

## Reconstituting nebulised antibiotics:

- 1) Wash hands
- 2) Get all equipment out onto a clean area- drug vials x2, syringe and needle
- 3) Wash hands
- 4) Take off red cap from vials
- 5) Put syringe and needle together
- 6) Draw up 4mls of water- easier to hold water vial upside down
- 7) Put 2 mls of water into each vial
- 8) Take syringe out and gently shake vial to mix up dry powder and water
- 9) Draw up reconstituted mix- easier to hold vial upside down
- 10) Put mix (4mls in total) into the special nebuliser giving set only
- 11) Wash hands

The mix can be made up and left in the fridge for a maximum of 24hours then **MUST** be discarded.