

# Uncomplicated urinary tract infection

In women aged 16 to 65

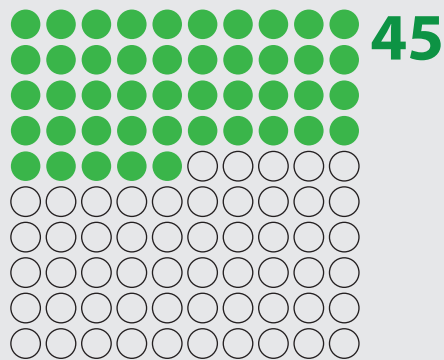
## Cause and progression of a bladder infection

The cause is usually a bacterial colonization of the bladder. The symptoms may disappear spontaneously within a week.

## What is a uncomplicated UTI?

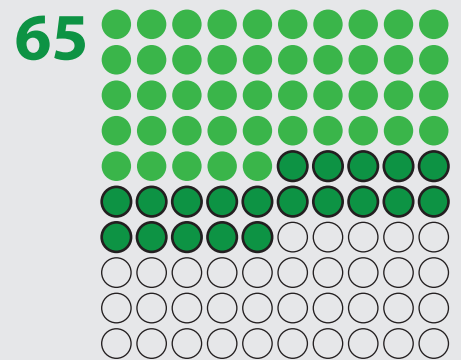
A bladder infection in non-pregnant women older than 16 and younger than 65 years of age with no relevant pre-existing illness.

100 women who **don't** take antibiotics

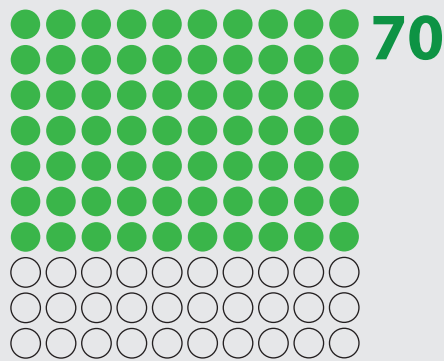


With antibiotics,  
**20 more** women  
will be **symptom-free**  
after **3-4 days**

100 women who **do** take antibiotics

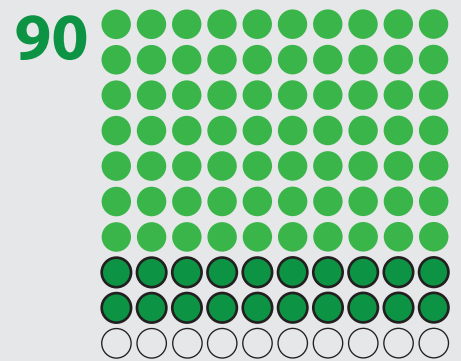


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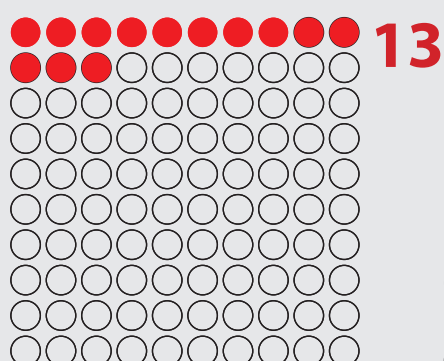


With antibiotics,  
**20 more** women  
will be **symptom-free**  
after **7-9 days**

100 women who **do** take antibiotics



100 women who **don't** take antibiotics



With antibiotics  
**6 more** women  
will have symptoms like  
inflammation of the  
vulva/vagina, headache,  
dizziness, diarrhoea, vomiting  
and/or upper abdominal pain.

100 women who **do** take antibiotics

