Appendix 1 - Table for confirming acetylcysteine dose and calculating volume (200 mg/mL ampoules) for adding to bag

Acetylcysteine 2 g (2,000 mg) in 10 mL ampoules (20 % solution = 200 mg/mL), must be diluted prior to use. Volumes vary between bag 1 and bag 2, and adults and paediatrics – see relevant references.

This table is outlining examples, doses may be rounded UP to the nearest 10 kg (maximum weight 110 kg) for ease of calculation.

Actual Bodyweight	_	Second bag <u>Standard</u> Dose (1000 mL)	
(kg)	200 mg/kg	100 mg/kg	200 mg/kg
(Max wt 110 kg)	(volume from acetylcysteine	(volume from acetylcysteine	(volume from acetylcysteine
	00 mg/mL ampoules to be added)		200 mg/mL ampoules to be added)
40	8 g = 8,000 mg	4 g = 4,000 mg	8 g = 8,000 mg
	(40 mL)	(20 mL)	(40 mL)
45	9 g = 9,000 mg	4.5 g = 4,500 mg	9 g = 9,000 mg
	(45 mL)	(22.5 mL)	(45 mL)
50	10 g = 10,000 mg	5 g = 5,000 mg	10 g = 10,000 mg
	(50 mL)	(25 mL)	(50 mL)
55	11 g = 11,000 mg	5.5 g = 5,500 mg	11 g = 11,000 mg
	(55 mL)	(27.5 mL)	(55 mL)
60	12 g = 12,000 mg	6 g = 6,000 mg	12 g = 12,000 mg
	(60 mL)	(30 mL)	(60 mL)
65	13 g = 13,000 mg	6.5 g = 6,500 mg	13 g = 13,000 mg
	(65 mL)	(32.5 mL)	(65 mL)
70	14 g = 14,000 mg	7 g = 7,000 mg	14 g = 14,000 mg
	(70 mL)	(35 mL)	(70 mL)
75	15 g = 15,000 mg	7.5 g = 7,500 mg	15 g = 15,000 mg
	(75 mL)	(37.5 mL)	(75 mL)
80	16 g = 16,000 mg	8 g = 8,000 mg	16 g = 16,000 mg
	(80 mL)	(40 mL)	(80 mL)
85	17 g = 17,000 mg	8.5 g = 8,500 mg	17 g = 17,000 mg
	(85 mL)	(42.5 mL)	(85 mL)
90	18 g = 18,000 mg	9 g = 9,000 mg	18 g = 18,000 mg
	(90 mL)	(45 mL)	(90 mL)
95	19 g = 19,000 mg	9.5 g = 9,500 mg	19 g = 19,000 mg
	(95 mL)	(47.5 mL)	(95 mL)
100	20 g = 20,000 mg	10 g = 10,000 mg	20 g = 20,000 mg
	(100 mL)	(50 mL)	(100 mL)
105	21 g = 21,000 mg	10.5 g = 10,500 mg	21 g = 21,000 mg
	(105 mL)	(52.5 mL)	(105 mL)
110 or greater	22 g = 22,000 mg	11 g = 11,000 mg	22 g = 22,000 mg
	(110 mL)	(55 mL)	(110 mL)

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