



The Penicillin Allergy Clinic

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Why did I get this information Sheet?

You have identified that you have a Penicillin/Amoxicillin allergy. It is now recommended that everyone (***Adults and Children***) with a Penicillin or Amoxicillin allergy get allergy testing done as 95% of people are not actually allergic to these antibiotics and 80% of people grow out of their allergy after 10 years. The testing we do in Winnipeg is ***extremely safe, does not involve any needles***, and is being done all over the world. Our goal is to safely remove as many 'false' penicillin and amoxicillin allergies in Winnipeg as possible.

Benefits to The Elderly by Removing Penicillin/Amoxicillin Allergy

- Shorter stays in hospital
- Less expensive than other antibiotics (53% savings) and less side effects
- Lower chance of getting a bad skin infection (MRSA) or severe diarrhea (C. diff) while in hospital
- Shorter length of surgery
- Lower chance of wound infection after surgery
- Lower chance of infection after joint replacement surgery
- Less bacterial resistance which is better for everyone in our society
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If you are interested in getting rid of your Penicillin or Amoxicillin allergy, ask your doctor to send a referral to our clinic or contact us at [1-888-PEN-ALRG \(1-888-736-2574\)](tel:1-888-PEN-ALRG) or info@penallergy.com today!

We look forward to seeing you soon,

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