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Urinary Tract Infection (UTI) Program

Resident and Family Communication Update

This resource can be used to support communication with families or residents. It can also be used to document how residents will be actively monitored when there is a suspected urinary tract infection. This resource is part of Public Health Ontario's UTI Program. For more information please visit www.publichealthontario.ca/UTI or email UTI@oahpp.ca.

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✓	Encouraging or assisting with increased fluid intake as a	ppropriate	2.
✓	Encouraging or assisting with increased mobility as appr	opriate.	
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\bigcirc	Antibiotics have <i>not</i> been started—we are waiting for the	ne laborat	ory test results.
\bigcirc	Antibiotics have been started and will be reassessed aft	er the labo	oratory test results are known.
If you h	nave any questions, please speak to the nurse on duty.		
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