

Children's Hospital of Eastern Ontario Pharmacy Department

CHOLESTYRAMINE 5% topical OINTMENT

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

INGREDIENTS	MFR	LOT#	EXPIRY DATE	FORMULA QUANTITY	QUANTITY USED	PREPARED	CHECKED
Cholestyramine powder (sugar-free)	PMS*			10 g			
Aquaphor ® ointment	Beiersdorf			80 g			
Sterile water (for irrigation or injection)				80 mL			

^{*}DO NOT SUBSTITUTE WITH ANOTHER BRAND

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
- Ointment pad
- Spatula
- 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. Combine cholestyramine and water in mortar, mix with pestle to yield an orange liquid.
- 2. Put Aquaphor® ointment onto ointment pad, gradually add in cholestyramine liquid to combine.
- 3. Transfer into ointment pots.

Quality Control:

- Final Appearance: Smooth, pale orange colour
- Packaging: white ointment pots
- Storage & BUD: 6 months refrigerated
- NOTE: CHOLESTYRAMINE POWDER 5 g = CHOLESTYRAMINE RESIN 4 g

Sample Label:

Children's Hospital of Eastern Ontario Cholestyramine 5% topical ointment Refrigerate. For external use only.

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Reference(s):

• White CM, Gailey RA, Lippe S. Cholestyramine ointment to treat buttocks rash and anal excoriation in an infant. Ann Pharmacother 1996;30: 954-6.

Formulation Review:

• Master Sheet Revision Dates: 5Jan07.