

**RACEMIC EPINEPHRINE-PEDIATRIC**

<b>THERAPEUTIC EFFECTS</b>	A potent alpha and beta stimulant containing equal amounts of the D- and L- isomers of <b>epinephrine</b> . When administered via inhalation, it reduces upper airway edema associated with stridor in pediatric patients with viral croup.					
<b>INDICATIONS</b>	Severe pediatric respiratory distress with stridor.					
<b>CONTRAINDICATIONS</b>	Not indicated for use in adult patients.					
<b>PRECAUTIONS/SIDE EFFECTS</b>	Should not be used instead of assisted ventilation in patients with obvious respiratory failure. Tachycardia likely to result. The effects are temporary and a resurgence of symptoms may occur from minutes to hours after treatment.					
<b>PEDIATRIC DOSAGE/ROUTE</b>	Administered via small volume nebulizer: <table border="1" data-bbox="594 1016 1414 1201" style="width: 100%; border-collapse: collapse;"> <thead> <tr> <th data-bbox="594 1016 1003 1087" style="text-align: center;"><b>PT &gt; 2 YR</b></th> <th data-bbox="1003 1016 1414 1087" style="text-align: center;"><b>PT &lt; 2 YR</b></th> </tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr> <td data-bbox="594 1087 1003 1201" style="text-align: center;">0.5 ml (2.25%) diluted in 3 ml NS.</td> <td data-bbox="1003 1087 1414 1201" style="text-align: center;">0.25 ml (2.25%) diluted in 3 ml NS.</td> </tr> </tbody> </table>		<b>PT &gt; 2 YR</b>	<b>PT &lt; 2 YR</b>	0.5 ml (2.25%) diluted in 3 ml NS.	0.25 ml (2.25%) diluted in 3 ml NS.
<b>PT &gt; 2 YR</b>	<b>PT &lt; 2 YR</b>					
0.5 ml (2.25%) diluted in 3 ml NS.	0.25 ml (2.25%) diluted in 3 ml NS.					