

- Exclusion Criteria:
• Suspected sepsis
• Animal/human bites
• Post-surgical site
• Suspected toxin mediated reaction
• Concern for deeper infection
• Concern for necrotizing infection
• Immunocompromised
• Peri-rectal and pilonidal abscesses

- Indications for IV Antibiotics:
• Worsening despite 48 hours of appropriate oral antibiotics
• Unable to tolerate oral antibiotics
• Severe infection or suspected Systemic Inflammatory Response Syndrome

- Risk Factors for MRSA:
• Personal history of MRSA
• Family history of MRSA
• Recent or frequent hospitalization

