

# HNE AREA Intensive Care

## Paediatric Drug infusion Guideline

Approved For: JHH ICU only

### Flucloxacillin

**Trade Name:**

**Presentation:** 1g vial.

**Indications:** For treating staphylococcal infections

**Administration;**

- Reconstitute 1 g vial with 20 mL of water for injection giving a concentration of 50 mg per mL.
- Final concentration of the bolus should be no greater than 50 mg/mL.
- Administer prescribed dose as a bolus over 5 minutes.
- For doses greater than 25 mg per kg, consider continuous infusion.

**Dose** 25 mg per kg dose 6th hourly, severe infection 50 mg per kg per dose 6th hourly. (Max 2 g)

**Precautions**

- Should not be administered simultaneously with other antibiotics.
- High sodium content.

**Compatibilities:** After reconstitution compatible with Saline, Glucose (paediatric combinations of both) and Hartman's Solution

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