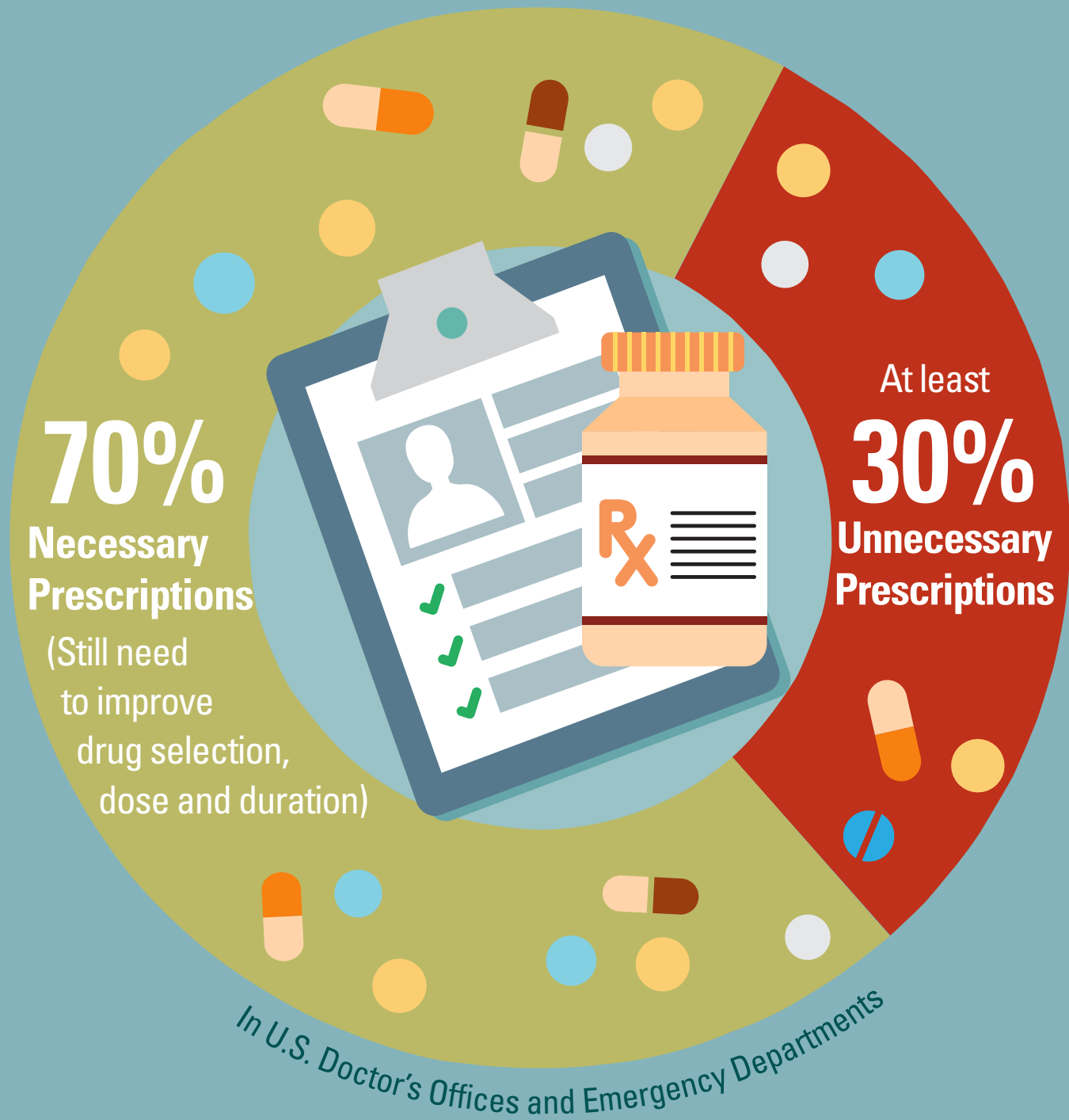


Improve Antibiotic Use to Combat Antibiotic Resistance



CDC is working to reduce unnecessary antibiotic use

White House National Action Plan to Combat Antibiotic-Resistant Bacteria (CARB)

Goal: By 2020, reduce inappropriate outpatient antibiotic use by 50%

Find out when antibiotics are necessary.

Visit: <http://www.cdc.gov/getsmart>

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