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Intubation – prepare ONE size tube above and below recommended size			
ETT size – microcuff	7 mm	NG tube	12 - 14 Fr
Laryngoscope blade	3/4	ICC tube	20 - 28 Fr
ETT at lips – cm	19 cm	LMA	3
ETT at nose – cm	22 cm	IDC	12 Fr

ANAPHYLAXIS		
IM Adrenaline (Epinephrine) 1:1000 (1 mg/mL)		
Dose	Volume	Autoinjector
500 microg	0.5 mL	300 microg

\*Use autoinjector only if adrenaline 1:1000 not available

Resuscitation	Vial concentration	Recommended dose/kg	Preparation		Dose	Final volume to administer	Administration	
			Dilution – Sodium Chloride 0.9%	Final concentration				
Adrenaline (Epinephrine) 1:10 000 (1 mg/10 mL)	100 microg/mL	10 microg/kg	Undiluted	100 microg/mL	450 microg	4.5 mL	Push	
DC shock – VF/ pulseless VT		4 Joule/kg	Round up energy level to next highest setting on defibrillator		180 Joule		Use adult pads	
AmiODAROne (150 mg/3 mL)	50 mg/mL	5 mg/kg	Dilute 6 mL (300 mg) to 30 mL in glucose 5%	10 mg/mL	225 mg	23 mL	Push over 5 mins	
Fluid Bolus		10 mL/kg	Sodium Chloride 0.9%			450 mL	Push	
Fluid Bolus		20 mL/kg	Sodium Chloride 0.9%			900 mL	Push	
Glucose 10%	100 mg/mL	2 mL/kg	Glucose 10%	100 mg/mL		90 mL	Push	
Adenosine (6 mg/2 mL) – 1st dose	3 mg/mL	0.1 mg/kg	Undiluted	3 mg/mL	4.5 mg	1.5 mL	Push via proximal vein or CVL – Follow immediately by a 10 - 20 mL fast flush	
Adenosine (6 mg/2 mL) – 2nd dose	3 mg/mL	0.2 mg/kg			9 mg	3 mL		
Adenosine (6 mg/2 mL) – 3rd dose	3 mg/mL	0.3 mg/kg			12 mg	4 mL		
Synchronised Cardioversion		1 Joule/kg	Round up energy level to next highest setting on defibrillator		45 Joule		Use adult pads	
		2 Joule/kg			90 Joule			
Atropine (600 microg/mL)	600 microg/mL	20 microg/kg	Dilute 1 mL (600 microg) to 6 mL	100 microg/mL	600 microg	6 mL	Push	
Push dose pressors – Doses may be repeated if required								
Adrenaline (Epinephrine) 1:10 000 (1 mg/10 mL)	100 microg/mL	1 microg/kg	Dilute 1 mL (100 microg) to 10 mL	10 microg/mL	45 microg	4.5 mL	Push	
Metaraminol (Syringe 5 mg/10 mL)	500 microg/mL	10 microg/kg	500 microg/mL (10 mL syringe)	500 microg/mL	450 microg	0.9 mL	Push	

Induction agents	Vial concentration	Recommended dose/kg	Dilution – Sodium Chloride 0.9%	Final concentration	Dose	Final volume	Administration
Fentanyl (100 microg/2 mL)	50 microg/mL	2 - 5 microg/kg	Dilute 2 mL (100 microg) to 10 mL	10 microg/mL	90 microg	9 mL	Push over 1 - 3 mins
Ketamine (200 mg/2 mL)	100 mg/mL	1 - 2 mg/kg	Dilute 2 mL (200 mg) to 20 mL	10 mg/mL	45 mg	4.5 mL	Push over 60 secs
PropOFol (200 mg/20 mL)	10 mg/mL	2 - 3 mg/kg	Undiluted	10 mg/mL	90 mg	9 mL	Push over 30 secs
Midazolam	Various strengths	0.1 - 0.2 mg/kg	Dilute to 1 mg/mL regardless of ampoule strength	1 mg/mL	4.5 mg	4.5 mL	Push over 30 secs

