

Highland Hospital

Department of Pharmacy Grand Rounds

April 5th, 2023

12:00 pm – 1:00 pm

Zoom Only:

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Crossing Out Penicillin and Cephalosporin Cross-Reactivity

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PGY1 Pharmacy Resident

At the conclusion of this presentation participants should be able to:

- Describe the impact on clinical outcomes associated with avoidance of beta-lactam antibiotics such as cephalosporins
- Analyze the safety of cephalosporin use in penicillin allergic patients
- Compare the risks versus benefits of cephalosporin use in penicillin allergic patients
- Advocate for systematic changes to increase the utilization of cephalosporins in penicillin allergic patients

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1.0 contact hour

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