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Medication Resources

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At the CAHS the Australian Medical Handbook – Children's Dosing Companion is the preferred reference for paediatric doses and is available online through the CAHS library website.
AMH Children's Dosing Companion (PMH internal access only)

For medications not yet updated in the Australian Medical Handbook – Children's Dosing Companion the following references should be utilised (in order from top to bottom):

- PMH Pharmacy and ChAMPS
- Australian Therapeutic Guidelines (where paediatric doses are available)
- Paediatric Pharmocopeia, BNF for Children

Internal access is also available to other medication resources via the Child and Adolescent Health Service Library and Information Service – Drug Information

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