

# Urethral Discharge and/or Dysuria

## Patient complains of urethral discharge and/or dysuria

### Investigations

- **First void urine** – chlamydia
- **Urethral swab** – gonorrhoea

### Examination Findings

- **Profuse purulent penile discharge?** OR
- **Contact of gonorrhoea?**

YES:

#### Presumptive gonorrhoea:

- Empiric treatment for gonorrhoea with Ceftriaxone 250mg im, **PLUS**
- Azithromycin 1gm orally OR Doxycycline 100mg bd 7 days

NO:

#### Treat for non-gonococcal urethritis with:

- Azithromycin 1gm stat po – observed therapy, OR
- Doxycycline 100mg bd 7 days

### Follow-up and Partner Notification

- Advise patient that all sexual contacts within past 60 days need testing and treatment
- Check results
- If **gonorrhoea positive and untreated** – treat accordingly with Ciprofloxacin if sensitive strain or Ceftriaxone
- Advise no unprotected sex for 1 week AND until current partner(s) treated