

# Michigan Collaborative Standardization of Compounded Oral Liquids

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<b>Drug name:</b>	<b>Acetazolamide</b>	<b>Dosage Form:</b>	Suspension
<b>Concentration:</b>	25 mg/ml	<b>Shelf Life:</b>	60 days
<b>Route:</b>	Oral	<b>Storage:</b>	Refrigerate or Room temp
<b>Volume:</b>	500 ml	<b>Auxiliary Labeling:</b>	Shake Well

Ingredients	QS	Quantity	Units
Acetazolamide 250 mg tablets		50	tablets
Ora-Blend or substitute Ora-Plus/Ora-Sweet	Y	500	mLs

## Directions:

1. Crush tablets in a mortar and pestle and triturate to a fine powder.
2. Add a minimal amount of vehicle and mix well to form a viscous, but smooth and uniform paste.
3. Continue adding vehicle in geometric portions, mixing well.
4. Transfer to graduate.
5. Rinse mortar and pestle with vehicle.
6. QS to final volume with vehicle. Stir well.

## Notes:

- Final product is a thick, white suspension resembling milk; cherry odor.

## References:

- Allen LV, Erickson MA. Am J Health Sys Pharm. 1998; 53: 1944-9.

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