Case-control study: Biofilms in surgery for chronic rhinosinusitis with nasal polyps.

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ABSTRACT

Rhinosinusitis is one of the most common reasons for physician office visits, for bad productivity in the work force and for antibiotics prescription. Abx use for 12 weeks or 12 months. Americans were affected each year, with an estimated cost of $5,78 billion.

INTRODUCTION

METHODS AND MATERIALS

Patients were enrolled using strict inclusion and exclusion criteria. Inclusion criteria for patients with CRSwNP were: a) diagnosis of CRSwNP by an ENT specialist; b) no use of any kind of steroid or antibiotic medications for at least 4 weeks before sinus surgery.

RESULTS

DISCUSSION

REFERENCES