

## PRN Medication Worksheet

Client Initials \_\_\_\_\_ Room No. \_\_\_\_\_ Age \_\_\_\_\_ WT \_\_\_\_\_

Medication: **ACETAMINOPHEN**

Dose reference range (per drug book)

Oral Infants & Children	10-15 mg/kg/dose q 4-6 h
	Do not exceed <b>5 doses in 24 hours</b>
Rectal	10- 20 mg/kg/dose q4-6h
	Maximum daily dose: <b>90 mg/kg/day</b>

Client range \_\_\_\_\_

Is this order appropriate for *this* patient: Yes or No

### **Side Effects:**

Dermatologic: rash

Renal: Renal injury with chronic use

Miscellaneous: Hypersensitivity reactions

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Medication: **IBUPROPHEN**

Dose reference range (per drug book)

<b>Antipyretic</b>	6m-12y	
Temp. < 102.5°F (39°C)	5 mg/kg/dose q 6-8h	
Temp. > 102.5°F (39°C)	10 mg/kg/dose q 6-8h	Max daily dose: <b>40 mg/kg/day</b>
<b>JIA 6m – 12y</b>	Usual 30-40 mg/kg/day in 3-4 divided doses	
<b>OTC 6m-11y</b>	7.5/mg/kg/dose q6-8h	
	<b>Max daily dose: 30mg/kg/day</b>	

Client range \_\_\_\_\_

Is this order appropriate for *this* patient: Yes or No

### **Side Effects:**

Cardiovascular: edema, hypertension, increased risk of cardiovascular thrombotic events. CNS: aseptic meningitis, dizziness, headache, nervousness. Endocrine & metabolic: fluid retention. GI: abdominal pain, cramps or distress, appetite decreased, constipation, diarrhea, dyspepsia, epigastric pain, flatulence, GI bleeding, GI perforation, GI ulceration, heartburn, nausea, vomiting. Hematologic: anemia, bleeding time increased. Hepatic: liver enzyme increased, hepatitis, liver failure. Ocular: vision changes (blurred or diminished vision, changes in color vision, scotomata). Otic: tinnitus.

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Medication: **VICODIN**

Dose reference range (per drug book)

< 50 kg	0.2 mg/kg q 3-4h	> 50 kg	5-10 mg/dose q 3-4h
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Client range \_\_\_\_\_

Is this order appropriate for *this* patient: Yes or No

Side Effects:

Cardiovascular: Hypertension, bradycardia, peripheral vasodilatation. CNS: CNS Depression, drowsiness, dizziness, sedation, elevated intracranial pressure. Endocrine and Metabolic: Antidiuretic hormone (ADH) release. Gastrointestinal: Nausea, vomiting, constipation, biliary tract spasm. Genitourinary: Urinary tract spasm. Ocular: Miosis. Respiratory: Respiratory depression. Miscellaneous: Histamine release, physical and psychological dependence with prolonged use.

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Medication: **ACETAMINOPHEN with CODEINE**

Dose reference range (per drug book)

<b>CODEINE</b> (oral) Children	0.5-1mg/kg/dose q4-6hr Max dose: 60 mg/dose
<b>Acetaminophen</b>	10-15mg/kg/dose q6h Do NOT exceed 5 doses in 24 hours Max dose for Children > 12y, 4g / 24 hours
Alternate doses of Acetaminophen	
3-6 y	5 ml 3-4 times/24 hours as needed
7-12 y	10 ml 3-4 times/24 hours as needed
>12 y	15 ml 4 times/24 hours

Client range \_\_\_\_\_

Is this order appropriate for *this* patient: Yes or No

**Side Effects:**

Acetaminophen: Skin: Rash Blood: Leukopenia/Neutropenia/Pancytopenia

Liver: Hepatic necrosis with overdose

Codeine: Cardiovascular: Bradycardia, Hypotension, palpitations, and peripheral vasodilatation.

CNS: Respiratory depression, ADH release, urinary retention, increased intra cranial pressure.