



Tylenol® (Acetaminophen) Dosing Chart

We understand that Tylenol® (acetaminophen) dosing can be confusing. At CHOC, we recommend that children take the amounts below according to their weight or age. Remember to read labels carefully, double check the concentration and dose before giving it to your child and ask for help from your pediatrician or pharmacist if needed. **Acetaminophen dosing should not exceed more than every 4 hours or 5 doses in a 24-hour period. Additionally, acetaminophen should not be given with other cough and cold medications which could contain acetaminophen.**

Child's Weight	Child's Age	Infants' Tylenol® Oral Suspension (160 mg/5 mL)	Children's Tylenol® Oral Suspension (160 mg/5 mL)	Children's Tylenol® Chewable Tablet (160 mg/tablet)	Children's Tylenol® Dissolve Packet (160 mg/powder packet)	
6-11 lbs.	0-3 months	Consult your Provider				
12-17 lbs.	4-11 months	2.5 mL				
18-23 lbs.	12-23 months	3.75 mL				
24-35 lbs.	2-3 years	5 mL	5 mL	1 tablet		
36-47 lbs.	4-5 years		7.5 mL	1½ tablets		
48-59 lbs.	6-8 years		10 mL	2 tablets		2 packets
60-71 lbs.	9-10 years		12.5 mL	2½ tablets		2 packets
72-95 lbs.	11 years		15 mL	3 tablets		3 packets

****If your child's weight falls in a different age category, base the dose on the weight, not the age****

Key: lbs. = pounds, mL = milliliters