

Medicines for babies

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 angemia

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