

# Vancomycin AUC Calculator

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\*Clinical calculators similar to this one are to assist healthcare professionals in making complex decisions. This calculator is a tool to be used in combination with clinical judgement, not as a stand alone one-size-fits all depot for dosing

## Vancomycin AUC Calculator

New Consult

Post-Levels

Patient View

Patient List

AUC

MIC

**Exclusions**

- Hemodialysis, CRRT, AKI/Unstable Renal Function

- UTI, Skin and soft tissue infections (ABSSSI), Surgical Prophylaxis

- Enterococcal infections, Staphylococcus Epidermidis

(Renal)

(non-AUC)

(non-MRSA Infections)

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### About The AUC24/MIC Calculator

This vancomycin calculator uses a variety of published pharmacokinetic equations and principles to estimate an initial vancomycin dosing regimen for a patient based on population estimates. Subsequently, a regimen may be calculated based two vancomycin levels for severe MRSA infections. The AUC24/MIC is calculated using the trapezoidal method.

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## Pharmacist Vancomycin AUC<sub>24</sub>/MIC Workshop

1. Patient example
2. Patient problems (2)
  - Empiric Dosing
  - 2 Levels with first dose
  - 2 Levels at steady state

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### Patient Example 1: "New Consult" Summary

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### 1. Patient Information

- 41 yo female with MRSA Osteomyelitis
- Wt: 88.9 kg
- Ht: 157 cm

#### Steps

1. Choose the New Consult button
2. Enter the patient information into the calculator and choose Next. Choosing Next will save the information automatically.
3. Select save to add/update information in database
4. Entering the medical record number will allow patient to be identified during future admissions in the database
5. Previously added patients can be identified and loaded in the "Load Patient Information" section

MRN: 12345	Age: 41 F	Provider: Dr John Jones
Name: Smith, Jane	Ht: 157 cm	Indication: Osteomyelitis
Location: 2W 214	Wt: 88.9 kg	
	TBW/TBW: 1.79	
	BMI: 36.1	

  

1. Pt Info | 2. Kidney Function | 3. LD | 4. Vd | 5. CLVanco | 6. MD | 7. Levels / Labs | 8. Progress Note

1. Patient Identifiers

\* MRN 12345

Last Name Smith

First Name Jane

Location 2W 214

Jump to Load Dose

or

continue inputting data

2. Diagnosis

Consulting Physician: Dr John Jones

Suspected Indication: Osteomyelitis

3. Patient Characteristics

Age 41 years

Height 157 cm

Weight 88.9 kg

Gender Female

Doses

Cancel << Back Next >> Save

"Smith, Jane" last saved Fri, 6/5 01:16 pm

Load Patient Information

+ Load

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## Further Reading

1. MRN used / needed to save patient information to database

#### MRN used / needed to save patient information to database

1. Patient Identifiers

\* MRN 123456

Last Name

First Name

Location

MRN used / needed to save patient information in the database.

2. No info on first page technically required to proceed

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1. Patient Identifiers

\* MRN

Last Name

First Name

Location

2. Diagnosis

Consulting Physician:

Suspected Indication:

3. Patient Characteristics

Age  years

Height  cm

Weight  kg

Gender

2

Jump to Load Dose

or  
continue inputting data

3

Cancel << Back **Next >>** Save

Load Patient Information

+  Load

- No information is technically required on the 1st page.

1. Pharmacist can jump to "Kidney Function" or "Load Dose (LD)" tabs.

2. Pharmacist can press "ALT+J" to jump to load dose section.

3. Pharmacist can continue on by pressing "Next" button

3. Anthropomorphics: TBW/IBW and BMI

#### **Anthropomorphics:** TBW/IBW and BMI

\* If Age, Height, Weight and Gender are inputted, TBW/IBW and BMI are calculated and displayed in patient information ribbon.

MRN: 12345 Name: Smith, Jane Location: 2W 214	Age: 41 F Ht: 157 cm Wt: 88.9 kg TBW/IBW: 1.79 BMI: 36.1	Provider: Dr John Jones Indication: Osteomyelitis
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### 1. Patient Identifiers

\* **MRN**

Last Name

First Name

Location

or
   
continue inputting data

### 2. Diagnosis

Consulting Physician:

Suspected Indication:

### 3. Patient Characteristics

Age  years

Height

Weight

Gender

### Doses

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Load Patient Information

4. Conversions: for Height and Weight

#### Conversions: for Height and weight

- For Height, can either input as *cms* or *ft/in*s

### 3. Patient Characteristics

Age  years

Height

Weight

Gender

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### 3. Patient Characteristics

Age  years

Height  ft  in

Weight

Gender

- For weight, can either input as *kgs* or *Lbs*

3. Patient Characteristics

Age 41 years  
Height 5 ft 1.8 in  
Weight 88.9 kg  
Gender Female

3. Patient Characteristics

Age 41 years  
Height 5 ft 1.8 in  
Weight 196 lbs  
Gender Female

## 2. Kidney Function

- SCr: 0.5 (stable)
- no concurrent nephrotoxic drugs
- no amputations

### Steps

1. Manually-enter CrCl or enter SCr
  - If entering SCr, then press Next button
2. If patient is muscle wasted or cachectic, the SCr can be rounded by selecting "Yes"
3. If patient is obese (>120% IBW) the AdjBW can be used to calculate CrCl by selecting "Yes"
4. Select "Accept ### ml/min as CrCl"

New Consult

MRN: 12345  
Name: Smith, Jane  
Location: 2W 214

Age: 41 F  
Ht: 157 cm  
Wt: 88.9 kg  
TBW/IBW: 1.79  
BMI: 36.1

SCr: 0.5 mg/dL  
CrCl: 152.8 mL/min  
Using AdjBW: True

Provider: Dr John Jones  
Indication: Osteomyelitis

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☐ Manually-Enter CrCl

4. Kidney Function

\* SCr 0.5 mg/mL

Other Nephrotoxic Drugs:

☐ Amputee

Next

Doses

Cancel
<< Back
Next >>
Save

"Smith, Jane" last saved Fri, 6/5 01:17 pm

Load Patient Information

+
Load

Anything entered in the "Manually-Enter CrCl" textbox will take priority over "Calculated CrCl"

### 3. Loading Dose (LD)

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