

Kidney transplantation, rejection prophylaxis

Adults:

→ Oral, IV: 1 to 2 mg/kg once daily as part of an appropriate combination regimen [1]

Pediatrics:

→ Limited data available: IV, Oral: Initial: 3 to 5 mg/kg/dose once daily, beginning at the time of transplant; maintenance: 1 to 3 mg/kg/dose once daily. [2]

[1]- Cristelli MP, Tedesco-Silva H, Medina-Pestana JO, Franco MF. Safety profile comparing azathioprine and mycophenolate in kidney transplant recipients receiving tacrolimus and corticosteroids. Transplant Infect Dis. 2013;15(4):369-378. doi:10.1111/tid.12095[PubMed 23701592]

[2]- Denfield SW, "Strategies to Prevent Cellular Rejection in Pediatric Heart Transplant Recipient Paediatr Drugs, 2010, 12(6):391-403.[PubMed 21028918]