



## **SUGGESTED FORMULA**

Chloral Hydrate 100mg in Polyethylene Glycol (1000/3350) Suppositories

Version number: 1.0

Volume or quantity: #24 Suppositories

| Chloral Hydrate                       | 2.4gm |  |
|---------------------------------------|-------|--|
| Polyethylene Glycol 1000, NF (PO118)* | 75gm  |  |
| Polyethylene Glycol 3350, NF (PO125)* | 25gm  |  |

<sup>\*</sup>It is important to calibrate the suppositories molds you are using and adjust formulation accordingly.

This formulation is based on a mold that holds approximately 4.2gm

## **SUGGESTED COMPOUNDING PROCEDURES**

- 1. Calculate the required quantity of each ingredient for the total amount to be prepared
- 2. Accurately weigh and/or measure each ingredient
- 3. Melt the Polyethylene Glycol's to about 55°C mixing well
- 4. Triturate the Chloral Hydrate to a powder with a mortar and pestle; Chloral Hydrate melts about 55°C and should melt with ease
- 5. Sprinkle the powder on the melted base and stir until thoroughly mixed
- 6. Pour into previously calibrated molds and allow to cool
- 7. Package and Label
- 8. Suggested Quality assessments
  - a. % variability & % deviation from theoretical <10% (remake if >10%)
  - b. Surface appearance and feel
  - c. Melting test
  - d. Quantity
  - e. Label auxiliary labels, storage, BUD, compounded medication

## Package in air tight, light resistant containers and Store Refrigerated

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Beyond-Use Dates of preparations are conservative estimates from reference books, peer-reviewed literature, and intended duration of therapy, formulation from commercially available products, organoleptic observations and current USP guidelines. Compounders may have stability studies performed by a reputable laboratory if they wish to extend the Beyond-Use Date. It is recommended that you follow USP <795> recommendations for potency testing.

Beyond-Use Date estimated to be 6 Months per CompoundingToday.com Formula#2031

## **Precautions:**

Precautions should be taken to prevent cross-contamination and exposure of ingredients to the compounder and contamination of the preparation by the compounder. Wear appropriate protective equipment. Use safety enclosures (hoods) when weighing and mixing

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