

Potential alternative antibiotics for infections
commonly treated with amoxicillin

Acute otitis media

Amoxicillin-clavulanate
Cefdinir
Cefprozil
Ceftriaxone
Levofloxacin

Community acquired pneumonia

Amoxicillin-clavulanate
Cefdinir
Cefprozil
Clindamycin
Levofloxacin

***S. pyogenes* pharyngitis**

Cephalexin
Clindamycin
Penicillin VK

UTI prophylaxis

Cephalexin
Nitrofurantoin

Asplenia prophylaxis

Azithromycin
Levofloxacin
Penicillin VK



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