

Ibuprofen Dosing Chart

(Also known as Motrin®, Advil®)

| Age | Weight | Ibuprofen Infant Drops | Ibuprofen Suspension | Ibuprofen Children's Chewable | Ibuprofen Children's Chewable |
|-----------|------------|---------------------------|-------------------------|----------------------------------|-------------------------------|
| | | 50 mg/1.25 ml | 100 mg/5 ml | 50 mg ea. | 100 mg ea. |
| 6-11 mo. | 12-17 lbs. | 50 mg/1.25 ml | | | |
| 12-23 mo. | 18-23 lbs. | 75 mg/1.8 ml | | | |
| 2-3 yrs. | 24-35 lbs. | | 100 mg/1 tsp. | 100 mg/2 tabs | 100 mg/1 tab |
| 4-5 yrs. | 36-47 lbs. | | 150 mg/1.5 tsp. | 150 mg/3 tabs | 150 mg/1.5 tabs |
| 6-8 yrs. | 48-59 lbs. | | 200 mg/2 tsp. | 200 mg/4 tabs | 200 mg/2 tabs |
| 9-10 yrs. | 60-71 lbs. | | 250 mg/2.5 tsp. | 250 mg/5 tabs | 250 mg/2.5 tabs |
| 11 yrs. | 72-95 lbs. | | 300 mg/3 tsp. | 300 mg/6 tabs | 300 mg/3 tabs |

Do not give more frequently than every 6 hours.

Never alternate dosing of Ibuprofen and Acetaminophen unless your doctor tells you to. Start with one medication and stay with it. Ibuprofen (Children's Advil or Motrin) can be given to children six months and older. However, do not give to a child who has been drinking poorly, is nauseous, vomiting, has stomach pains, a history of stomach ulcer, chicken pox, is undergoing chemotherapy or has bleeding tendencies.

When Should I Call A Doctor?

- When an infant under three (3) months has a fever, is irritable or cries persistently.
- If a child complains of a stiff neck, headache or severe pain or has a seizure.
- If a child shows signs of having a difficult time breathing.
- When a child develops a persistent fever.
- When you have concerns or questions.