

If You Have an Infection in Your Reproductive Tract (#30)

If you have symptoms or have been diagnosed with an infection in the reproductive tract, talk with your doctor about the following concerns:

- ❑ If you have a vaginal discharge other than clear vaginal mucus.
- ❑ If you have a discharge that has an odor or burning on urination.
- ❑ If sexual intercourse is painful or you have spotting after intercourse.
- ❑ If you are being treated for a vaginal infection with antibiotics, ask your doctor if your partner should also be treated.
- ❑ Ask if you will be re-cultured after the antibiotic therapy is completed?
- ❑ If you are on antibiotics, it is a good idea to eat a lot of yogurt that is rich in acidophilus culture to replenish any healthy bacteria that may have been reduced by the antibiotics.
- ❑ It is important not to use semen for intra-uterine insemination if there are a significant number of white blood cells in the ejaculate (semen).

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