

# Similac® NeoSure® Mixing Instructions

Patient Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Sometimes premature babies require customized feeding strategies. Please follow the directions below for your growing baby.

Caloric Concentration*	Water (fl oz)	Scoops† of NeoSure® Powder (unpacked level scoops)	Approximate Yield (fl oz)
<input type="checkbox"/> 20 Cal/fl oz	4.5	2	5
<input type="checkbox"/> 22 Cal/fl oz (standard)	2	1	2
<input type="checkbox"/> 24 Cal/fl oz	5.5	3	6
<input type="checkbox"/> 27 Cal/fl oz	8	5	9

Health Care Professional Feeding Recommendation:

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Studies on preterm infants fed Similac NeoSure have demonstrated the following clinical outcomes:

- Excellent Catch-Up Growth<sup>1</sup>
- Improved Body Composition<sup>2,†</sup>
- Improved Language Development<sup>3,‡,§</sup>
- Improved Visual Development<sup>3,‡,||</sup>

\* The use of hypo- and hypercaloric formulas should be directed by your baby's doctor.

† Use scoop provided in Similac NeoSure can.

‡ Compared to infants fed a formula without DHA and AA in a clinical trial with Similac® Special Care® and Similac NeoSure infant formulas with iron prior to the addition of Lutein.

§ Based on a subset of infants in a post hoc analysis.

|| Visual acuity measured at 4 and 6 months corrected age and assessed by VEP (visual evoked potential).

References: 1. Carver JD, et al. *Pediatrics*. 2001;107(4):683-689. 2. Groh-Wargo S, et al. *Pediatr Res*. 2005; 57:712-718. 3. O'Connor DL, et al. *Pediatrics*. 2001;108:359-371.



# How to Prepare Similac® NeoSure® Powder Infant Formula

## GETTING READY

### YOU MUST ADD WATER



1 Wash your hands, surfaces, and utensils.

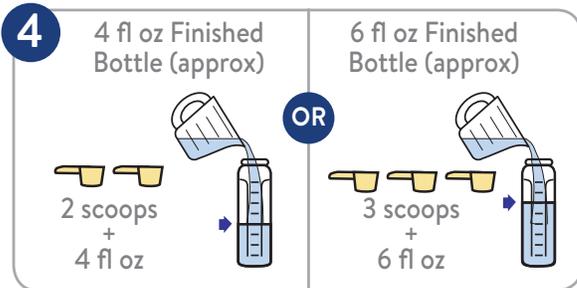


2 Ask your baby's doctor if you need to boil (sterilize) utensils, bottles, nipples, rings, and water for mixing before use.



3 If water has been boiled, let it cool to room temperature.

## MIXING GUIDE (STANDARD DILUTION)



4 Pour 4 fl oz of water into clean bottle. Add 2 unpacked level scoops of NeoSure, using only the scoop in can, and return dry scoop to can.

OR  
Pour 6 fl oz of water into clean bottle. Add 3 unpacked level scoops of NeoSure, using only the scoop in can, and return dry scoop to can.

## STORING FORMULA



5a Once mixed, store formula in the refrigerator right away; use within 24 hours.

## STORING REMAINING POWDER



5b Cover opened can and store at room temperature. Avoid extreme temperatures.

### Important:

Be sure to use scoop provided in CAN.

Use opened can contents within 1 month.

## FEEDING BABY



6 Cap bottle; shake well; attach nipple.



7 Test formula temperature.



8 Feed baby.



9 Once feeding begins, use formula within 1 hour or discard.

**WARNING:** Although powder infant formulas are not sterile, they may be fed to premature infants or infants who might have immune problems only as directed by your baby's doctor. Never use a microwave oven to warm formula. Serious burns can result.