

If your child is under 3 months old or very unwell they are likely to be referred to the Paediatric Service

Urinary Tract Infection in Children
(infection in kidneys, bladder)
Child may have some or all of these symptoms:

- Fever
- Vomiting
- Tummy pain
- Poor feeding
- Lethargy
- Painful peeing

Examination by Doctor
May collect urine sample for analysis. If child's urine (dipstick test) indicates infection then antibiotics are prescribed and urine sent for further tests

After 48 hours
Doctor will review urine results from the lab. If child's condition is worse or no improvement – will consider different treatment – may arrange ultrasound (radiology)

If child does not get better with treatment or has recurrent infections or an abnormal ultrasound

Refer to Paediatrician

Preventative Measures

- Toileting techniques
- Wiping bottom from front to back for girls
- Drinking water regularly