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## Compounded Prescription Ulcer Medication

Omeprazole NaHCO<sub>3</sub> Oral Suspension: 0.23 g/mL

- Some horses do not like the commercially available treatments and will actively fight taking the medication. (i.e. taste, oral syringe vs topdressing)
- Many horses do not fall in the weight category of 1200 lbs. the commercially available product is formulated for, thus requiring more than or less than the packaged commercially available product contains. The use of the compounded product would produce a clinical difference for the individually identified animal patient because the approved drug is too large a dose for the animal and cannot be divided or diluted into the smaller or larger dose required.
- Customized dosing based on veterinarian's directions is much easier with the suspension
- Used for treatment or prevention of equine ulcers by decreasing acid production
- Once daily dosing (every 24 hours) with or without food
- Given orally by oral dose syringe or top-dress to feed
- 4 mg/kg/day recommended to treat ulcer (10 mL of suspension for 1200 lb. horse)
- 1 mg/kg/day recommended for prevention or maintenance (2.5 mL of suspension for 1200 lb. horse)
- Molasses flavored
- Packaged in a bottle for easy dispensing using oral syringe to measure the patient specific dosage for treatment or prevention/maintenance based on weight
- Keep in refrigerator; do not freeze
- Shake well before each use
- Prescription from your veterinarian required

There are no FDA-approved animal or human drugs that can be used as labeled or in an extra-label manner under section 512(a)(4) or (5) and 21 CFR part 530 to appropriately treat the disease, symptom, or condition for which this drug is being prescribed.