

Warfarin Dose Adjustment Guide

INR 1.5 - 2.0	INR 2.0 - 3.0	INR 2.5 - 3.5	Warfarin dose adjustment
	1.0 - 1.4	1.0 - 1.4	Contact the KIDCLOT Service (call locating).
		1.5 - 1.8	↑ 20%
1.0 - 1.4	1.5 - 1.9	1.9 - 2.4	↑ 10%
1.5 - 2.4	2.0 - 3.0	2.5 - 3.5	YAHOO! No change.
	3.1 - 4.0	3.6 - 4.0	↓ 10%
2.5 - 3.5	4.1 - 4.5	4.1 - 4.5	Take one dose at 50% less than last dose. Then restart at 10% less than your previous dose.
3.6 - 4.5	>4.5	>4.5	No bleeding → Hold 1 dose. Contact your KIDCLOT doctor or nurse. Evaluate DIMEE.

Guidelines for when to test your INR	Warfarin dose adjustment
Out of range (adjust dose)	Check INR in 5-7 days
In range	Check INR in one week
In range weekly two weeks in a row	Check INR in 2 weeks
In range for biweekly two weeks in a row	Check INR in 3 weeks
In range at 3 weeks	Check INR in 4 weeks

Please note: These are guidelines ONLY. It is ALWAYS safer to test more often if your INR is changing. Test weekly until stable.