

Pediatric Dosing Chart

BENADRYL® (DIPHENHYDRAMINE) DOSING CHART			
FOR 2 YEARS OF AGE AND OLDER			
<i>Benadryl®(diphenhydramine) may be given up to every 6 hours</i>			
Weight in Pounds (lbs)	Benadryl® Allergy Liquid 12.5mg/5mL	Chewable Tablets/Fast Melts® 12.5mg	Tablets/Capsules 25mg
21-25 lb	5mL (1 tsp)	1 tabs/fast melts	1 tablet/capsule
26-40 lb	7.5mL (1 ½ tsp)		
41-60 lb	10mL (2 tsp)		
61-85 lb	12.5mL (2 ½ tsp)	2 tabs/fast melts	1 tablet/capsule
86-100 lb	15mL (3 tsp)	3 tabs/fast melts	
Greater than 100 lb	20mL (4 tsp)	4 tabs/fast melts	2 tablets/capsules

MOTRIN/ADVIL® (IBUPROFEN) DOSING CHART					
<i>ibuprofen may be given up to every 6 hours; use for infants 6 months or older</i>					
Weight in Pounds (lbs)	Oral Drops 50mg/1.25mL	Liquid Suspension 100mg/5mL	Chewable Tablets 100mg	Junior Tablets 100mg	Adult Tablets 200mg
12-17 lb	1.25mL	2.5mL (½ tsp)			
18-23 lb	1.875mL	3.75mL (¾ tsp)			
24-35 lb	2.5mL (2 x 1.25mL)	5mL (1 tsp)			
36-47 lb	3.75mL (3 x 1.25mL)	7.5mL (1 ½ tsp)			
48-59 lb	5mL (4 x 1.25mL)	10mL (2 tsp)	2 tabs	2 tabs	1 tab
60-71 lb		12.5mL (2 ½ tsp)	2 ½ tabs	2 ½ tabs	1 tab
72-95 lb		15mL (3 tsp)	3 tabs	3 tabs	1 tab
Greater Than 95 lb		20mL (4 tsp)	4 tabs	4 tabs	2 tabs

TYLENOL® (ACETAMINOPHEN) DOSING CHART

Acetaminophen may be given up to every 4 hours (do not exceed 5 doses or 3000mg in one day)

Weight in Pounds (lbs)	<i>Infant Liquid Suspension</i> <u>160mg/5mL</u>	<i>Children's Liquid Suspension</i> 160mg/5mL	Chewable Tablets 80mg	Junior Tablets 160mg	Regular Strength 325mg per caplet/tablet (max daily dose = 9 tablets)	Extra Strength Adult Tablets 500mg (max daily dose every 6 hours)	Suppositories 80mg, 120mg, 325mg, and 650mg
8-9 lb	1.25mL						
10-12 lb	1.875mL						
13-17 lb	2.5mL						80mg
18-25 lb	3.75mL						120mg
26-35 lb	5mL	5mL	2 tabs				120mg
36-46 lb		7.5mL	3 tabs				240mg (120mg x 2)
47-58 lb		10mL	4 tabs	2 tabs			325mg
59-75 lb		12.5mL	5 tabs	2 ½ tabs			325mg
76-93 lb		15mL	6 tabs	3 tabs	1½ cap/tabs	1 cap/tab	487mg (325mg x 1 ½)
94-145lb		20mL	8 tabs	4 tabs	2 cap/tabs	1 cap/tab	650mg
Greater than 145 lb		20ml	8 tabs	4 tabs	2 cap/tabs	2 cap/tab	650mg

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