

Drug	Dosage	Form	Dose according to body weight				
			3-< 6 kg	6-< 10 kg	10-< 15 kg	15-< 20 kg	20-29 kg
<b>Quinine</b> (continued)		Oral: quinine sulfate 300-mg tablet	–	–	½	½	1
<b>Note:</b> At 8 h after the start of the loading dose, give the maintenance dose listed here over 2 h. Repeat every 8 h. Give a full dose of oral artemisinin combination therapy treatment when the child is able to take orally to complete treatment.							
<b>Ritonavir</b> (see Lopinavir/ritonavir in separate table for antiretrovirals, p. 373)							
<b>Salbutamol</b>	<b>Inhaler with spacer:</b> two doses contain 200 µg	Metered dose inhaler containing 200 doses					
	Nebulizer: 2.5 mg/dose	5 mg/ml solution, 2.5 mg in 2.5 ml single- dose units					
<b>Silver sulfadiazine:</b> apply topically to area of affected skin							
<b>Spectinomycin</b> For neonatal ophthalmia	IM: 25 mg/kg single dose (max, 75 mg)	2-g vial in 5 ml diluent	0.25 ml	–	–	–	–
<b>Tetracaine, adrenaline, cocaine:</b> Apply topically before painful procedures.							
<b>Tetracycline</b>	12.5 mg/kg four times a day for 3 days	250-mg tablet	–	½	½	1	1
<i>Give to children only for treatment of cholera, because permanently stains teeth.</i>							
<b>Vitamin A</b>	Once a day for 2 days	200 000 IU capsule	–	½	1	1	1
		100 000 IU capsule	½	1	2	2	2
		50 000 IU capsule	1	2	4	4	4
<b>Zidovudine</b> (see separate table for antiretrovirals, p. 372)							