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1. Determine the patient's weight in kilograms. (*See computerized protocol*)

_____ lbs/2.2 = _____ kg

2. **Alternate** Acetaminophen (Tylenol) with Ibuprofen (Motrin) q 4 hours as needed for fever. Administer so that the patient receives a medication every 4 hours prn.

3. Acetaminophen dose = 12.5 mg per kilogram q 8 hours prn fever

< 40 kg _____ wt (kg) X 12.5 mg = _____ mg/dose

≥ 40 kg 500 mg tablet

Acetaminophen drops = 80 mg per 0.8 ml _____ ml
(100 mg per ml) Round to nearest 0.1 ml.

Acetaminophen suspension = 160 mg per 5 ml _____ ml
(32 mg per ml) Round to nearest ml.

4. Ibuprofen (Motrin) dose = 5 mg per kilogram q 8 hours prn fever

< 40 kg _____ wt (kg) X 5 mg = _____ mg/dose

≥ 40 kg 200 mg tablet

Ibuprofen suspension = 100 mg per 5 ml _____ ml
(20 mg per ml) Round to nearest ml.

Physician Signature

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