

## Questions to Ask Your Doctor about Prostatitis Treatment

- What is prostatitis?
- What are the most effective ways to treat bacterial prostatitis?
- What are the most effective ways to treat nonbacterial prostatitis?
- What are the most effective ways to treat chronic pelvic pain syndrome?
- Are there any side effects or complications associated with antibiotic treatment?
- How effective is antibiotic treatment in eliminating bacterial prostatitis?
- How long will I need to take the antibiotics?
- Will the antibiotics interact with other medications or supplements I may be taking?
- What type of pain medication will be prescribed?
- Will I need to be hospitalized to treat prostatitis?
- Is surgery ever needed to treat prostatitis?
- Are there any alternative/complementary treatments for prostatitis?
- Are there any supplements I can take to treat prostatitis?
- What are the chances that prostatitis will recur after treatment?
- What are the risk factors for prostatitis?
- How often will I need to see my doctor for checkups?
- How will treatment affect my daily activities?
- Are there any dietary changes I will need to make during treatment?
- How will treatment affect my sex life?
- What can I do to prevent prostatitis from occurring again?
- What dietary and/or lifestyle changes can I make to help prevent the return of prostatitis?

## NOTES

