOP continuation of antibiotics?
 - a. True
 - b. False
8. There is no contraindication for other medications to be infused in the same IV line as antibiotics.
 - a. True
 - b. False
9. The antibiotic medication needs to be documented in both the narrative and medication section of the PCR.
 - a. True
 - b. False

10. The dosage for antibiotics to be infused does not vary.
- a. True
 - b. False