

What to expect after vaccines . . .

For up to 48 hours after receiving a vaccine/vaccines, your child may have the following:

- Fever
- Mild swelling and/or redness at the injection site
- A small knot at the injection site (this may last for several weeks)
- Pain at the injection site that can cause tenderness to touch and/or fussiness
- MMR can cause a fever and/or a fine, red rash up to 2 weeks after the injection
- Varivax (chicken pox vaccine) can cause red bumps around the site of injection and/or a mild rash for up to 4-6 weeks after the injection

Please call our office if your child has any of the following:

1. Fever greater than 104 F
2. Fever lasting more than 48 hours
3. Redness/swelling at the site of injection that lasts more than 48 hours
4. Crying for more than 2 hours at a time
5. Allergic reaction – swelling around the mouth, hives, changes in breathing. Other signs of an allergic reaction may be more localized to the site of the injection, such as swelling, redness, hot to the touch.

TYLENOL (ACETAMINOPHEN) DOSING CHART

Give every 4-6 hours as needed, no more than 5 doses in 24 hours.

Use your child's weight to find the right dose.

WEIGHT	Milligram Dosage	Infant Drops or Children's Liquid 160mg/5ml	Chewable Tablets 80 mg	Junior Strength Tablets 160 mg
5-11 pounds	40 mg	1.25 mL (1/4 tsp)		
12-17 pounds	80 mg	2.5 mL (1/2 tsp)		
18-23 pounds	120 mg	3.75 mL (3/4 tsp)		
24-35 pounds	160 mg	5 mL (1 tsp)	2 Tablets	
36-47 pounds	240 mg	7.5mL (1 ½ tsp)	3 Tablets	
48-59 pounds	320 mg	10 mL (2 tsp)	4 Tablets	2 Tablets
60-71 pounds	400 mg	12.5mL (2 ½ tsp)	5 Tablets	2 ½ Tablets
72-95 pounds	480mg	15 mL (3tsp)	6 Tablets	3 Tablets