

## Louth: Antimicrobial Guidelines - Louth Hospitals: Antimicrobial Guidelines: Paediatrics - Plastic Surgery Prophylaxis

<b>Procedure</b>
Paediatrics - Trauma Wounds (e.g. Nail Bed Injury)
<b>Prophylactic Antimicrobials</b>
<b>First Line Prophylaxis/ Delayed-Onset Penicillin Hypersensitivity:</b>  Cef-UR-oxime IV <b>AND</b> Metronidazole IV  <b>If MRSA cover required, Add Teicoplanin IV</b>  <b>Immediate-Onset or Severe Penicillin Hypersensitivity:</b>  Teicoplanin IV <b>AND</b> Gentamicin IV <b>AND</b> Metronidazole IV
<b>Duration of Prophylaxis</b>
No further post op doses necessary
<b>Comments</b>
If patient chronically colonised with bacteria other than MRSA, contact Microbiology for advice.