Paralytic agents	Vial concentration	Recommended dose/kg	Dilution – Sodium Chloride 0.9%	Final concentration	Dose	Final volume	Administration
Rocuronium (50 mg/5 mL)	10 mg/mL	1.2 mg/kg	Undiluted	10 mg/mL	54 mg	5.4 mL	Push
Suxamethonium (100 mg/2 mL)	50 mg/mL	2 mg/kg	Dilute 2 mL (100 mg) to 10 mL	10 mg/mL	90 mg	9 mL	Push
Vecuronium (10 mg)	10 mg	0.1 mg/kg	Reconstitute vial with 10 mL WFI	1 mg/mL	4.5 mg	4.5 mL	Push

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Reversal agents	Vial concentration	Recommended dose/kg	Preparation		Dose	Final volume to administer	Administration
			Dilution – Sodium Chloride 0.9%	Final concentration			
Sugammadex (200 mg/2 mL) Rocuronium reversal	100 mg/mL	16 mg/kg	Undiluted	100 mg/mL	<b>720 mg</b>	7.2 mL	Push
Flumazenil (500 microg/5 mL) Benzodiazepine reversal	100 microg/mL	5 microg/kg	Undiluted	100 microg/mL	<b>200 microg</b>	2 mL	Push – Every 60 secs Max single dose 200 microg Max total dose 2000 microg
Naloxone (400 microg/mL) Opioid reversal	400 microg/mL	10 microg/kg	Undiluted	400 microg/mL	<b>400 microg</b>	1 mL	Push – Every 2 - 3 mins May be given IM

Respiratory	Vial concentration	Recommended dose/kg	Dilution – Sodium Chloride 0.9%	Final concentration	Dose	Final volume	Administration
Nebulised Adrenaline (Epinephrine) 1:1000	1 mg/mL		Undiluted	1 mg/mL	<b>5 mg</b>	5 mL	Via nebuliser
Dexamethasone (4 mg/mL)	4 mg/mL	0.3 mg/kg	Undiluted	4 mg/mL	<b>12 mg</b>	3 mL	IV or IM
Magnesium Sulfate (10 mmol/5 mL)	2 mmol/mL	0.2 mmol/kg	Dilute 5 mL (10 mmol) to 50 mL	0.2 mmol/mL	<b>9 mmol</b>	45 mL	Infuse over 20 mins
Hydrocortisone (100 mg + 2 mL diluent)	50 mg/mL	4 mg/kg	Reconstitute vial with 2 mL WFI	50 mg/mL	<b>100 mg</b>	2mL	Push over 30 secs or IM
Methylprednisolone (40 mg/mL) sodium succinate	40 mg/mL	1 mg/kg	Dilute 2 mL (80 mg) to 8 mL	10 mg/mL	<b>45 mg</b>	4.5 mL	Push over 5 mins Sodium succinate ONLY
Salbutamol (5 mg/5 mL)	1000 microg/mL	15 microg/kg	Dilute 5 mL (5000 microg) to 100 mL	50 microg/mL	<b>300 microg</b>	6 mL	Load – Infuse over 10 mins
AmiNOPHYLLine (250 mg/10 mL)	25 mg/mL	5 mg/kg	Dilute 10 mL (250 mg) to 50 mL	5 mg/mL	<b>225 mg</b>	45 mL	Load – Infuse over 30 mins

