

**Table 2: Antimicrobial susceptibility patterns of *shigella* spp. isolates from outpatients presenting at Hospital in Baghdad - Iraq.**

Antimicrobial agent	Resistant			Intermediate			Susceptible		
	Zone size(mm)	No.	%	Zone size(mm)	No.	%	Zone size(mm)	No.	%
Ampicillin	≤ 13	7	78	14 - 16	0	0.0	≥ 17	2	22
Chloramphenicol	≤ 12	6	67	13 - 17	1	11	≥ 18	2	22
Ceftriaxone	≤ 14	1	11	15 - 16	0	0.0	≥ 17	8	89
Ciprofloxacin	≤ 12	1	11	13 - 14	1	11	≥ 15	7	78
Gentamicin	≤ 15	2	22	16 - 19	2	22	≥ 20	5	56
Kanamycin	≤ 13	6	67	14-17	1	11	≥ 18	2	22
Nalidixic acid	≤ 14	2	22	15 - 18	1	11	≥ 19	6	67
Norfloxacin	≤ 13	3	33	14 - 17	0	0.0	≥ 18	6	67
Streptomycin	≤ 11	5	56	12 - 14	2	22	≥ 15	2	22
Trimethoprim-Sulphamethoxazole	≤ 10	8	89	11 - 15	0	0.0	≥ 16	1	11

In total 9 *shigella* strains were tested.