



World Antimicrobial Awareness Week

18 – 24th November 2022

Friday 18th November

European Antibiotic Awareness Day (EAAD) and the official WAAW launch day.

Monday 21st November – Prevention theme

Look out for your IPC colleagues on wards and outside the Canteen (DRI). They will be raising awareness of hand hygiene, sepsis tools and vaccination.

Tuesday 22nd November - 'Antimicrobials in clinical practice' Theme

Microbiology, IPC and Pharmacy colleagues will be conducting Antimicrobial Stewardship spot audits.

Wednesday 23rd November - 'Antimicrobials and spurious allergy' theme

Look out for your Pharmacy colleagues out and about on the wards and outside the Canteen (DRI) raising awareness of the importance of allergy history taking.

Thursday 24th November - 'Antimicrobial resistance' theme

We will be displaying some information about multi-drug resistant infections. We will also be out and about conducting some Diagnostic Stewardship spot audits.

Friday 25th November - 'Sepsis Day' and roundup of the week's events

We will be raising awareness of sepsis diagnostics and management.

Audit results will be shared; and winners of our competition prizes will be announced.

Microbiology, IPC and Pharmacy colleagues have teamed up to celebrate WAAW 2022. There will be awareness raising activities throughout the week, with freebies to be had and prizes to be won!

WIN! WIN! WIN!

Stewardship spot audit prizes

(Antimicrobial and Diagnostics categories)

WAAW 2022 [Video](#) & [Quiz](#)

1st prize - £20 Amazon voucher

2nd prize - £10 Amazon voucher

3rd prize - £5 Amazon voucher

Who will be named DBTH Antimicrobial Heroes for 2022?

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