WHAT IS ANTIBIOTIC RESISTANCE?

Bacteria that have developed a resistance to treatment by antibiotics have an antibiotic resistance. It’s when antibiotics stop working.

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WHAT EFFECT COULD ANTIBIOTIC RESISTANCE HAVE ON YOU?

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HOW CAN YOU HELP PREVENT ANTIBIOTIC RESISTANCE?

• Only take antibiotics when prescribed.
• Keep vaccinations up to date.
• Wash your hands after handling pets, antibiotic resistance can also affect animals.

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WHAT EFFECT CAN IT HAVE? HOW CAN YOU PREVENT IT?

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