

A/H9N2 Influenza Vaccine Surface Antigen Inactivated, with MF59C.1 Adjuvant (A/CK/HK/G9/1997), 15 Micrograms HA

Catalog No. NR-15449

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Manufacturer:

Chiron Corporation (Novartis International AG)

Product Description:

NR-15449 is a formalin-inactivated surface antigen vaccine prepared from an egg-grown high-growth influenza virus reassortant containing the hemagglutinin (HA) and neuraminidase antigens from the Y280-like A/chicken/Hong Kong/G9/1997 strain and the internal genes from A/Puerto Rico/8/1934.^{1,2} NR-15449 is formulated with MF59C.1 adjuvant.

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Material Provided:

Each syringe contains 15 µg (0.5 mL suspension) of the hemagglutinin (HA) antigen from influenza virus A/chicken/Hong Kong/G9/1997 (H9N2) and MF59C.1 adjuvant.

Packaging/Storage:

NR-15449 is packaged in a pre-filled syringe. The product is provided on refrigerated bricks and should be stored at 2°C to 8°C immediately upon arrival. Do not freeze. Protect from light. Shake before use.

Citation:

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Biosafety Level: 1

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