Neurology/seizures	Vial concentration	Recommended dose/kg	Dilution – Sodium Chloride 0.9%	Final concentration	Dose	Final volume	Administration
Midazolam – <b>IV</b>	Various strengths	0.15 mg/kg	Dilute to 1 mg/mL regardless of ampoule strength	1 mg/mL	<b>6.8 mg</b>	6.8 mL	Push
Midazolam – <b>IM</b>	5 mg/mL	0.2 mg/kg	Undiluted	5 mg/mL	<b>9 mg</b>	1.8 mL	IM
Midazolam – <b>Buccal/Nasal</b>	5 mg/mL	0.3 mg/kg	Undiluted	5 mg/mL	<b>10 mg</b>	2 mL	Drip dose into alternate nostrils or inside cheek
Phenytoin (100 mg/2 mL) (250 mg/5 mL)	50 mg/mL	20 mg/kg	Dilute 20 mL (1000 mg) to 100 mL	10 mg/mL	<b>900 mg</b>	90 mL	Infuse over 20 mins *use 0.22 micron filter*
Phenobarbital (200 mg/mL)	200 mg/mL	20 mg/kg	Dilute 5 mL (1000 mg) to 50 mL	20 mg/mL	<b>900 mg</b>	45 mL	Infuse over 20 mins
Levetiracetam (500 mg/5 mL)	100 mg/mL	60 mg/kg	Dilute 30 mL (3000 mg) to 60 mL	50 mg/mL	<b>2700 mg</b>	54 mL	Push over 5 mins
Sodium Valproate (400 mg/4 mL)	100 mg/mL	40 mg/kg	Dilute 20 mL (2000 mg) to 50 mL	40 mg/mL	<b>1800 mg</b>	45 mL	Push over 3 - 5 mins
Mannitol 20%	0.2 g/mL	0.5 g (2.5 mL)/kg	Pre-mixed bag	0.2 g/mL	<b>22.5 g</b>	113 mL	Infuse over 10 mins *use 5 micron filter*
Sodium Chloride 3% – Hypertonic *For raised ICP or hyponatremic seizures*	0.5 mmol/mL	3 mL/kg	Pre-mixed bag	0.5 mmol/mL	<b>135 mL</b>	135 mL	Infuse over 10 mins via central/large vein

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Electrolytes	Vial concentration	Recommended dose/kg	Preparation		Dose	Final volume to administer	Administration
			Dilution – Sodium Chloride 0.9%	Final concentration			
Hypokalaemia (↓ Potassium) Potassium Chloride 10 mmol in 0.29% Sodium Chloride (100 mL)	0.1 mmol/mL	0.3 mmol/kg	Pre-mixed bag	0.1 mmol/mL	<b>13.5 mmol</b>	135 mL	Infuse over 1 hour
Hyperkalaemia (↑ Potassium) Calcium gluconate (2.2 mmol/10 mL)	0.22 mmol/mL	0.11 mmol/kg	Undiluted	0.22 mmol/mL	<b>4.4 mmol</b>	20 mL	Large vein push over 3 - 5 mins DO NOT give with sodium bicarbonate
Salbutamol Nebules	5 mg/2.5 mL	Age based	Dilute to 4 mL	–	<b>5 mg</b>	–	Inhale via nebuliser
Furosemide (20 mg/2 mL)	10 mg/mL	1 mg/kg	Dilute 4 mL (40 mg) to 40 mL	1 mg/mL	<b>40 mg</b>	40 mL	Infuse over 10 mins
Glucose 10% (with insulin below)	See Infusion guide for doses and administration directions.						
Insulin – Actrapid (300 units/3 mL)	In a rare event of cardiac arrest due to hyperkalaemia, Glucose 10% and Insulin may be given more quickly see below						
Hyperkalaemia (Cardiac arrest) Glucose 10%		5 mL/ kg	Use a Glucose 10% bag undiluted	10%	<b>225 mL</b>	225 mL	ARREST dose only. Push over 3 - 5 mins followed by insulin dose
Insulin - Actrapid (300 units/3 mL)	100 units/mL	0.1 units/ kg	Dilute 0.1 mL (10 units) to 10 mL	1 unit/mL	<b>4.5 units</b>	4.5 mL	ARREST dose only. Push over 3 - 5 mins. High risk of hypoglycaemia. Monitor BSL closely
Sodium Bicarbonate 8.4%	1 mmol/mL	1 mmol/kg	Undiluted	1 mmol/mL	<b>45 mmol</b>	45 mL	Large vein push over 5 mins DO NOT mix with other drugs
Resonium A	–	0.25 g/kg	Mix 1 scoop (15 g) with 60 mL water	0.25 g/mL	<b>11.25 g</b>	45 mL	Oral, nasogastric or rectal
Hypocalcaemia – Critical (↓ calcium) Calcium gluconate (2.2 mmol/10 mL)	0.22 mmol/mL	0.11 mmol/kg	Undiluted	0.22 mmol/mL	<b>4.4 mmol</b>	20 mL	Large vein push over 3 - 5 mins DO NOT give with sodium bicarbonate
Hypomagnesaemia or Arrhythmia Magnesium Sulfate (10 mmol/5 mL)	2 mmol/mL	0.2 mmol/kg	Dilute 5 mL (10 mmol) to 50 mL	0.2 mmol/mL	<b>9 mmol</b>	45 mL	<b>Pulse absent</b> – Push over 3 - 5 mins <b>Pulse present</b> – Infuse over 20 mins

