

PHASE 2
PROPOSED ANTIBIOTIC PHASE-OUT SCHEDULE (2026 – 2030)
FOR USE AS GROWTH PROMOTERS (AGP) AND PROPHYLAXIS IN FEED AND ANIMAL FEED ADDITIVES FOR FOOD-PRODUCING ANIMALS

Prohibited for AGP & PROPHYLAXIS in feed & feed additive for food producing animals.

Allowed for TREATMENT and METAPHYLAXIS with veterinary prescription

2026	2027	2028	2029	2030
Cefotaxime (HPCIA, VCIA)	Cloxacillin (HIA, VCIA)	Sulfathiazole (HIA, VCIA)	Procaine Benzylpenicillin (HIA, VCIA)	ALL human Medically-Important Antibiotics (MIA) are strictly prohibited for use as AGPs and for preventive (prophylactic) use in feed and feed additives for food-producing animals
Ciprofloxacin (HPCIA, VCIA)	Flumequine (HPCIA, VHIA)	Sulfaquinoxaline (HIA, VCIA)	Pirlimycin (HIA, VHIA)	
Doxycycline (HIA, VCIA)	Hetacillin (HIA, VIA)	Sulfadimethoxine (HIA, VCIA)	Pyrimethamine (HIA)	
Gentamicin (CIA, VCIA)	Kanamycin (CIA, VIA)	Sulfadimidine (HIA, VCIA)	Spiramycin (CIA, VCIA)	
Marbofloxacin (HPCIA, VCIA)	Oxolinic acid (HPCIA, VHIA)	Sulfamethazine (HIA, VCIA)	Tulathromycin (CIA, VCIA)	
Streptomycin (CIA, VCIA)	Pradofloxacin (HPCIA, VCIA)	Sulfamethoxazole (HIA, VCIA)		

The gazetting of all these antibiotics will be carried out in 2030 under the Feed (Prohibited Antibiotics, Hormones and Other Chemicals) Regulations (Amendment of Schedule) by the Animal Feed Regulatory Section, Veterinary Regulatory Division