

West of Scotland ORAL/ OTHER ROUTE Drug Monographs

Chlorothiazide

Neonatal

FORM 250mg/5ml oral suspension

INDICATION

1. Diuresis in the management of Bronchopulmonary Dysplasia (BPD)
2. Hyperinsulinism (in combination with Diazoxide)

DOSE RANGE

1. Bronchopulmonary Dysplasia

AGE	DOSE	FREQUENCY	ROUTE
Birth – 6 months	10-20mg/kg	TWICE Daily	Oral

2. Hyperinsulinism

AGE	DOSE	FREQUENCY	ROUTE
Birth – 6 months	3-5mg/kg	TWICE Daily	Oral

CAUTIONS, CONTRA-INDICATIONS AND SIDE EFFECTS

- See Summary of Product Characteristics and most recent edition of BNF for Children (links below)
 - Can cause electrolyte disturbance. Monitor sodium and potassium level.

LICENSED STATUS Unlicensed medicine

LINKS [BNF for Children](#) / [Electronic Medicines Compendium](#)

APPLICABLE POLICIES [West of Scotland Neonatal Guidelines](#):

Consult local policy if applicable

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Dose may vary depending on indication, age, renal function, hepatic function, and concomitant medications. This monograph should be used in conjunction with the package insert, BNF for Children, and Summary of Product Characteristics. For further advice contact your clinical pharmacist or pharmacy department.