

# Michigan Collaborative Standardization of Compounded Oral Liquids

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<b>Drug name:</b>	<b>Venlafaxine</b>	<b>Dosage Form:</b>	Suspension
<b>Concentration:</b>	15 mg/ml	<b>Shelf Life:</b>	28 days
<b>Route:</b>	Oral	<b>Storage:</b>	Refrigerate or room temp
<b>Volume:</b>	100 ml	<b>Auxiliary Labeling:</b>	Shake Well

Ingredients	QS	Quantity	Units
Venlafaxine 75 mg extended release tablets		20	tablets
Ora-Plus/Ora-Sweet	Y	50/50	mLs

## Directions:

1. Crush tablets in a mortar and pestle and triturate to a fine powder.
2. Combine 50 mLs of each Ora-Plus & Ora-Sweet.
3. Add vehicle and mix well to form a viscous, but smooth and uniform paste.
4. Continue adding vehicle in geometric portions, mixing well.
5. Transfer to graduate.
6. Rinse mortar and pestle with vehicle and transfer to graduate.
7. QS to final volume with vehicle. Stir well.

**Notes:** may substitute simple syrup for Ora-Plus/Ora-Sweet

## References:

- Donnelly RF, Wong K, Goddard R, et al. Intern J Compounding Pharm. 2011;15(1);81-4.

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