

PAEDIATRIC DOSES
Weight=2(Age+4)

Drug	DOSE	
Paracetamol	<1 month	10mg/kg every 6-8hrs
	2 - 3 months (post immunization)	60mg [can be repeated after 6hrs]
	1 month - 3 months	30-60mg every 8hrs
	3months – 1 year	60-120mg (max qds)
	1 – 5 years	120-250mg (max qds)
	6 - 12 years	250-500mg (max qds)
	12-18 years	500mg (every 4-6hrs)
Ibuprofen	1-3 months	5 mg/kg 3–4 times daily
	3-6 months	50 mg 3 times daily
	6 months – 12 months	50mg 3-4 times daily
	1 – 4 years	100mg 3 times daily
	4 - 7 years	150mg 3 times daily
	7 - 10 years	200mg 3 times daily
	10 - 12 years	300 mg 3 times daily
	12- 18 years	300–400 mg 3–4 times daily
Amoxicillin	<7 days	30 mg/kg (max. 62.5 mg) twice daily
	<1 month	30 mg/kg (max. 62.5 mg) three times daily
	1-5 years	125mg tds
	5 - 18 years	250mg tds
Otitis media	1 month–18 years	40 mg/kg daily in 3 divided doses (max. 1.5 g daily in 3 divided doses)
Penicillin V	1 - 12 months	62.5mg qds
	1 - 6 years	125mg qds
	6 - 12 years	250mg qds
	12 - 18 years	500mg qds
Erythromycin	<1 month	12.5mg every 6 hrs
	1 month - 2 years	125mg qds
	2-8 years	250mg qds
	>8 years	250-500mg qds

