



THE HOSPITAL FOR SICK CHILDREN

Department of Pharmacy

# vancomycin 25 mg/mL Oral Suspension

Batch No: \_\_\_\_\_

Ingredients	Mfr	Lot #	Expiry Date	Quantity	Measured	Checked
<u>Part A:</u> ORA-Sweet®	Perrigo			20 mL		
Sterile Water for Irrigation USP (SWFI)				20 mL		
<u>Part B: Vancomycin 50 mg/mL</u> Vancomycin 1000 mg Injection				2 vials		
Sterile Water for Irrigation USP (SWFI)				40 mL		
<u>Part C:</u> Vancomycin 50 mg/mL				40 mL		
ORA-Sweet/Sterile Water For Irrigation USP mixture (Part A)				q.s.80 mL		

**Additional Information:**

Hospira/Fresenius brands. Reconstituted vancomycin can have a slight red, yellow, pink color to the solution.

**Equipment**

Graduated measures IV syringes and needles

Glass stirring rod

**Procedure:**

Follow your Dept. procedures for risk assessment/training/PPE/equipment/facilities/NAPRA level

Part A:

1. Measure ORA-Sweet and SWFI and mix together.

Part B: Vancomycin 50 mg/mL

2. Reconstitute each 1000 mg vancomycin vial with 20 mL SWFI using an IV syringe and needle.

3. Withdraw contents of both 1000 mg vials (40 mL) in an IV syringe and transfer into a graduate.

Part C:

4. Then q.s. to final volume with the ORA-Sweet/Sterile water mixture (Part A). Stir well.

5. Transfer to an amber bottle.

6. Label.

**Quality Control:**


Expected Product Appearance	Additional Notes
Clear to light pink suspension	

Storage: Refrigerate

Packaging: Amber glass/plastic PET bottles

BUD: 30 days

**Sample Label:**

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	Lot:	BUD:
	Room Temperature	Shake Well

Date Made/Prepared By/Checked By: \_\_\_\_\_

**Reference:**

1. Ensom MHH et al. Stability of Vancomycin 25 mg/mL in Orasweet/Water in unit-dose cups and amber PVC bottles at 4C/25C. CJHP 2010;63(5):366-72

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