

**Table 1. MICs of WHO gonococcal reference strains.** Minimum inhibition concentration (MICs) (mg/L) determined by World Health Organisation (WHO) for penicillin (PEN), cefixime (CFX), ceftriaxone (CRO), azithromycin (AZI), ciprofloxacin (CIP), tetracycline (TET), spectinomycin (SPE). Closthioamide (CTA) MIC was determined by agar dilution in this study.

WHO <i>N. gonorrhoeae</i> Strains	Antibiotics tested								
	PEN	CFX	CRO	AZI	CIP	TET	SPE	CTA	
WHO F	0.032	<0.016	<0.002	0.125	0.004	0.25	32	0.063	
WHO G	0.5	<0.16	0.008	0.25	0.125	32	16	0.063	
WHO K	2	0.5	0.064	0.25	>32	2	16	0.5	
WHO L	2	0.25	0.125	0.5	>32	4	16	0.125	
WHO M	8	<0.016	0.012	0.25	2	1	16	0.125	
WHO N	8	<0.016	0.004	0.125	4	16	16	0.125	
WHO O	>32	0.016	0.032	0.25	0.008	1	>1024	0.063	
WHO P	0.25	<0.016	0.004	2	0.004	0.5	16	0.125	
<b>MIC breakpoint</b>	2	0.25	0.25	2	1	2	128	n/a	