

	Paracetamol	Ibuprofen
1 MONTH	30–60 mg every 8 hours as required, maximum daily dose to be given in divided doses; maximum 60 mg/kg per day. <i>(1.25 to 2.5ml of 120/5)</i>	5 mg/kg 3–4 times a day.
2m	30–60 mg every 8 hours as required, maximum daily dose to be given in divided doses; maximum 60 mg/kg per day.	5 mg/kg 3–4 times a day.
3m	60 mg every 4–6 hours; maximum 4 doses per day. <i>(2.5ml of 120/5)</i>	50 mg 3 times a day, maximum daily dose to be given in 3–4 divided doses; maximum 30 mg/kg per day.
4m	60 mg every 4–6 hours; maximum 4 doses per day.	50 mg 3 times a day, maximum daily dose to be given in 3–4 divided doses; maximum 30 mg/kg per day.
5m	60 mg every 4–6 hours; maximum 4 doses per day.	50 mg 3 times a day, maximum daily dose to be given in 3–4 divided doses; maximum 30 mg/kg per day.
6m	120 mg every 4–6 hours; maximum 4 doses per day.	50 mg 3–4 times a day, maximum daily dose to be given in 3–4 divided doses; maximum 30 mg/kg per day.
7m	120 mg every 4–6 hours; maximum 4 doses per day.	50 mg 3–4 times a day, maximum daily dose to be given in 3–4 divided doses; maximum 30 mg/kg per day.
8m	120 mg every 4–6 hours; maximum 4 doses per day.	50 mg 3–4 times a day, maximum daily dose to be given in 3–4 divided doses; maximum 30 mg/kg per day.
9m	120 mg every 4–6 hours; maximum 4 doses per day.	50 mg 3–4 times a day, maximum daily dose to be given in 3–4 divided doses; maximum 30 mg/kg per day.
10m	120 mg every 4–6 hours; maximum 4 doses per day.	50 mg 3–4 times a day, maximum daily dose to be given in 3–4 divided doses; maximum 30 mg/kg per day.
11m	120 mg every 4–6 hours; maximum 4 doses per day.	50 mg 3–4 times a day, maximum daily dose to be given in 3–4 divided doses; maximum 30 mg/kg per day.

	Paracetamol	Ibuprofen
1 YEAR	120 mg every 4–6 hours; maximum 4 doses per day.	100 mg 3 times a day, maximum daily dose to be given in 3–4 divided doses; maximum 30 mg/kg per day.
2y	180 mg every 4–6 hours; maximum 4 doses per day. <i>(7.5ml of 120/5)</i>	100 mg 3 times a day, maximum daily dose to be given in 3–4 divided doses; maximum 30 mg/kg per day.
3y	180 mg every 4–6 hours; maximum 4 doses per day.	100 mg 3 times a day, maximum daily dose to be given in 3–4 divided doses; maximum 30 mg/kg per day.
4y	240 mg every 4–6 hours; maximum 4 doses per day. <i>(10ml of 120/5)</i>	150 mg 3 times a day, maximum daily dose to be given in 3–4 divided doses; maximum 30 mg/kg per day.
5y	240 mg every 4–6 hours; maximum 4 doses per day.	150 mg 3 times a day, maximum daily dose to be given in 3–4 divided doses; maximum 30 mg/kg per day.
6y	240–250 mg every 4–6 hours; maximum 4 doses per day. <i>(10ml of 120/5 → 5ml 250/5)</i>	150 mg 3 times a day, maximum daily dose to be given in 3–4 divided doses; maximum 30 mg/kg per day.
7y	240–250 mg every 4–6 hours; maximum 4 doses per day.	200 mg 3 times a day, maximum daily dose to be given in 3–4 divided doses; maximum 30 mg/kg per day; maximum 2.4 g per day.
8y	360–375 mg every 4–6 hours; maximum 4 doses per day. <i>(15ml of 120/5 → 7.5ml 250/5)</i>	200 mg 3 times a day, maximum daily dose to be given in 3–4 divided doses; maximum 30 mg/kg per day; maximum 2.4 g per day.
9y	360–375 mg every 4–6 hours; maximum 4 doses per day.	200 mg 3 times a day, maximum daily dose to be given in 3–4 divided doses; maximum 30 mg/kg per day; maximum 2.4 g per day.
10y	480–500 mg every 4–6 hours; maximum 4 doses per day. <i>(20ml 120/5 → 10ml 250/5)</i>	300 mg 3 times a day, maximum daily dose to be given in 3–4 divided doses; maximum 30 mg/kg per day; maximum 2.4 g per day.
11y	480–500 mg every 4–6 hours; maximum 4 doses per day.	300 mg 3 times a day, maximum daily dose to be given in 3–4 divided doses; maximum 30 mg/kg per day; maximum 2.4 g per day.
12y	480–750 mg every 4–6 hours; maximum 4 doses per day. <i>(20ml 120/5 → 15ml 250/5)</i>	Initially 300–400 mg 3–4 times a day; (by mouth using immediate-release medicines) increased if necessary up to 600 mg 4 times a day; (by mouth) maintenance 200–400 mg 3 times a day, may be adequate.
13y	480–750 mg every 4–6 hours; maximum 4 doses per day.	Initially 300–400 mg 3–4 times a day; as above
14y	480–750 mg every 4–6 hours; maximum 4 doses per day.	Initially 300–400 mg 3–4 times a day; as above
15y	480–750 mg every 4–6 hours; maximum 4 doses per day.	Initially 300–400 mg 3–4 times a day; as above
16y	0.5–1 g every 4–6 hours; maximum 4 doses per day.	Initially 300–400 mg 3–4 times a day; as above
17y	0.5–1 g every 4–6 hours; maximum 4 doses per day.	Initially 300–400 mg 3–4 times a day; as above