

Benadryl

Benadryl can be given to children 6 months and older, unless otherwise directed by your child's doctor. Benadryl is an antihistamine that can be used to help alleviate nasal congestion, coughing, and mild allergic reactions. Benadryl can cause mild drowsiness in some children. Benadryl is given every 6 - 8 hours as needed.

Diphenhydramine hydrochloride (Benadryl®) 12.5mg/ml

WEIGHT	Syrup 12.5mg/5ml	Chewables 12.5mg	Tablets 25mg tabs
20 LBS.	$\frac{3}{4}$ tsp (3.75ml/cc)		
25 LBS.	1 tsp (5ml/cc)	1 chewable	
30 LBS.	$1\frac{1}{4}$ tsp (6.25ml/cc)		
35 LBS.	$1\frac{1}{4}$ tsp (6.25ml/cc)		
40 LBS.	$1\frac{1}{2}$ tsp (7.5ml/cc)	$1\frac{1}{2}$ chewable	
45 LBS.	$1\frac{3}{4}$ tsp (7.5ml/cc)		
50 LBS.	2 tsp (10ml/cc)	2 chewables	1 tablet
55 LBS.	$2\frac{1}{4}$ tsp (11.25ml/cc)		
60 LBS.	$2\frac{1}{4}$ tsp (11.25ml/cc)		
65 LBS.	$2\frac{1}{2}$ tsp (12.5ml/cc)	$2\frac{1}{2}$ chewable	
70 LBS.	$2\frac{3}{4}$ tsp (13.75ml/cc)		
75 LBS.	3 tsp (15ml/cc)	3 chewables	1.5 tablets
80 LBS.	$3\frac{1}{4}$ tsp (16.25ml/cc)		
90 LBS.	$3\frac{1}{2}$ tsp (17.5ml/cc)	$3\frac{1}{2}$ chewable	
100 LBS. +	4 tsp (20ml/cc)	4 chewables	2 tablets