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Emergency Regimen (10% Carbohydrate) For children under 1 year of age

This emergency regimen should be given if your child becomes unwell e.g. diarrhoea, vomiting, high temperature or any illness associated with loss of appetite.

- Give the emergency regimen of regular glucose polymer drinks
- Drinks should be given every 2 hours (day & night)
- If your child does not tolerate the emergency regimen contact your doctor or the hospital as soon as possible.
- After 24 hours of being on the emergency regimen the usual diet can be reintroduced, taking extra glucose polymer drinks during the day until the normal diet is resumed.
- If your child is still unwell after 24 hours contact your local hospital.

Feeding volumes (The volume given will change at different ages as your child gains weight)	
3kg = 3.5kg =	40ml every 2 hours day & night 45ml every 2 hours day & night
4kg = 4.5kg =	50ml every 2 hours day & night 55ml every 2 hours day & night
5kg = 5.5kg =	60ml every 2 hours day & night 65ml every 2 hours day & night
6kg = 6.5kg =	70ml every 2 hours day & night 75ml every 2 hours day & night
8kg =	80ml every 2 hours day & night
9kg =	90ml every 2 hours day & night
13kg =	100ml every 2 hours day & night

Recipes

Recipe using S.O.S - 10 powder

This is made up according to the instructions on the box. 1 sachet of S.O.S -10 is made up to 200ml with cooled, boiled water

Recipe using Maxijul* powder

(always use <u>level</u> scoops)

<u>Smaller volume</u> recipe

5 yellow scoops of Maxijul
made up to 200ml using cooled,
boiled water.

Larger volume recipe
4 big blue scoops Maxijul
made up to 1000ml using cooled,
boiled water

or 132g sachet Maxijul made up to 1200ml using cooled, boiled water.

Recipe using Dioralyte

(this might be prescribed for an illness where diarrhoea is present)

1 sachet Dioralyte 200ml cooled, boiled water

4 yellow scoops of Maxijul or 4 yellow scoops of powder from the SOS sachet

Give volumes according to weight (see previous page)

^{*} Polycose, Caloreen, Vitajoule, Polycal are alternatives to Maxijul