Great Kids Pediatrics

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Benadryl (Diphenhydramine) Dosing

BENADRYL IS NOT RECOMMENDED FOR CHILDREN UNDER 6 MONTHS OLD

(Unless otherwise directed by your physician)

Weight	Suspension	Chewable	Capsule
in pounds	12.5 mg/ 5ml	12.5mg	25 mg
15-19	3/4 tsp		
20-24	1tsp	1 tab	
25-29	1 1/4 tsp	1 tab	
30-34	1 1/3 tsp	1 tab	
35-39	1 1/2 tsp	1 1/2 tabs	
40-49	1 3/4 tsp	1 1/2 tabs	
50-59	2 tsp	2 tabs	1 capsule
60-69	2 1/2 tsp	2 tabs	1 capsule
70-79	3 tsp	2 tabs	1 capsule
80-89	3 1/2 tsp	2 tabs	1 capsule
5ml= 1tsp			
Dosing Instru	uction:		
Give every 6 l	hours as needed for	allergic reaction	or cold symptoms