

Acetaminophen Dosing Guide

Acetaminophen is a medicine that treats fever and pain. Other names for acetaminophen are Tylenol, Tempra, and Feverall. **Do not give acetaminophen to babies under 2 months of age.** Dosing should always be based on the weight of the child. To measure liquids, always use a medicine cup or dropper. Repeat dosing every 4-6 hours.

Weight	Infant's and Children's liquid 160mg/5mL	Children's chewable 80 mg tablet
6 to 11 lbs	1.8 mL	-
12 to 20 lbs	3 mL	-
21 to 24 lbs	5 mL	2 tablets
25 to 32 lbs	6 mL	2 1/2 tablets
33 to 36 lbs	7 mL	3 tablets
37 to 40 lbs	8 mL	3 1/2 tablets
41 to 45 lbs	9 mL	3 1/2 tablets
46 to 49 lbs	10 mL	4 tablets
50 to 54 lbs	11 mL	4 1/2 tablets
55 to 58 lbs	12 mL	5 tablets
59 to 62 lbs	13 mL	5 tablets
63 to 67 lbs	14 mL	5 1/2 tablets
68 to 71 lbs	15 mL	6 tablets