

MEDICATION DOSING SHEET

	Acetaminophen Examples: Tylenol,PediaCare, Little Fevers		Ibuprofen Examples: Motrin, Advil			Diphenhydramine Example: Benadryl	
Frequency that can be given:	Every 4-6 hrs		Every 6-8 hrs			Every 6-8 hrs	
Name on bottle:	** Infant's and Children's "Unconcentrated" Liquid/Suspension	Chewable Tablets	Infants "Concentrated"	Infant's and Children's Liquid/Suspension	"Children's" Chewable Tablets	Liquid/ Suspension	Meltaway Tablets
Concentration:	160MG/5ML	1 Tablet = 80MG	50MG/1.25ML	100MG/5ML	1 Tablet = 50MG	12.5MG/5ML	1 Tablet = 12.5MG
Age:	2 Months or older		6 Months or older			6 Months or older	
Weight:							
12-15 lbs	2.5 ML	-	1.25 ML	2.5ML	-	2.5 ML	-
15-19 lbs	3 ML	-	1.5 ML	3 ML	-	2.5 ML	-
19-24 lbs	4 ML	-	2 ML	4 ML	ı	3.75 ML	ı
24-30 lbs	5 ML	2 Tablets	2.5 ML	5 ML	2 Tablets	5 ML	1 Tablet
30-40 lbs	6 ML	2 ½ Tablets	3.5 ML	7.5 ML	3 Tablets	6.25 ML	1 ¼ Tablet
38-48 lbs	7.5 ML	3 Tablets	4.25	8.5 ML	3 ½ Tablets	7.5 ML	1 ½ Tablet
46-56 lbs	9 ML	3 ½ Tablets	-	10 ML	4 Tablets	10 ML	2 Tablets

- ** = Tylenol labeling will say infants Suspension **OR** Children's Suspension = **THEY ARE THE SAME PRODUCT** because the concentration (160 MG = 5 ML) of the Tylenol is the same. This product will either come with a "syringe" or a "medicine cup". We always recommend using a syringe as it is more precise.
- <u>KEY POINTS ABOUT THESE PRODUCTS:</u> ALWAYS review the dosage on the bottle/box as the concentrations may vary among brand/manufacturer. The concentration/drug information can be found on the box where the "drug facts" are listed. Many of the medications will say "talk to your doctor first before giving." If we have recommended the medication, and you use the correct dose according to this chart, it is OK to use. *We recommend bringing the medication that you will be using to your appointment for verification.* <u>IF YOU MAKE A MISTAKE OR ACCIDENTALLY GIVE THE WRONG MEDICATION, CALL POISON CONTROL IMMEDIATELY at (800) 222-1222</u>