Trauma	Vial concentration	Recommended dose/kg	Dilution – Sodium Chloride 0.9%	Final concentration	Dose	Final volume	Administration
Blood – Initial		10 mL/kg			<b>450 mL</b>	450 mL	As clinically indicated
Tranexamic Acid – 1000 mg/10 mL	100 mg/mL	15 mg/kg	Dilute 10 mL (1000 mg) to 100 mL	10 mg/mL	<b>675 mg</b>	68 mL	Infuse over 10 mins
<b>For ongoing bleeding refer to local Massive Haemorrhage Protocol for blood and product replacement</b>							

Analgesia	Vial concentration	Recommended dose/kg	Dilution – Sodium Chloride 0.9%	Final concentration	Dose	Final volume	Administration
Fentanyl – <b>Nasal</b> (100 microg/2 mL) Use Mucosal Atomiser Device (MAD)	50 microg/mL	1.5 microg /kg	Undiluted	50 microg/mL	<b>67.5 microg</b>	1.4 mL	Add 0.1 mL to initial dose to accommodate (MAD) dead space. May repeat after 5 - 10 mins
Fentanyl – <b>IV</b> (100 microg/2 mL)	50 microg/mL	0.5 - 1 microg/kg	Dilute 2 mL (100 microg) to 10 mL	10 microg/mL	<b>22.5 microg</b>	2.3 mL	Dose may be repeated after 5 mins if required
Morphine – <b>IV</b> (10 mg/mL)	10 mg/mL	0.05 - 0.1 mg/kg	Dilute 1 mL (10 mg) to 10 mL	1 mg/mL	<b>2.25 mg</b>	2.3 mL	Dose may be repeated after 5 mins if required

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Analgesia if intraosseous IO drug or fluid administration causes pain	Vial concentration	Recommended dose/kg	Preparation		Dose	Final volume to administer	Administration
			Dilution – Sodium Chloride 0.9%	Final concentration			
Lidocaine 1% IO	10 mg/mL (1%)	0.5 mg/kg	Undiluted	10 mg/mL	<b>22.5 mg</b>	2.3 mL	Instill dose - Follow with 1 mL slow push of Sodium Chloride 0.9% over 1- 2 mins. Allow to dwell for 1 min. Rapid flush with 5 mL. Half original dose can be repeated as above

Antiarrhythmics - only in consultation with a Paediatric Cardiologist	Vial concentration	Recommended dose/kg	Dilution – Sodium Chloride 0.9%	Final concentration	Dose	Final volume	Administration
AmiODAROne (Load) 150 mg/3 mL	See Infusion guide for doses and administration directions						
Esmolol 100 mg/10 mL	10 mg/mL	0.25 - 0.5 mg/kg	Undiluted	10 mg/mL	<b>11 mg</b>	1.1 mL	LOAD – Push over 1 - 2 mins. Continuous infusion may be considered after loading dose
Verapamil 5 mg/2 mL	2.5 mg/mL	0.1 mg/kg	Dilute 2 mL (5 mg) up to 10 mL	0.5 mg/mL	<b>4.5 mg</b>	9 mL	Infuse over 5 - 10 mins

