**Drug Name**: Rifabutin  
**Route**: Oral  
**Dosage Form**: Suspension  
**Concentration**: 20mg/mL

**Formula Qty**: 60mL  
**Shelf Life**: 84 days

**Equipment needed**:  
Mortar, pestle, graduated cylinder, stirring rod

**Auxiliary Labels/Storage**: Shake Well; Refrigerate OR Room Temperature

**Directions**:
1. Empty contents of capsules into a mortar and triturate to a fine powder.
2. Wet powder with a minimal amount of vehicle and levigate to form a viscous, but smooth and uniform paste.
3. Continue adding vehicle, geometrically, mixing well after each addition.
4. Transfer to a graduate.
5. Rinse mortar with vehicle, adding rinse to graduate.
6. QS to final volume with vehicle. Stir well.

**Ingredients**

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**Citations/References**


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