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|  Antibiotic |  Cost per Dose1 |  Usual Regimen |  Cost per Treatment1 |
| Metronidazole |  $0.73 |  |  |
| Vancomycin capsules(Vancocin HCL Pulvules) |  $31.83 | 125 mg four times/day x 10 days |  $1,273.20 |
| Vancomycin intravenous formulation (generic) | $5.00/gram ($0.62 per 125 mg dose) | 125 mg four times/day x 10 days |  $25.00 |
| Fidaxomicin (Dificid) |  $168. | 200 mg two times/day x 10d |  $3,360. |
| Rifaximin (Xifaxan) | $19.02 400 mg | 400 mg three times/day x 20 day2 |  $1,141.20 |

1Average Wholesale Price (AWP). Anon, ed. Red Book online. Via Drugdex System (internet database) Greenwood Village, CO: Thompson Healthcare; 2011. 2dose as a “chaser” after a course of oral vancomycin for recurrent CDI.

Table 3. Comparative Average Wholesale Price (AWP) for Antibiotics used in the treatment of CDI