

Initial Starting Heparin Drip Rates Based on Weight

DVT/PE Heparin **Initial Weight-Based Rates** (max rate 1800 units/hr)

Weight (kg)	Rate in units/kg/hr
< 103 kg	18 units/kg/hr
103-109	17 units/kg/hr
110-116	16 units/kg/hr
117-124	15 units/kg/hr
125-133	14 units/kg/hr
134-144	13 units/kg/hr
145-156	12 units/kg/hr
157-171	11 units/kg/hr
172-189	10 units/kg/hr
190-211	9 units/kg/hr
212-240	8 units/kg/hr
241-276	7 units/kg/hr

Cardiac Indication Heparin **Initial Weight-Based Rates** (max rate 1000 units/hr)

Weight (kg)	Rate in units/kg/hr
<87 kg	12 units/kg/hr
87-95	11 units/kg/hr
96-105	10 units/kg/hr
106-117	9 units/kg/hr
118-133	8 units/kg/hr
134-153	7 units/kg/hr
154-181	6 units/kg/hr
182-222	5 units/kg/hr
223-285	4 units/kg/hr

Ischemic Stroke Indication Heparin **Initial Weight-Based Rates** (max rate 1000 units/hr)

Weight (kg)	Rate in units/kg/hr
<87 kg	12 units/kg/hr
87-95	11 units/kg/hr
96-105	10 units/kg/hr
106-117	9 units/kg/hr
118-133	8 units/kg/hr
134-153	7 units/kg/hr
154-181	6 units/kg/hr
182-222	5 units/kg/hr
223-285	4 units/kg/hr