

RECOMMENDED DOSAGES

Important Note: Infant concentrated drops have been phased out but are safe to use if the dose is correct. They're three times as concentrated as the new infant liquid, so use caution: Know your baby's weight and follow the dosage chart.

<p>Your child's weight: 6 to 11 lbs Dose: 40 mg Old Infant drops: ½ dropper (0.4 ml) New Infant liquid: 1.25 ml in syringe</p>	<p>Your child's weight: 12 to 17 lbs Dose: 80 mg Old infant drops: 1 dropper (0.8 ml) New infant liquid: 2.5 ml in syringe Children's liquid: ½ tsp (2.5 ml in cup)</p>	<p>Your child's weight: 18 to 23 lbs Dose: 120 mg Old infant drops: 1½ droppers (1.2 ml) New infant liquid: 3.75 ml in syringe Children's liquid: ¾ tsp (3.75 ml in cup) Children's chews or meltaways: 1 ½ Junior-strength chews or meltaways: ¾</p>
<p>Your child's weight: 24 to 35 lbs Dose: 160 mg Old infant drops: 2 droppers (1.6 ml) New infant liquid: 5 ml in syringe Children's liquid: 1 tsp (5 ml in cup) Children's chews or meltaways: 2 Junior-strength chews or meltaways: 1</p>	<p>Your child's weight: 36 to 47 lbs Dose: 240 mg Children's liquid: 1 ½ tsp (7.5 ml in cup) Children's chews or meltaways: 3 Junior-strength chews or meltaways: 1 ½</p>	<p>Your child's weight: 48 to 59 lbs Dose: 320 mg Children's liquid: 2 tsp (10 ml in cup) Children's chews or meltaways: 4 Junior-strength chews or meltaways: 2</p>
<p>Your child's weight: 60 to 71 lbs Dose: 400 mg Children's liquid: 2 ½ tsp (12.5 ml in cup) Children's chews or meltaways: 5 Junior-strength chews or meltaways: 2 1/2 Adult regular-strength tabs (325 mg): 1</p>	<p>Your child's weight: 72 to 95 lbs Dose: 480 mg Children's liquid: 3 tsp (15 ml in cup) Children's chews or meltaways: 6 Junior-strength chews or meltaways: 3 Adult regular-strength tabs (325 mg): 1 to 1 ½</p>	<p>Your child's weight: 96+ lbs Dose: 640 mg Children's liquid: 4 tsp (20 ml in cup) Children's chews or meltaways: 8 Junior-strength chews or meltaways: 4 Adult regular-strength tabs (325 mg): 2</p>

Active Ingredients

Old infant drops: 80 mg/0.8 ml per dropper (shake well before using)

New infant liquid: 160 mg/5 ml per included syringe (shake well before using)

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

Children's chews or meltaways: 80 mg each

Junior-strength chews or meltaways: 160 mg each

Adult regular-strength tablets: 325 mg each

Six Safety Tips for Acetaminophen

1. Don't give to a baby under 3 months without a doctor's approval.
2. Don't confuse infant drops with the new infant liquid. Infant drops are three times more concentrated.
3. Always use the measuring device that comes with the medicine.
4. The proper dosage is based on weight, not age. To determine the weight of a very young child, weigh yourself and then weigh yourself while holding your child. Then subtract your weight from the combined weight.
5. Never give acetaminophen to a child who's taking other medicines unless directed by a doctor. Other medicines may also contain acetaminophen, creating a dangerous overdose.
6. Don't exceed five doses in 24 hours.

