




#WorthTheWeight Campaign

Did you know that more than 40% of fatal medication errors can be traced to dosing errors? You can join the movement to reduce the potential for dosing errors by making the transition from weighing patients in pounds to kilograms.

In Wisconsin, 76% of EDs weigh and document kids in #kilos. Together, we can “tip the scales” to get this to 100%!

How you may ask? Follow a few simple steps below!

1. Print the [#WorthTheWeight Scale](#) and fill in with your EDs name
2. Get your ED team together and snap a picture holding the sign
3. Share your picture with Children’s Health Alliance of Wisconsin at chaw@childrenswi.org or post on social using #WorthTheWeight and the copy below (don’t forget to tag @chawisconsin in your picture)

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<p>At <insert hospital name>, we weigh kids in #kilos!</p> <p>Standardizing all weights in kilograms helps to reduce errors caused by converting measurements from one system to another – helping our ED staff treat pediatric patients more safely and effectively. #WorthTheWeight #KeepItKilos</p> <p>Join the movement: https://www.chawisconsin.org/download/worth-the-weight-scale/?wpdmdl=17269&masterkey=64dfe568e3e68</p>	 <p><i>*Fill in your ED name before posting to social!</i></p>

Together we can provide the best care for Wisconsin’s kids!