

calcium chloride

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Indications: Hypocalcemia, hyperkalemia, magnesium sulfate overdose, calcium channel blocker overdose, therapy treatment for insect bites and stings.

Contraindications: Hypercalcemia, V-fib, digitalis toxicity.

Dose: Adult: 500 mg to 1,000 mg (5-10 mL of a 10% solution) IV/IO push. Pediatric: 20 mg/kg (0.2 mL/kg) slow IV/IO push. Max 1 g dose; may repeat in 10 min.