RESOURCE® THICKENUP®



DESCRIPTION

Resource® ThickenUp® is a starch based instant food and drink thickener for patients with swallowing difficulties. It mixes easily and rapidly in hot and cold liquids and foods. Resource® ThickenUp® is a Food for Special Medical Purposes.

PRESENTATION

 $227 \mbox{g}$ re-sealable tin with a $4.5 \mbox{g}$ scoop (approx.), 6 tins per case.

INDICATIONS

ACBS approved, prescribable on FP10 (GP10 in Scotland) for patients requiring thickening of liquid or food for the dietary management of dysphagia due to $conditions \ such \ as \ stroke, Parkinson's \ disease, muscular \ dystrophy, motor$ neurone disease, multiple sclerosis, neurological disorders caused by injury or disease, and malignancies of the oral cavity and throat.

INGREDIENTS

Modified Food Starch (Maize). May contain milk.

ADMINISTRATION AND DOSAGE

It is the responsibility of the person administering Resource® ThickenUp® to ensure the liquid or food is mixed according to IDDSI guidelines. The consistency should be recommended by a speech and language therapist.

IDDSI FRAMEWORK	200ml liquids (water, juice, tea, coffee)	
LEVEL 1/SLIGHTLY THICK	1½ scoops	
LEVEL 2/MILDLY THICK	2 scoops	
LEVEL 3/MODERATELY THICK	2½ scoops	
LEVEL 4/EXTREMELY THICK	3 scoops	

SHELF LIFE AND STORAGE

 $24\,\mathrm{months}$ from date of manufacture. Store unopened in a cool, dry place. Once opened, consume within 8 weeks.

PRECAUTIONS

Suitable for children above 3 years of age. Use under medical supervision. Not suitable as sole source of nutrition. For oral consumption only. Must only be consumed when mixed with food or drink.



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PREPARATION INSTRUCTIONS

FOR THICKENING LIQUIDS

Use the dosage scoop included in the tin

- 1. While stirring briskly, SLOWLY add Resource® ThickenUp® using only the enclosed scoop to hot or cold liquid or food.
- Stir with a fork or whisk until the powder has completely dissolved to reach the required consistency.

Note: Resource® ThickenUp® can be prepared using a blender at low speed for 5 to 10 seconds. Do not over mix.

All prepared products should be tightly covered and consumed within 6 hours at $room\,temperature\,or\,within\,24\,hours\,if\,refrigerated.\,Discard\,any\,unfinished$ heated product.

For puréed food add Resource® ThickenUp® as needed, to achieve the appropriate consistency.

NUTRITION INFORMATION

Typical values	Per 4.5 g*	Per 100g
Energy kJ	69.7	1552
Energy kcal	16.4	365
Fat (<0.5 % kcal) g		<0.15
of which saturates g		<0.10
Carbohydrate (99% kcal) g	4.1	90
of which sugars g	<0.09	< 1.9
Fibre (<0.5% kcal) g		<1.0
Protein (<0.5% kcal) g		<0.50
Salt g	<0.02	<0.50
Minerals		
Sodium mg	9	<200
Sodium mmol	0.39	8.7

^{*} per scoop

Recipe Code: MD008



