

## Fever-Reducing Medication Dosage

<b>ACETAMINOPHEN</b>		Infant/Children's Suspension Liquid 160 mg/5ml	Junior Strength Chewable Tablet
		Teaspoon (tsp)	Tablet
Weight	Age	Dose	Dose
6-11 lbs	0-3 months	1/4 tsp or 1.25 ml	
12-17 lbs	4-11 months	1/2 tsp or 2.5 ml	
18-23 lbs	12-23 months	3/4 tsp or 3.75 ml	
24-35 lbs	2-3 yrs	1 tsp or 5 ml	
36-47 lbs	4-5 yrs	1 1/2 tsp	
48-59 lbs	6-8 yrs	2 tsp	2
60-71 lbs	9-10 yrs	2 1/2 tsp	2 1/2
72-95 lbs	11 yrs	3 tsp	3
96-lbs & over	12 yrs		4

If possible, use weight to dose, otherwise use age. **One dose lasts 4-6 hours.**

<b>IBUPROFEN</b>		Age 6-23 mos. Infant Drops 50mg/1.25ml	Ages 2-11 Children's Suspension 100 mg/5ml	Ages 2-11 Children's Chewable Tablets 50 mg	Ages 6-11 Junior Strength Chewable Tablets 100 mg	Ages 6-11 Junior Strength Caplets 100 mg	
		Weight	Age	Dropperful	Teaspoon (tsp)	Tablet	Tablet
12-17 lbs	6-11 mos	1 = (1.25ml)					
18-23 lbs	12-23 mos	1 1/2 = (1.875 ml)					
24-35 lbs	2-3 yrs		1 tsp	2 tablets			
36-47 lbs	4-5 yrs		1 1/2 tsp	3 tablets			
48-59 lbs	6-8 yrs		2 tsp	4 tablets	2 tablets	2 caplets	
60-71 lbs	9-10 yrs		2 1/2 tsp	5 tablets	2 1/2 tablets	2 1/2 caplets	
72-95 lbs	11 yrs		3 tsp	6 tablets	3 tablets	3 caplets	

For children 6 months and older. **One dose lasts 6-8 hours**

### Normal Temperature Ranges for different sites

Axillary (under arm)	94.5°F - 99.1°F	Rectal	97.9°F – 100.3°F
Oral	95.9°F - 99.5°F	Ear	96.4°F – 100.3°F



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