

## Paediatric Antibiotic Dosing Guidelines for Community Settings

<b>TRIMETHOPRIM</b>		
<b>Age</b>	<b>Normal dose: 3mg/kg every 12 hours</b>	<b>Maximum dose</b>
<b>6 weeks – 5 months</b>	25 mg every 12 hours	4 mg/kg every 12 hours
<b>6 months – 3 years</b>	25 – 50 mg every 12 hours	4 mg/kg every 12 hours
<b>4 - 7 years</b>	50 – 75 mg every 12 hours	4 mg/kg every 12 hours
<b>8 - 12 years</b>	75 – 125 mg every 12 hours	4 mg/kg every 12 hours
<b>&gt;12 years - Adults</b>	200 mg every 12 hours	200 mg every 12 hours

Preparations available:

Trimethoprim 10mg/ml oral solution

Trimethoprim 100mg and 200mg tablets