Flower Essences

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Acceptable oral dosage forms: granule, liquid, lozenge, spray. Acceptable topical dosage forms: cream, liquid, ointment. Use(s) or Purpose(s) Flower Essence preparation/remedy/medicine. Dose(s) Subpopulation(s) Adults 18 years and older Quantity(ies) The dilution for each medicinal ingredient must be equivalent to 5X. Method(s) of preparation The method of preparation must be one of the following: BHomP 1 Method Br 9 BHomP 1 Method Br 10 1 Note: British Homeopathic Pharmacopoeia. Direction(s) for use Oral Granule Take 5 granules, 2 times per day, before lunch and evening meal or as directed by a health care practitioner/health care provider/health care professional/doctor/physician. Liquid Take 2 drops, 1 time per day or as directed by a health care practitioner/health care provider/health care professional/doctor/physician. Optional: Add drops in water and sip throughout the day. Lozenge Take 1 or 2 lozenge(s), 3 times per day or as directed by a health care practitioner/health care provider/health care professional/doctor/physician. Spray Take 1 spray, 1 time per day or as directed by a health care practitioner/health care provider/health care professional/doctor/physician. Optional: Add 1 spray in water and sip throughout the day. Topical Cream, liquid, ointment Clean affected area and then apply or as directed by a health care practitioner/health care provider/health care professional/doctor/physician. Cover with a bandage if necessary. Duration(s) of use No statement required.

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MEDICINAL INGREDIENT(S)

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STORAGE CONDITION(S)

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SPECIFICATIONS

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Bromus ramosus	Wild oat	Flowering spikelets
Calluna vulgaris	Heather	Flowering sprays and leaves
Carpinus betulus	Hornbeam	Young twigs with leaves, and flowers
Castanea sativa	Sweet chestnut	Young twigs with leaves, and flowers
Centaurium umbellatum	Centaury	Flower
Ceratostigma willmottianum	Cerato	Flower
Cichorium intybus	Chicory	Flower
Clematis vitalba	Clematis	Flower
Fagus sylvatica	Beech	Flower
Gentianella amarella	Gentian	Flower
Helianthemum nummularium	Rock rose	Flower
Hottonia palustris	Water violet	Flower
Ilex aquifolium	Holly	Flowering twigs
Impatiens glandulifera	Impatiens	Flower
Juglans regia	Walnut	Young shoots, leaves and flowers
Larix decidua	Larch	Twigs with the young green leaf-tufts, and floor
Lonicera caprifolium	Honeysuckle	Flowering clusters with stalk and leaves
Malus pumila	Crab apple	Leaves and flower clusters
Mimulus guttatus	Mimulus	Flower
Olea europaea	Olive	Flower clusters
Ornithogalum umbellatum	Star of Bethlehem	Flowering clusters
Pinus sylvestris	Pine	Young shoots with flowers
Populus tremula	Aspen	Catkins
Prunus cerasifera	Cherry plum	Flowering twigs
Quercus robur	Oak	Catkins
Rosa canina	Wild rose/Dog rose	Flowers and leaves

Salix vitellina	Willow	Catkins
Scleranthus annuus	Scleranthus	Flowering stems and leaves
Sinapis arvensis	Mustard	Flower-heads and seed pods
Ulex europaeus	Gorse	Flowers
Ulmus procera	Elm	Twigs with flower clusters
Verbena officinalis	Vervain	Flower
Vitis vinifera	Vine	Flowering clusters