

Weight /Age Chart

The weight /age chart lists estimated ages of the Broselow[®]-Luten Zones.

The purpose of the weight/age chart is to allow providers to estimate the Broselow-Luten Color Zone in situations where the patient cannot be measured immediately with a Broselow Pediatric Emergency Reference Tape, thus allowing medication preparation and equipment selection in advance. Examples include EMS providers prior to arrival to the scene and ED staff prior to patient arrival to the ED. The estimated zone should be confirmed with a tape measurement when patient contact is made.

Broselow®-Luten Zones

It is *always preferable* to measure the patient using a Broselow® Pediatric Emergency Reference Tape to determine the color zone.

For situations in which the child cannot be measured, patient age may be used to select the zone.

Zone	Patient weight	Age
3 kg, 4 kg, and 5 kg zones	3 kg, 4 kg, and 5 kg	< 3 mos
Pink	6–7 kg	3–5 mos
Red	8–9 kg	6–11 mos
Purple	10–11 kg	12–24 mos
Yellow	12–14 kg	2 yrs
White	15–18 kg	3–4 yrs
Blue	19–23 kg	5–6 yrs
Orange	24–29 kg	7–9 yrs
Green	30–36 kg	10–11 yrs

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