

**Adult Community IV Antibiotic Treatment: Authorisation to Administer and Administration Record**  
**Caspofungin 70mg OD**

<b>Patient details</b> Name Address  NHS number DOB	<b>Allergies &amp; Intolerances:</b>  <b>No known allergies</b> <input type="checkbox"/> Document nature, details and date of each reaction	<b>Indication for treatment:</b>  <b>Date antibiotic to start in community:</b>  <b>Planned treatment length in community or end date:</b>			
<b>eGFR:</b>	<b>Creatinine:</b>	<b>Date:</b>	<b>Weight (kg):</b>	<b>Date:</b>	
Medication	Dose	Frequency	Route	Instructions for preparation and use	Pharmacy check
Caspofungin	70mg	OD	IV	Bring the Caspofungin vial to room temperature. Reconstitute the 70mg vial with 10.5mL of water for injections. Mix gently until a clear solution is obtained. Withdraw 10mL from the vial and add to the 250mL of sodium chloride 0.9% infusion bag.  Administer by slow IV infusion over 1 hour, using an infusion pump.	
Water for injections	10.5mL	OD	IV		
Sodium Chloride 0.9%	250mL	OD	IV		
Sodium Chloride 0.9% <i>(For Infusion Set Flush)</i>	As SOP <sup>3</sup>	OD	IV	1) <b>Agilia Volumetric Pump:</b> Administer 25 mL at the <b>same rate as the infusion above.</b>	
Sodium Chloride 0.9%	Flush the cannula with 5ml of sodium chloride 0.9% or the PICC line with 10mL sodium chloride 0.9% before and after each administration via IV route.				

1. SPC. Caspofungin 70mg Powder for concentrate for solution for infusion. Last updated 16/04/21. Available from: Caspofungin 70 mg powder for concentrate for solution for infusion - Summary of Product Characteristics (SmPC) - (emc) (medicines.org.uk) 2. Medusa. Caspofungin. Intravenous injection. Injectable Medicines Guide. Last updated 06/08/22. Available from: <https://medusa.wales.nhs.uk/> 3. SOP for Intravenous Infusion Set Flushing – available through NBT LINK/UHBW

<b>Date &amp; time:</b>																				
<b>Given by:</b>																				

Prescriber must be F2 or above, or a suitable non-medical prescriber.									
<b>Signed:</b>		<b>Name:</b> (Print Name)		<b>Professional registration number:</b>		<b>Bleep/Telephone:</b>		<b>Date:</b>	

