

pess	pessus	pessary
pig	pigmentum	a paint
ppt	praecipitatus	precipitated
pr	per rectum	rectally
prn	pro re nata	when required
pulv	pulvis	a powder
pv	per vagina	vaginally
qds/qid	quarter die	four times a day
qqh/q4h	quarta quaque hora	every 4 hours
qs	quantum sufficiat	sufficient
R	recipe	take
rep/rept	repetatur	let it be repeated
sig	signa	let it be labelled
solv	solve	dissolve
sos	si opus sit	when necessary
stat	statim	immediately
supp	suppositorium	suppository
syr	syrupus	syrup
tds/tid	ter in die	three times a day
tinct	tinctura	tincture
tuss urg	tussi urgente	when the cough is troublesome
ung	unguentum	ointment
ut dict/ud	ut dictum	as directed
vap	vapor	an inhalation

Appendix 3

Formulae contents

The following lists, in alphabetical order, official product formulae contained in this book. The source of each formula is included with its entry.

Alkaline Gentian Mixture BP	19
Ammonium Chloride Mixture BP	24
Calamine and Coal Tar Ointment BP	113
Cetrimide Cream BP	95
Cetrimide Emulsifying Ointment BP	189
Chalk Mixture Paediatric BP	51
Compound Bismuth Subgallate Suppositories BP	145
Compound Magnesium Trisilicate Oral Powder BP	157
Compound Zinc Paste BP	124
Dimeticone Cream BPC	185
Dithranol Paste BP	129
Glycerol Suppositories BP	139
Liquid Paraffin Emulsion BP	84
Magnesium Carbonate Mixture BPC	173
Magnesium Trisilicate Mixture BP	46