

## ACETAMINOPHEN DOSAGE CHART

**The proper dosage is determined by weight not age. If your child is not old enough to stand on a scale you can weigh yourself and then weigh holding your child and subtract the two.**

| Child's Weight                             | 6 to 11 lbs       | 12 to 17 lbs           | 18 to 23 lbs            | 24 to 35 lbs       | 36 to 47 lbs             | 48 to 59 lbs        | 60 to 71 lbs              | 72 to 95 lbs        | 96+ lbs             |
|--|-------------------|------------------------|-------------------------|--------------------|--------------------------|---------------------|---------------------------|---------------------|---------------------|
| <b>Infant Drops</b>                        | 1.25ml in syringe | 2.5ml in syringe       | 3.75ml in syringe       | 5ml in syringe     | -----                    | -----               | -----                     | -----               | -----               |
| <b>Children's Liquid</b>                   | -----             | 1/2 tsp (2.5ml in cup) | 3/4 tsp (3.75ml in cup) | 1 tsp (5ml in cup) | 1 1/2 tsp (7.5ml in cup) | 2 tsp (10ml in cup) | 2 1/2 tsp (12.5ml on cup) | 3 tsp (15ml in cup) | 4 tsp (20ml in cup) |
| <b>Children's Chew/Meltaways</b>           | -----             | -----                  | 1 1/2                   | 2                  | 3                        | 4                   | 2 1/2                     | 6                   | 8                   |
| <b>Junior Strength Chew/Meltaways</b>      | -----             | -----                  | -----                   | 1                  | 1 1/2                    | 2                   | 2 1/2                     | 3                   | 4                   |
| <b>Adult Regular-Strength Tabs (325mg)</b> | -----             | -----                  | -----                   | -----              | -----                    | -----               | 1                         | 1 to 1 1/2          | 2                   |

**You may repeat the dose every 4 hours while symptoms last**

### **Active Ingredients**

Infant Drops: 160mg/5ml per included syringe (shake well before using)

Children's Liquid: 160mg/5ml per teaspoon (shake well before using)

Children's Chew/Meltaways: 80mg each

Junior Strength Chew/Meltaways: 160mg each

Adult Regular Strength Tablets: 325mg

### **Safety Tips for Acetaminophen**

- Don't give to a baby under 3 months without a doctors approval
- Always use the measuring device that comes with the medication
- Never give it to a child who is taking another medication that contains acetaminophen without a doctors approval
- Do not exceed 5 doses in 24 hours

## IBUPROFEN DOSAGE CHART

**The proper dosage is determined by weight not age. If your child is not old enough to stand on a scale you can weigh yourself and then weigh holding your child and subtract the two.**

| Child's Weight                      | 6 to 11 lbs | 12 to 17 lbs | 18 to 23 lbs | 24 to 35 lbs | 36 to 47 lbs | 48 to 59 lbs | 60 to 71 lbs | 72 to 95 lbs | 96+ lbs |
|-------------------------------------|-------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|---------|
| <b>Children's Liquid</b>            | -----       | 1/2 tsp      | 3/4 tsp      | 1 tsp        | 1 1/2 tsp    | 2 tsp        | 2 1/2 tsp    | 3 tsp        | 4 tsp   |
| <b>Children's Chew</b>              | -----       | -----        | -----        | -----        | 3            | 4            | 5            | 6            | 8       |
| <b>Junior Strength Chew/Caplets</b> | -----       | -----        | -----        | -----        | -----        | 2            | 2 1/2        | 3            | 4       |
| <b>Adult Regular Strength Tabs</b>  | -----       | -----        | -----        | -----        | -----        | -----        | 1            | 1 to 1 1/2   | 2       |

**You may repeat the dose every 6-8 hours while symptoms last**

### **Active Ingredients**

Children's Liquid: 100mg (5ml) per teaspoon (shake well before using)

Children's Chewables: 50mg each

Junior Strength Chew/Caplets: 100mg each

Adult Regular Strength Tablets: 200mg each

### **Safety Tips for Ibuprofen**

- Don't give to a child under 6 months of age without a doctor's approval
- Always use the measuring device that comes with the medication
- Never give it to a child who is taking another medication that contain NSAIDs without a doctors approval
- Do not exceed 4 doses in 24 hours