**INFECTION SURVEILLANCE — RESPIRATORY TRACT INFECTION**

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**RESPIRATORY TRACT INFECTION** (CHECK BOXES ONLY AFTER CRITERIA HAVE BEEN MET)

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- **Common Cold Syndrome**
  - MUST HAVE at least 2 of the following:
    - runny nose or sneezing
    - stuffy nose (nasal congestion)
    - sore throat or hoarseness or difficulty swallowing
    - dry cough
    - swollen or tender glands in neck (cervical lymphadenopathy)
  - Fever (may or may not be present).
  - Symptoms must be acute and not caused by allergy (seasonal or medication).

- **Influenza-like Illness**
  - Did patient/resident receive influenza vaccine before or during this flu season?
  - Circle one: Yes No
  - MUST HAVE
    - fever >100°F taken at any site
  - MUST HAVE at least 3 of the following:
    - chills
    - Malaise or loss of appetite
    - headache or eye pain
    - sore throat
    - myalgias (muscle aches)
    - dry cough
  - This diagnosis can be made only during influenza season (November to April).
  - During this season, if criteria for influenza-like illness and another upper- or lower-respiratory tract infection are met at the same time, only the diagnosis of influenza-like illness should be recorded.
  - Noninfectious causes of symptoms must be ruled out in particular, congestive heart failure is a common cause of symptoms and signs similar to those of respiratory infection.
  - NOTE: This diagnosis can be made only if chest x-ray was done.

- **Pneumonia**
  - Chest x-ray result:
  - Aspiration Pneumonia:
  - Circle one: Yes No
  - MUST HAVE
    - chest x-ray demonstrating pneumonia, probable pneumonia or infiltrate
    - MUST HAVE at least 2 of the following:
      - cough
      - fever >100°F
      - increased sputum production
      - pleuritic chest pain
      - rales, rhonchi, wheezes
      - one or more of: new shortness of breath, increased respiratory rate (>25/min.), worsening of mental or functional status.
  - Noninfectious causes of symptoms must be ruled out in particular, congestive heart failure is a common cause of symptoms and signs similar to those of respiratory infection.
  - NOTE: This diagnosis can be made only if chest x-ray was done.

- **Other Lower-Respiratory tract infections** (bronchitis, trachbronchitis)
  - MUST HAVE at least 3 of the following:
    - cough
    - fever >100°F
    - new or increased sputum production
    - one or more of: new shortness of breath, increased respiratory rate (>25/min.), worsening of mental or functional status.
    - pleuritic chest pain
    - rales, rhonchi, wheezes on chest exam
    - organism isolated from culture obtained by deep tracheal aspirated or bronchoscopy
  - This diagnosis can be made only if no chest x-ray was done, or if an x-ray did not confirm the presence of pneumonia.

Antibiotics Ordered:  
- [ ] Yes  
- [ ] No

List Antibiotics Ordered:

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