

DIAZEPAM (VALIUM®)

THERAPEUTIC EFFECTS	CNS depressant that induces amnesia and reduces the incidence and recurrence of seizures.
INDICATIONS	Major motor seizures secondary to nerve agent exposure or organophosphate poisoning.*
CONTRAINDICATIONS	Hypersensitivity to Diazepam. Relative Contraindications: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ✓ Respiratory depression ✓ Hypotension
PRECAUTIONS/SIDE EFFECTS	Due to a short half-life of the drug, seizure activity may recur. Watch for respiratory depression.
ADULT DOSAGE/ROUTE	5-10 mg IM/IV, MDV, or MARK 1.
PEDIATRIC DOSAGE/ROUTE	Infant (0-3 years or < 13 kg): 0.2-0.5 mg/kg IM/IV (1.25-5 mg MDV) Child (3-10 years or 13-25 kg): 0.2-0.5 mg/kg IM/IV (2.5-10 mg MDV or MARK 1)
ELDERLY/FRAIL	1.25-10 mg IM/IV, MDV, or MARK 1.

*Contact AMR Dispatch for Mark 1 kits (509-323-8888).