Acute behavioural disturbance Oral	Medication preparation	Recommended dose	Preparation	Final concentration	Dose	Final volume	Administration
Diazepam	Liquid 1 mg/mL 5 mg tablet	0.2 mg/kg	If liquid unavailable dissolve two 5 mg tablets in 10 mL water	1 mg/mL	<b>9 mg</b>	9 mL	If tablet preferred round dose to nearest half or full tablet
Lorazepam	1 mg tablet	1 - 2 mg	Tablet may be dissolved in small volume of water		<b>1 - 2 mg</b>		
Olanzapine	2.5 - 5 mg wafer	5 - 10 mg	Place wafer on top of tongue		<b>5 - 10 mg</b>		Max daily dose not to exceed 20 mg
Risperidone	1 mg/mL liquid or tablets	0.02 - 0.04 mg/kg	If liquid unavailable tablets may be dissolved to make 1 mg/mL solution	1 mg/mL	<b>1 mg</b>	1 mL	Dose has been rounded

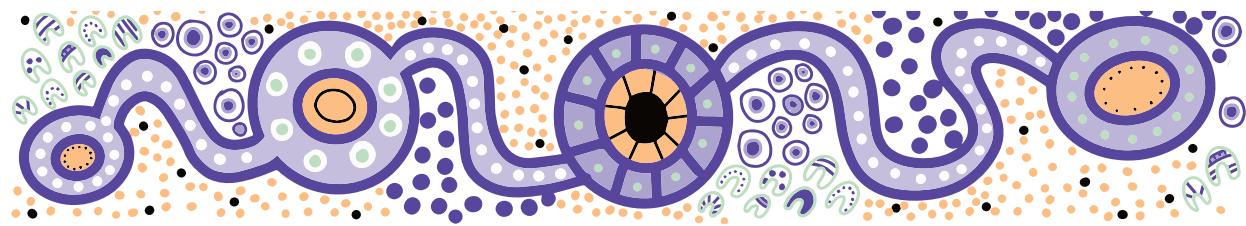
Acute behavioural disturbance IM	Vial concentration	Recommended dose	Preparation	Final concentration	Dose	Final volume	Administration
Droperidol	2.5 mg/mL	0.1 - 0.2 mg/kg	Undiluted	2.5 mg/mL	<b>4.5 mg</b>	1.8 mL	Max single dose not to exceed 10 mg. Total daily dose 0.4 mg/kg not to exceed 20 mg
Olanzapine	10 mg/mL	5 - 10 mg	Reconstitute vial with 2.1 mL WFI	5 mg/mL	<b>5 - 10 mg</b>	1 - 2 mL	Max single dose not to exceed 10 mg. Total daily dose 0.4 mg/kg not to exceed 20 mg

Reversal dystonia	Vial concentration	Recommended dose/kg	Preparation	Final concentration	Dose	Final volume	Administration
Benztropine (Benzatropine) <b>IV or IM</b> 2 mg/2 mL	1 mg/mL	0.02 mg/kg	Undiluted	1 mg/mL	<b>0.9 mg</b>	0.9 mL	IV or IM

