

Acetaminophen Dosing Chart

Acetaminophen (Tylenol)		Infants' or Children's Oral Suspension (Liquid) 160 mg/ 5 mL	Children's Soft Chews Chewable 80 mg each	Junior Strength Chewable 160 mg each	Adult Regular Strength 325 mg each
		Teaspoon (tsp)	Tablet	Tablet	Tablet
Weight	Age				
6 – 11 lbs.	0 – 3 months	1.25 mL (1/4 tsp)			
12 – 17 lbs.	4 – 11 months	2.5 mL (1/2 tsp)			
18 – 23 lbs.	12 – 23 months	3.75 mL (3/4 tsp)			
24 – 35 lbs.	2 – 3 years	5 mL (1 tsp)	2	1	
36 – 47 lbs.	4 – 5 years	7.5 mL (1.5 tsp)	3	1.5	
48 – 59 lbs.	6 – 8 years	10 mL (2 tsp)	4	2	
60 – 71 lbs.	9 – 10 years	12.5 mL (2.5 tsp)	5	2.5	1
72 – 95 lbs.	11 years	15 mL (3 tsp)	6	3	1.5
96+ lbs.	12+ years	20 mL (4 tsp)	8	4	2

* Acetaminophen should only be given to infants over the age of 2 months, unless explicitly recommended by your doctor.

* Acetaminophen should be given every 4-6 hours as needed.

* Do not give more than 5 doses in 24 hours.

* Do not use with any other medicines that contain acetaminophen (like DayQuil). Please read medication labels so you do not overdose your child. If you think that your child overdosed on any medication, call Poison Control at 1-800-222-1222.

Ibuprofen Dosing Chart

Ibuprofen (Motrin, Advil)		Concentrated Infant Drops 50 mg/ 1.25 mL	Children's Oral Suspension (Liquid) 100 mg/ 5 mL	Children's Chews Chewable 50 mg each	Junior Strength 100 mg each	Adult Regular Strength 200 mg each
		Dropperful (only use the dropper provided with your medication)	Teaspoon (tsp)	Tablet	Tablet	Tablet
Weight	Age					
12 – 17 lbs.	6 – 11 months	1.25 mL (1/4 tsp)				
18 – 23 lbs.	12 – 23 months	1.875 mL				
24 – 35 lbs.	2 – 3 years		5 mL (1 tsp)	2		
36 – 47 lbs.	4 – 5 years		7.5 mL (1.5 tsp)	3		
48 – 59 lbs.	6 – 8 years		10 mL (2 tsp)	4	2	1
60 – 71 lbs.	9 – 10 years		12.5 mL (2.5 tsp)	5	2.5	
72 – 95 lbs.	11 years		15 mL (3 tsp)	6	3	
96+ lbs.	12+ years		20 mL (4 tsp)	8	4	2

* Ibuprofen should only be given to infants over the age of 6 months, unless explicitly recommended by your doctor.

* Ibuprofen should be given every 6-8 hours as needed.

* Do not give more than 4 doses in 24 hours.