

Children's Hospital of Eastern Ontario Pharmacy Department

Sotalol 5 mg/mL Oral Suspension

Date Prepared: / 20	LOT: NS
Expiry Date: / / 20	Final Checked By:

INGREDIENTS	MFR	LOT#	EXPIRY DATE	FORMULA QUANTITY	QUANTITY USED	PREPARED	CHECKED
Sotalol 80 mg tablets	BMS/NOVO/ PMS/ APO			1 tablet			
Ora-Blend				QS to 16 mL			

Risk Summary:

Always follow policies & procedures for risk assessment/NAPRA level as determined by your own pharmacy department.

Equipment and PPE:

- Mortar and pestle
- Graduated cylinder
- Glass stirring rod
- Standard CHEO Level B PPE (hair bonnet, mask, +/- beard cover, clean gown and nitrile gloves)

Procedure:

Always follow departments training protocols and policies and procedures that are currently in place.

- 1. Place tablets in mortar and pour a small amount of vehicle over the tablets before levigating. Allow to soak for about 60 minutes.
- **2.** Using the pestle, levigate tablets to create a smooth paste.
- **3.** Continue to levigate, adding vehicle in small amounts until the product is liquid enough to transfer to a graduated cylinder.
- **4.** Rinse mortar several times with vehicle and add product to the graduated cylinder.
- 5. QS to final volume with vehicle.
- **6.** Stir well and transfer to amber bottle. Label bottle appropriately.
- 7. Before washing, rinse equipment into medication disposal bin, and not directly into sink.

Quality Control:

- Final Appearance: tablets can be blue, but overall the suspension is still opaque, whitish.
- Packaging: amber plastic bottles.
- Storage & BUD: 60 days refrigerated or at room temperature.

Sample Label:



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SHAKE WELL. Refrigerate or Room Temperature.

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Reference(s):

• Nahata MC, Morosco RS. Stability of Sotalol in two liquid formulations at two temperatures. Ann Pharmacother 2003; 37: 506-9.

Formulation Review:

Master Formula Revision Dates: 16 Nov 06; Aug. 2018; June 2021.