

Medicines used by dentists

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Antibiotics for bacterial infections (alphabetical order)



Amoxicillin



Ampicillin



Cefalexin



Clarithromycin



Co-amoxiclav



Erythromycin



Metronidazole

Other Medicines (alphabetical order)



Diclofenac
for pain and
inflammation



Ibuprofen
for pain and
inflammation



Nystatin
for candida infections



Paracetamol
for mild-to-
moderate pain

General advice



**Medicines and
maintaining
healthy teeth**



**General advice
about
medicines**



**General
advice about
antibiotics**



**Helping your
child to
swallow tablets**