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Antimicrobials	Vial concentration	Recommended dose/kg	Preparation		Dose	Dose in mL	Administration - 1st dose
			Dilution – Sodium Chloride 0.9%	Final concentration			
Aciclovir (250 mg/10 mL) (500 mg/20 mL)	25 mg/mL	10 mg/kg	Dilute 20 mL (500 mg) to a final volume of 100 mL	5 mg/mL	<b>450 mg</b>	90 mL	Infuse over 60 mins
Amoxicillin (1 g)	1000 mg	50 mg/kg	Reconstitute 2 x 1 g vials with 5 mL WFI in EACH vial - Withdraw entire volume and further dilute to a final volume of 40 mL	50 mg/mL	<b>2000 mg</b>	40 mL	Infuse over 30 mins. Doses of 100 mg/kg may be required for meningitis
AMPicillin (1 g)	1000 mg	50 mg/kg	Reconstitute 2 x 1 g vials with 5 mL WFI in EACH vial - Withdraw entire volume and further dilute to a final volume of 100 mL	20 mg/mL	<b>2000 mg</b>	100 mL	Infuse over 15 mins. Doses of 100 mg/kg may be required for meningitis
Benzylpenicillin (1.2 g)	1200 mg	60 mg/kg	Reconstitute 2 x 1.2 g vials with 6 mL WFI in EACH vial - Withdraw entire volume and further dilute to a final volume of 40 mL	60 mg/mL	<b>2400 mg</b>	40 mL	Infuse over 30 mins
cefaZOLin (1 g)	1000 mg	50 mg/kg	Reconstitute 2 x 1 g vials with 5 mL WFI in EACH vial - Withdraw entire volume and further dilute to a final volume of 20 mL	100 mg/mL	<b>2000 mg</b>	20 mL	PUSH over 3 - 5 mins
cefOTAXIME (1 g)	1000 mg	50 mg/kg	Reconstitute 2 x 1 g vials with 5 mL WFI in EACH vial - Withdraw entire volume and further dilute to a final volume of 20 mL	100 mg/mL	<b>2000 mg</b>	20 mL	PUSH over 3 - 5 mins
cefOTAXIME <b>Intramuscular</b> (1 g)	1000 mg	50 mg/kg	Reconstitute 2 x 1 g vials with 2.6 mL of WFI in EACH vial	330 mg/mL	<b>2000 mg</b>	6 mL	<b>IM:</b> Max 2 mL per IM injection site
ceFTAZIDIME (2 g)	2000 mg	50 mg/kg	Reconstitute 2 g vial with 10 mL WFI - Withdraw entire volume and further dilute to a final volume of 20 mL	100 mg/mL	<b>2000 mg</b>	20 mL	PUSH over 3 - 5 mins
ceFTRIAXONE (1 g)	1000 mg	50 mg/kg	Reconstitute 2 x 1 g vials with 5 mL WFI in EACH vial - Withdraw entire volume and further dilute to a final volume of 50 mL	40 mg/mL	<b>2000 mg</b>	50 mL	PUSH over 5 mins
ceFTRIAXONE <b>Intramuscular</b> (1 g)	1000 mg	50 mg/kg	Reconstitute 2 x 1 g vials with 2.3 mL Lidocaine 1% in EACH vial	350 mg/mL	<b>2000 mg</b>	5.7 mL	<b>IM:</b> Max 2 mL per IM injection site

