



Pediatric Injectable Drugs

Product Description

Published by American Society of Health-System Pharmacists, this is an essential resource for healthcare professionals working with paediatric patients.

For nearly three decades, pharmacists treating newborns through to adolescents have relied on the print format of Pediatric Injectable Drugs (known as the Teddy Bear Book) for evidence-based IV drug recommendations. This invaluable resource covers neonates through adolescents, with age-specific dosing and administration guidelines throughout.

Purpose

To improve medication use and delivery in children that will facilitate recovery and improve their quality of life

Key coverage

Covers commonly used paediatric drugs including:

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| • abatacept | • hydroxocobalamin |
| • adalimumab | • ibuprofen lysine |
| • conivaptan | • levetiracetam |
| • esomeprazole | • protein c concentrate, |
| • epoetin alpha | • human tigecycline |
| • etanercept | • zolendronic acid |

Each drug monograph consists of:

- Brand names
- Safety information (including medication error potential, U.S. boxed warnings, and contraindications)
- Infusion related cautions
- Age-specific dosing information (including maximum dosages and adjustments in organ dysfunction)
- Additives
- Suitable diluents
- Maximum concentration
- Preparation and delivery
- IV push, intermittent infusion, and continuous infusion recommendations
- Other routes of administration (including IV and IM guidelines compiled specifically for pediatric patients)
- Comments by pharmacy professionals in the field

Monographs are drawn from more than 4,700 total references and have been studied by a minimum of five reviewers.

Also includes nomograms for determining body mass and body surface of children from height and weight, as well as information about Y-site compatibility of medications with parenteral nutrition.

Uses

Ideal for use on the wards with information on dosing, administration, warnings and other tips for practitioners. Searchable content, standardised headers, a list of abbreviations and an index of generic and brand drug names allows for fast and effective information retrieval.

Audience

- Hospital Pharmacies/Pharmacists
- Nurses and physicians
- Healthcare institutions
- Any healthcare professional caring for paediatric patients

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