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GUANIMYCIN contains two powerful antibacterials — streptomycin and sulphaguanidine.

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Sulphaguanidine is an established sulphonamide for the treatment of acute diarrhoeal illness and has a different mode of action from that of streptomycin.

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Guanimycin is stocked by the pharmacist as a free-flowing powder in bottles to prepare 4 fluid ounces of a smooth palatable, homogeneous suspension. Each fluid ounce contains 0.25 g streptomycin sulphate, 2 g sulphaguanidine, and 2 g kaolin.

DOSAGE AND ADMINISTRATION

Guanimycin is administered orally, commencing at the earliest possible moment. Adequate fluid intake must be maintained especially in the dehydrated patient, and normal routine non-specific treatment must be carried out.

Adults: One fluid ounce should be given four times a day at four hourly intervals, before food.

Children : $\frac{1}{2}$ fluid ounce every 3 or 4 hours.

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