



CLONIDINE 10 mcg/mL ORAL SUSPENSION

Date Prepared: ____ / ____ / 20____

LOT: NS _____

Expiry Date: ____ / ____ / 20____

Final Checked By: _____

INGREDIENTS	MFR	LOT #	EXPIRY DATE	FORMULA QUANTITY	QUANTITY USED	PREPARED	CHECKED
Clonidine 0.1 mg tablet	Apotex/ novo			10 tablets			
Ora-Blend	Paddock			QS to 100 mL			

Risk Summary:

Always follow policies & procedures for risk assessment/NAPRA level as determined by your own pharmacy department.

Equipment and PPE:

- Mortar and pestle
- Graduated cylinder
- Glass stirring rod
- Standard CHEO Level B PPE (hair bonnet, mask, +/- beard cover, clean gown and nitrile gloves)

Procedure:

Always follow departments training protocols and policies and procedures that are currently in place.

1. Place tablets in mortar and pour a small amount of vehicle over the tablets before levigating.
2. Using the pestle, levigate tablets to create a smooth paste.
3. Continue to levigate, adding vehicle in small amounts until the product is liquid enough to transfer to a graduated cylinder.
4. Rinse mortar several times with vehicle and add product to the graduated cylinder.
5. QS to final volume with vehicle.
6. Stir well and transfer to amber bottle. Label bottle appropriately.
7. Before washing, rinse equipment into medication disposal bin, and not directly into sink.

Quality Control:

- Final Appearance: White granular suspension
- Packaging: amber plastic bottles
- Storage & BUD: 91 days in refrigerator or room temperature

Sample Label:



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SHAKE WELL. Room Temperature /Refrigerate

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Reference(s):

Ma C, Decarie D, Ensom M. Stability of clonidine suspension in oral plastic syringes. American Journal of Health-System Pharmacy April 15, 2014 vol. 71 no. 8 657-661

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