

**73 yo F w/ moderate persistent asthma, allergic rhinitis (+cat, cat in home), Crohn's disease on Remicade monthly infusion referred to clinic from internist for difficult-to-control asthma. History from last year reveals 2 bacterial pneumonias, 3 bacterial sinus infections, two hospitalizations for asthma exacerbations. Exam reveals b/l nasal polyps mild wheezing. Chart notes pneumonia vaccines 1 and 2 years ago.**



**Case #4**

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# What is the best next step in management?

- ☐A) Alternative antibiotics
- ☐B) CT sinus w/o contrast
- ☐C) Immunoglobulin levels and Streptococcus Pneumoniae titers (levels)
- ☐D) Optimize nasal treatment (nose sprays, rinses)
- ☐E) Select a biologic for treatment
- ☐F) Stop Remicade infusions

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**Responses**