



Pharmacy

Drug Name	Route	Dosage Form	Concentration
Flucytosine (High Conc.)	Oral	Suspension	50mg/mL

Formula Qty: 60mL	Shelf Life: 90 days
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Equipment needed: Mortar, pestle, graduated conical, stirring rod

Auxiliary labeling/Storage: Shake Well; Refrigerate (preferred) or Room Temperature
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<p>Directions:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Empty capsules into mortar and triturate to a fine powder. 2. Wet the powder with a minimal amount of vehicle and levigate to form a viscous, but smooth and uniform paste. 3. Add vehicle geometrically, mixing well after each addition. 4. Pour into graduate. 5. Rinse mortar with vehicle, adding rinse to graduate, until almost final volume. 6. QS with vehicle to final volume. Stir well. <p>Final Product Description: Thick, semi-opaque, white suspension. Cherry scent. <i>This description is for exact products and manufacturers specified below and may vary with substitutions</i></p>
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Ingredients	QS	Quantity	Units
Flucytosine 500mg Capsules <i>ICN</i>		6	capsule
Ora-Blend SF (or 1:1 Ora-Plus/Ora-Sweet SF) <i>Paddock</i>	X	60	mL

Citations/References
VandenBussche HL, Johnson CE, Yun J, Patel SA. Stability of Flucytosine 50mg/ml in extemporaneously oral liquid formulations. American Journal of Health System Pharmacists. 2002; 59(Oct): 1853-1855.

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