

Centegra Health System

Clinical Documentation Tips

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PNEUMONIA DOCUMENTATION MUSTS:

Specify Type, Cause,
& Organism If Known

Link Device If Caused
By Ventilator

Document If POA



Focus On:

Pneumonia

SIMPLE:

Community-Acquired (CAP)

Most Common Cause is Bacterial

ABX: Rocephin, Zithromax, Avelox, Levaquin

COMPLEX:

Healthcare-Associated (HCAP)

*Acquired Outside The Hospital But In Connection
With Other High-Risk Healthcare Contact*

Gram-Negative Pneumonia

Staphylococcal (MRSA/MSSA)

Pneumonia

Aspiration Pneumonia (specify aspirant)

Hospital-Acquired Pneumonia

Ventilator Associated Pneumonia

**ABX: Clindamycin, Flagyl, Zosyn, Tobramycin
Cefepime, Zyvox, Cipro, Vancomycin**

*Identify the probable, likely, suspected, or
definitive organism(s), or other cause of
pneumonia that you are treating*

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