

Food & Beverage Thickener

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McKesson food and beverage thickeners provide a reliable way to adjust the consistency of liquids and pureed foods for individuals who have difficulty swallowing. These flavorless, colorless thickeners dissolve instantly, mix smoothly, and do not alter the taste or appearance of beverages or foods. Suitable for a range of dietary needs—including gluten-free and kosher pareve—the thickeners support safe hydration and nutrition management across hot or cold applications. With easy-to-use formulations and included measuring scoops, the products help caregivers prepare consistent textures for patients requiring dysphagia-supportive nutrition.

Features and Benefits

TEXTURE MODIFICATION

Thickens liquids and pureed foods to the desired consistency for individuals with swallowing difficulties

Safely thickens hot or cold beverages and pureed foods without altering flavor

FLAVOR & APPEARANCE

Flavorless formulation does not affect the taste of the food or beverage

Colorless options maintain the original appearance of beverages

MIXING & CONSISTENCY

Dissolves instantly for smooth, consistent mixing

Does not bind fluids, allowing patients to receive the same hydration volume as non-thickened beverages

DIETARY FRIENDLINESS

Gluten-free and kosher pareve, suitable for certain dietary restrictions

Gentle, easily digestible ingredients (varies by formula)

NUTRITION SUPPORT

Supports nutritional innovation for dysphagia

CONVENIENCE

Measuring scoop included for consistent portioning

Easy-to-use format suitable for caregivers and clinical environments



Satisfaction Guaranteed

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Ordering Information

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Cornstarch Blend

IMAGE	E1 #	MFR #	DESCRIPTION	INGREDIENTS	SIZE	QTY
	1253548	16-DT5800	Food and Beverage Thickener Cornstarch Blend	Modified Cornstarch, Maltodextrin	10 oz	1 ea, 12 ea/cs
	1253549	16-DT6800	Food and Beverage Thickener Cornstarch Blend	Modified Cornstarch, Maltodextrin	36 oz	1 ea, 6 ea/cs

For best results, consume within 30 minutes of mixing.

CORNSTARCH BLEND USAGE CHART (PER 4 FL OZ)			
Beverage Type	Mildly Thick (Nectar)	Moderately Thick (Honey)	Extremely Thick (Pudding)
Water	3.5 - 4 tsp	4.5 - 5.5 tsp	5 tsp - 2 tbsp
Apple Juice	3.5 - 4 tsp	4.5 - 5.5 tsp	5 tsp - 2 tbsp
Orange Juice	3.5 - 4 tsp	4 - 5 tsp	5 tsp - 2 tbsp
Cranberry Juice	3.5 - 4 tsp	4.5 - 5.5 tsp	5 tsp - 2 tbsp
Coffee & Tea	3.5 - 4 tsp	4.5 - 5.5 tsp	5 tsp - 2 tbsp
Milk - Low Fat	4 - 4.5 tsp	5.5 tsp - 2 tbsp	2 - 2.5 tbsp
Nutritional Supplement Drink	4 - 4.5 tsp	5.5 tsp - 2 tbsp	2 - 2.5 tbsp
Pureed Foods	-	-	1.5 tbsp

MFR #16-DT6800 & 16-DT5800

Nutrition Innovation for Dysphagia

Flavorless

Following local and state guidelines, properly wash and sanitize the measuring scoop after each use.

Do not use food and beverage thickener with infants under the age of 2.

Food and beverage thickener should only be used in consultation with a physician for children under the age of 12.

Diabetic exchange: 1/3 fruit

Contents sold by weight, not volume. Settling occurs during shipping.

Dispose of unused food and beverage thickener in the trash receptacle and not in the sink.

Convenient: Dissolves instantly

Gentle: Easily digestible

Dietary Friendly: Gluten-free and kosher pareve

Xanthan Gum Blend

IMAGE	E1 #	MFR #	DESCRIPTION	INGREDIENTS	SIZE	QTY
	1253550	16-DT9800	Food and Beverage Thickener Xanthan Gum Blend	Xanthan Gum, Maltodextrin, Ascorbic Acid	10 oz	1 ea, 12 ea/cs

XANTHAN GUM BLEND USAGE CHART (Per 8 fl oz)		
Consistency	Scoops	Servings Per Container
Slightly Thick	1 (1.8g)	112
Mildly Thick (Nectar)	2 (3.6g)	56
Moderately Thick (Honey)	3 (5.4g)	37
Extremely Thick (Pudding)	4 (7.2g)	28

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Nutrition Innovation for Dysphagia

• Flavorless

• Stable Consistency

• Easy to Use

• Mix & Serve

Dietary Friendly: Gluten-free, kosher pareve, and halal certified

Dispose of unused product in the trash receptacle and not in the sink.

Beverages made with McKesson food and beverage thickener will retain their original consistency when heated and when thawed after freezing.

Contents sold by weight, not volume. Settling occurs during shipping.

WARNING: Do not use food and beverage thickener with infants under the age of 2.

The food and beverage thickener should only be used in consultation with a physician for children under the age of 12.