

**SUGGESTED FORMULA****Budesonide 0.5mg/Liter Nasal Rinse**

Version number: 1.0

Volume: 1000 mL

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Budesonide, USP	0.5 mg*
Alcohol, 190 Proof, USP (ET108)	160 mL
Sterile Water for Irrigation, USP	1000mL Q.S.

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\*Note: Preparation volume may need to be greater to permit a weighable quantity, depending on balance sensitivity.

Note: Alcohol, 190 Proof in concentrations of 10% and above are considered self-preserving.

Note: Not for pediatric use.

**SUGGESTED COMPOUNDING PROCEDURES**

1. In pre-calibrated container, dissolve Budesonide in alcohol and mix.
2. Slowly add the Sterile Water for Irrigation with stirring and bring to final volume (do not add the water all at once).
3. Quality Assessments:
  - a. Weight to Volume calculation
  - b. Clarity
  - c. Color

Store in air tight containers

Store Refrigerated

No claims are made as to the safety or efficacy of this preparation. This formulation is provided solely at the unsolicited request of the pharmacist.

Beyond-Use Dates of preparations are conservative estimates by the formulator using 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 should be based on the current USP guidelines.**

**Precautions:**

General 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.

Precautions should be taken when compounding hormones or steroids. These may be absorbed through skin, mucous membranes and lungs. Wear appropriate personal protective equipment – and inform personnel of the risk. Mix and prepare in vented enclosure (hood).

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