

## Taking action on antimicrobial resistance

### Do you want to be paid for participating in an audit?

You have the opportunity to improve your anti-microbial prescribing practise by taking part in a clinical audit for which you will be paid.

By participating you will:

- ◆ Gain confidence in prescribing according to national standards
- ◆ Receive personalised feedback on your prescribing habits
- ◆ Earn 2 hours verifiable CPD
- ◆ Take part in an audit which is supported and funded

#### Details of the audit:

- ⇒ **1st cycle:** submit prescribing data via a secure online tool for 10 consecutive patients (can be retrospective)
- ⇒ Receive feedback on how your prescribing practise compares to national standards
- ⇒ Develop action plan to improve prescribing
- ⇒ **2nd cycle:** implement action plan and submit prescribing data via a secure online tool for further 10 consecutive patients
- ⇒ Receive feedback on how practise compares to standards and peers
- ⇒ **Submit invoice** for payment: **£75 per dentist** completing 2 audit cycles

To register for the audit go to: <https://www.dental-referrals.org/dentists/amr-audit-cycle/> Registration is on a first come first served basis with funding for a maximum of 200 dentists

Further information, including a quick guide and FAQs, can be found at: <https://www.hee.nhs.uk/hee-your-area/thames-valley/news-events>

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**Aim of the audit project:**

To enable dentists to improve their prescribing practise for acute dental conditions by undertaking an audit cycle

**Objectives**

To undertake an audit for 10 patients who have been prescribed antimicrobial drugs for acute dental conditions

To received feedback from this audit on compliance with national guidelines

To implement changes in practise as a result of learning from the audit

To undertake a second audit on 10 patients

To receive feedback on improvement (or not) in prescribing practise as a result of the changes implemented

To receive feedback on practise in comparison with peers

**The audit is completely confidential and individual data will not be shared**