**Guide for Maximum Amounts of Blood to Be Drawn from Patients Younger than Age 14** 

Patient's Weight		Maximum amount to be drawn at any one time (mL)
Pounds	Kilograms	
6 - 8	2.7 - 3.6	2.5
8 - 10	3.6 - 4.5	3.5
10 - 15	4.5 - 6.8	5
16 - 40	7.3 - 18.2	10
41 - 60	18.6 - 27.3	20
61 - 65	27.7 - 29.5	25
66 - 100	30.0 - 45.5	30

Reference: Phlebotomy Handbook: Blood Specimen Collection from Basic to Advanced / Diane Garza and

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