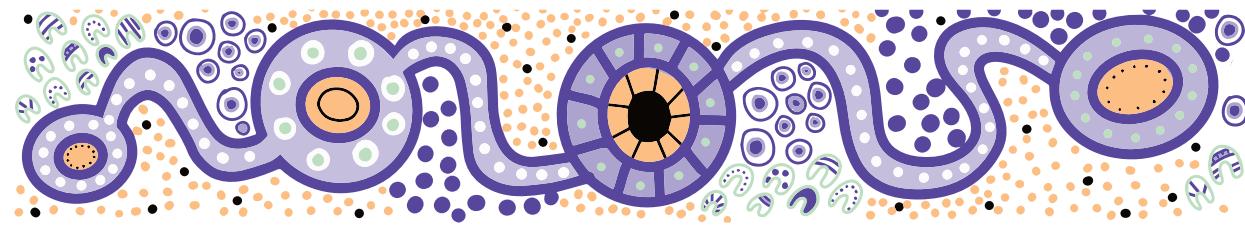
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Antimicrobials	Vial concentration	Recommended dose/kg	Preparation		Dose	Dose in mL	Administration - 1st dose
			Dilution – Sodium Chloride 0.9%	Final concentration			
Ciprofloxacin (200 mg/100 mL)	2 mg/mL	10 mg/kg	Undiluted	2 mg/mL	<b>400 mg</b>	200 mL	Infuse over 60 mins
Clindamycin (600 mg/4 mL)	150 mg/mL	10 mg/kg	Dilute 4 mL (600 mg) to a final volume of 60 mL	10 mg/mL	<b>450 mg</b>	45 mL	Infuse over 30 mins
Flucloxacillin (1 g)	1000 mg	50 mg/kg	Reconstitute 2 x 1 g vials with 5 mL WFI in EACH vial - Withdraw entire volume and further dilute to a final volume of 40 mL	50 mg/mL	<b>2000 mg</b>	40 mL	PUSH over 3 - 5 mins (phlebitis risk) OR Infuse over 30 mins
Gentamicin (80 mg/2 mL)	40 mg/mL	7 mg/kg	Dilute 8 mL (320 mg) to a final volume of 32 mL	10 mg/mL	<b>315 mg</b>	32 mL	Infuse over 30 mins
linCOMYCIN (600 mg/2 mL)	300 mg/mL	15 mg/kg	Dilute 4 mL (1.2 g) to a final volume of 120 mL	10 mg/mL	<b>675 mg</b>	68 mL	Infuse over 60 mins
Meropenem (1 g)	1000 mg	40 mg/kg	Reconstitute 2 x 1 g vials with 5 mL WFI in EACH vial - Withdraw entire volume and further dilute to a final volume of 40 mL	50 mg/mL	<b>1800 mg</b>	36 mL	PUSH over 5 mins
Metronidazole (500 mg/100 mL)	5 mg/mL	7.5 mg/kg	Undiluted	5 mg/mL	<b>337.5 mg</b>	68 mL	Infuse over 20 mins
Piperacillin/Tazobactam (4000 mg - 500 mg)	4000 mg Piperacillin + 500 mg Tazobactam	100 mg/kg	Reconstitute 4 g vial with 20 mL WFI - Withdraw entire volume and further dilute to a final volume of 50 mL	80 mg/mL	<b>4000 mg</b>	50 mL	Infuse over 30 mins. Dose based on Piperacillin component
Vancomycin (1 g)	1000 mg	15 mg/kg	Reconstitute 1 g vial with 5 mL WFI - Withdraw entire volume and further to a final volume of 250 mL	4 mg/mL	<b>675 mg</b>	169 mL	Infuse over 60 - 120 mins

