

Michigan Collaborative Standardization of Compounded Oral Liquids

Drug name:	Bethanechol	Dosage Form:	Suspension
Concentration:	5 mg/ml	Shelf Life:	60 days
Route:	Oral	Storage:	Refrigerate or Room temp
Volume:	120 ml	Auxiliary Labeling:	Shake Well

Ingredients	QS	Quantity	Units
Bethanechol 10 mg		60	tablets
Ora-Blend or substitute Ora-Plus/Ora-Sweet	Y	120	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. QS to final volume with vehicle. Stir well.

Notes:

- If using Ora-Sweet and Ora-Plus, Mix 60 mL of Ora-Sweet with 60 mL of Ora-Plus and shake well before use
- May substitute base with cherry syrup.

References:

- Allen LV, Erickson MA. Am J Health Sys Pharm. 1998; (55): 1804-09.

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