

# ¡La penicilina no sirve para todo!

Los antibióticos como la penicilina no curan enfermedades virales como:

- La gripe o el resfriado común
- Muchos casos de bronquitis
- Muchos casos de dolor de garganta o de tos
- El moco verde o amarillo de la nariz

El descanso, beber líquidos, y el cariño son las mejores medicinas.



# DO YOU THINK YOU NEED ANTIBIOTICS?

## CONSIDER THIS:

Antibiotics don't work against viruses such as colds or the flu. They only work against infections caused by bacteria.

Antibiotics are strong medications that can cause serious side effects. Never share them or save some for later.

Taking antibiotics when they're not needed puts you and your family at risk for developing resistant infections that are more difficult to treat.



**GET SMART ABOUT ANTIBIOTICS.  
TALK WITH YOUR HEALTH CARE PROVIDER TODAY.**



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