No action today, no cure tomorrow*

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**ANTIBIOTIC AWARENESS WEEK**
18–24 NOVEMBER 2013
Preserve the Miracle

**ACTION 1**
Obtain cultures before starting therapy

**ACTION 2**
Use Therapeutic Guidelines: Antibiotic*

**ACTION 3**
Document indication and review date

**ACTION 4**
Review and reassess antibiotics at 48 hours

**ACTION 5**
Consider IV to oral switch

**ACTION 6**
Seek advice for complex cases

**ACTION 7**
Educate patients about antibiotic use