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Sensitive Eyes[®] Saline Solution

Sensitive Eyes Saline Solution, the first thimerosal-free preserved saline solution, made only by Bausch & Lomb[®]. A time tested, safe and effective product that removes loosened debris from the lens when used as a rinse after cleaning. Also removes existing calcium deposits, and prevents new deposits from forming, when used as directed in heat (thermal) disinfection.

Sensitive Eyes Saline Solution is an effective rinsing solution when used with Chemical (not heat) and Hydrogen Peroxide disinfection, and as a diluent for enzymatic cleaning tablets.

CONTENTS: **Bausch & Lomb Sensitive Eyes** Saline Solution is a sterile, isotonic, buffered solution that contains boric acid, sodium borate and sodium chloride; preserved with sorbic acid (0.1%) and edetate disodium (0.025%).

ACTIONS: **Bausch & Lomb Sensitive Eyes** Saline Solution removes loosened debris from the lens surface when used as a rinse after cleaning. Also removes existing calcium deposits and prevents new deposits from accumulating when used as directed with heat disinfection.

INDICATIONS (Uses): **Bausch & Lomb Sensitive Eyes** Saline Solution is indicated for use in conjunction with **Bausch & Lomb Sensitive Eyes** Daily Cleaner (a sterile cleaning solution). Also for use in keeping lenses wet during heat disinfection, and in storing lenses after disinfection.

CONTRAINDICATIONS (Reasons not to use): If you are allergic to any ingredient in **Bausch & Lomb Sensitive Eyes** Saline Solution, do not use this product.

WARNINGS: PROBLEMS WITH CONTACT LENSES AND LENS CARE PRODUCTS COULD RESULT IN SERIOUS INJURY TO THE EYE. It is essential that you follow your eye care practitioner's directions and all labeling instructions for proper use and care of your lenses and lens care products, including the lens case.

Eye problems, including corneal ulcers, can develop rapidly and lead to loss of vision.

Daily wear lenses are not indicated for overnight wear and should not be worn while sleeping. Clinical studies have shown the risk of serious adverse reactions is increased when these lenses are worn overnight.

Extended wear lenses should be regularly removed for cleaning and disinfection or for disposal and replacement on the schedule prescribed by your eye care practitioner. Clinical studies have shown that there is an increased incidence of serious adverse reactions in extended wear contact lens users as compared to daily wear contact lens users. Studies have also shown that the risk of serious adverse reactions increases the longer extended wear lenses are worn before removal for cleaning and disinfection or for disposal and replacement.

Studies have also shown that smokers have a higher incidence of adverse reactions.

If you experience eye discomfort, excessive tearing, vision changes, redness of the eye, immediately remove your lenses and promptly contact your eye care practitioner.

It is recommended that contact lens wearers see their eye care practitioner twice each year or, if directed, more frequently.

To avoid contamination, do not touch tip of bottle to any surface. Replace cap after using.

PRECAUTIONS:

- Keep the bottle tightly closed when not in use.
- Store at room temperature.
- Use before the expiration date marked on the bottle and carton.
- Never re-use this solution.

ADVERSE REACTIONS (Problems and what to do): The following problems may occur: eyes sting, burn or itch (irritation), comfort is less than when lens was first placed on the eye, feeling of something in the eye (foreign body, scratched area), excessive watering (tearing) of the eye, unusual eye secretions, redness of the eye, reduced sharpness of vision (poor visual acuity), blurred vision, rainbows or halos around objects, sensitivity to light (photophobia), or dry eyes.

If you notice any of the above:

- **IMMEDIATELY REMOVE YOUR LENSES.**
- If the discomfort or problem stops, then look closely at the lens.
- If the lens is in any way damaged, **DO NOT** put the lens back on your eye. Place the lens in the storage case and contact your eye care practitioner.

- If the lens has dirt, an eyelash, or other foreign body on it, or the problem stops and the lens appears undamaged, thoroughly clean, rinse, and disinfect the lens, then reinsert it.
- If the problem continues, **IMMEDIATELY** remove the lens and consult your eye care practitioner.

If any of the above symptoms occurs, a serious condition such as infection, corneal ulcer, neovascularization or iritis may be present. Seek immediate professional identification of the problem and prompt treatment to avoid serious eye damage.

GOOD LENS CARE PRACTICES:

- Always wash and rinse your hands before you handle your lenses.
- Clean, rinse and disinfect your lenses each time you remove them.
- Always handle the same lens, the right or the left, first in order to avoid mix-ups.
- After use, always empty and rinse lens case with fresh rinsing solution and allow to air dry.

DIRECTIONS FOR USE:

Rinsing After Cleaning

- Clean your lenses with a daily cleaner such as **Bausch & Lomb Sensitive Eyes** Daily Cleaner as instructed by your eye care practitioner.
- After cleaning, rinse lenses thoroughly with **Bausch & Lomb Sensitive Eyes** Saline Solution by holding the lens between the forefinger and thumb or placing it in the palm of the hand. Direct a steady stream of saline onto the lens for approximately 10 seconds.

Heat (Thermal) Disinfection

- Fill the chambers of your lens carrying case or Bausch & Lomb Compact Disinfecting Unit 2/3 full with fresh **Bausch & Lomb Sensitive Eyes** Saline Solution.
- Place the cleaned lens into the correct chamber.
- Tightly close the cap of the chamber.
- Follow the operating instructions for the disinfecting unit.

Emergency (alternate) Method of Heat (thermal) Disinfection

If your heat disinfection unit is not available, place the tightly closed lens carrying case which contains saline and the lenses in a pan of boiling water for at least 10 minutes. (Above an altitude of 7,000 feet, boil for at least 15 minutes.) Be careful not to allow the water to boil away. Remove the pan from the heat and allow it to cool for 30 minutes to complete the disinfection of the lenses.

NOTE: Use of the Heat Disinfection Unit should be resumed as soon as possible.

Chemical Disinfection (including Hydrogen Peroxide Systems)

- Clean, rinse and disinfect your lenses as directed by your eye care practitioner.
- Before inserting your lenses, rinse them thoroughly with **Bausch & Lomb Sensitive Eyes** Saline Solution.
- Lenses that are chemically disinfected may absorb ingredients from the disinfecting solution which may cause irritation to the eye. A 20 second rinse may reduce the potential for irritation.

Protein Removal

- Clean and rinse lenses as directed by your eye care practitioner.
- **Bausch & Lomb Sensitive Eyes** Saline Solution may be used to dilute enzymatic cleaning tablets such as **Bausch & Lomb Sensitive Eyes** Enzymatic Cleaner.

Lens Storage

- After heat disinfection, you may store your lenses in the unopened case or disinfecting unit until ready to put on your eyes.

HOW SUPPLIED: **Bausch & Lomb Sensitive Eyes** Saline Solution is available for purchase in 4 Fl. Oz. (118ml), 8 Fl. Oz. (237ml) and 12 Fl. Oz. (355ml) plastic bottles. The bottles and cartons are marked with a lot number and expiration date.

PRODUCT SATISFACTION GUARANTEE
*If you are not completely satisfied with this product,
call the toll-free number on this insert.*

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