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# Infusions

Drug	Vial concentration	Recommended dose/kg range	Preparation		Final rate range	Administration/route
			Glucose 5% or Sodium Chloride 0.9%	Final concentration		
<b>Inotropes</b>						
Adrenaline (Epinephrine)	1:1000; 1 mg/mL	<b>0.05 to 0.5 microg/kg/min</b>	Dilute <b>1 mL (1 mg)</b> to 50 mL	20 microg/mL	<b>6.8 to 60 mL/hr</b>	IV
<i>Adrenaline (Epinephrine) <u>STRONG</u></i>	<i>1:1000; 1 mg/mL</i>	<i><b>0.05 to 0.5 microg/kg/min</b></i>	<i>Dilute <b>6 mL (6 mg)</b> to 50 mL</i>	<i>120 microg/mL</i>	<i><b>1.1 to 10 mL/hr</b></i>	<i>Central Access</i>
Dobutamine	250 mg/20 mL	<b>2 to 20 microg/kg/min</b>	Dilute <b>6 mL (75 mg)</b> to 50 mL	1.5 mg/mL	<b>3.6 to 36 mL/hr</b>	IV
Noradrenaline (Norepinephrine)	4 mg/4 mL	<b>0.05 to 0.5 microg/kg/min</b>	Dilute <b>1 mL (1 mg)</b> to 50 mL	20 microg/mL	<b>6.8 to 60 mL/hr</b>	IV
<i>Noradrenaline (Norepinephrine) <u>STRONG</u></i>	<i>4 mg/4 mL</i>	<i><b>0.05 to 0.5 microg/kg/min</b></i>	<i>Dilute <b>4 mL (4 mg)</b> to 50 mL</i>	<i>80 microg/mL</i>	<i><b>1.7 to 15 mL/hr</b></i>	<i>Central Access</i>
<b>Antiarrhythmics - only in consultation with a Paediatric Cardiologist</b>						
AmiODAROne <u>LOAD</u>	50 mg/mL	<b>25 microg/kg/min (for 4 hrs)</b>	Dilute <b>2 mL (100 mg)</b> to 50 mL in Glucose 5%	2 mg/mL	<b>Dose 270 mg (135 mL) infuse at 33.8 mL/hr</b>	IV
AmiODAROne [after loading dose]	50 mg/mL	<b>5 to 13.5 microg/kg/min</b>	Dilute <b>2 mL (100 mg)</b> to 50 mL in Glucose 5%	2 mg/mL	<b>6.8 to 18 mL/hr</b>	IV
Esmolol	100 mg/10 mL	<b>50 to 200 microg/kg/min</b>	Undiluted – draw up 50 mL (500 mg)	10 mg/mL	<b>13.5 to 54 mL/hr</b>	IV
<b>Sedation</b>						
Fentanyl	100 microg/2 mL	<b>1 to 3.5 microg/kg/hr</b>	Dilute <b>10 mL (500 microg)</b> to 50 mL	10 microg/mL	<b>4.5 to 15 mL/hr</b>	IV
Ketamine	200 mg/2 mL	<b>5 to 20 microg/kg/min (0.3 to 1.2 mg/kg/hr)</b>	Dilute <b>2 mL (200 mg)</b> to 50 mL	4 mg/mL	<b>3.4 to 13.5 mL/hr</b>	IV
Midazolam <u>STRONG</u>	Various strengths	<b>30 to 120 microg/kg/hr</b>	Dilute <b>50 mg</b> to 50mL	1 mg/mL	<b>1.4 to 5.4 mL/hr</b>	IV
Morphine <u>STRONG</u>	Various strengths	<b>5 to 80 microg/kg/hr</b>	Dilute <b>30 mg</b> to 50mL	0.6 mg/mL	<b>0.4 to 6 mL/hr</b>	IV
PropOFol	200 mg/20 mL	<b>0.3 to 3.5 mg/kg/hr</b>	Undiluted – draw up <b>50 mL (500 mg)</b>	10 mg/mL	<b>1.4 to 15 mL/hr</b>	IV
<b>Diabetic Ketoacidosis</b>						
Insulin (neutral) ACTRAPID	300 units/3 mL	<b>0.05 to 0.1 units/kg/hr</b>	Dilute <b>0.5 mL (50 units)</b> to 50 mL with Sodium Chloride 0.9%	1 unit/mL	<b>2.3 to 4.5 mL/hr</b>	IV
<b>Asthma</b>						
Aminophylline [after loading dose]	250 mg/10 mL	<b>1 mg/kg/hr</b>	Dilute <b>10 mL (250 mg)</b> to 50 mL	5 mg/mL	<b>9 mL/hr</b>	IV
Salbutamol	5 mg/5 mL	<b>0.5 to 1 microg/kg/min</b>	Undiluted – draw up <b>50 mL (50 mg)</b>	1 mg/mL	<b>1.2 to 2.4 mL/hr</b>	IV
<b>Paralytic Agents – only in consultation with Paediatric Intensivist</b>						
Vecuronium	10 mg vial	<b>1 to 3 microg/kg/min</b>	Dilute <b>25 mL (50 mg)</b> to 50 mL	1 mg/mL	<b>2.7 to 8.1 mL/hr</b>	IV
<b>Electrolytes</b>						
<b>Hyperkalaemia</b> Glucose 10% <b>AND</b> ACTRAPID (Insulin neutral)	–	<b>5 mL/kg/hr</b>	Use a glucose 10% bag – Undiluted <i>Administer with Actrapid infusion</i>	10%	<b>225 mL/hr</b>	IV. Run insulin and glucose infusions (concurrently) until K+ within range monitor BSLs
	300 units/3 mL	<b>0.1 units/kg/hr</b>	Dilute <b>0.5 mL (50 units)</b> to 50 mL with Sodium Chloride 0.9% <i>Administer with Glucose infusion</i>	1 unit/mL	<b>4.5 mL/hr</b>	

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