

Medicines for Children provides practical and reliable information about more than 220 medicines used for children and young people. The information addresses frequently asked questions, such as how and when to give the medicine, what to do if you forget to give the medicine, and any possible side-effects. The website hosts many other useful resources and regular news stories.



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## General advice



**General advice  
about antibiotics**



**General advice  
about medicines**



**How to give liquid  
medicines (oral  
syringe, no bung)**



**How to give liquid  
medicines (oral  
syringe with bung)**



**How to give medicines:  
part dose of a tablet  
or capsule**



**How to give phosphate  
or calcium from  
effervescent tablets**

## Medicines (alphabetical order)



**Clotrimazole  
for fungal infections**



**Lansoprazole for  
gastro-oesophageal  
reflux disease**



**Nystatin  
for Candida  
infections**



**Phosphate  
supplements  
for hypophosphataemia**



**Sodium chloride  
for hyponatraemia**



**Sodium feredate  
for the prevention  
of anaemia**

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