§ 522.1079 Serum gonadotropin and chorionic gonadotropin.

(a) Specifications. Each dose consists of 400 international units (I.U.) serum gonadotropin and 200 I.U. chorionic gonadotropin as a freeze-dried powder to be reconstituted with 5 milliliters of sterile aqueous diluent.

(b) Sponsor. See No. 000061 in § 510.600(c) of this chapter.

(c) Conditions of use in swine—(1) Amount. 400 I.U. serum gonadotropin with 200 I.U. chorionic gonadotropin per 5 milliliters dose per animal.

(2) Indications for use. (i) Gilts. For induction of fertile estrus (heat) in healthy prepuberal (noncycling) gilts.

(ii) Sows. For induction of estrus in healthy weaned sows experiencing delayed return to estrus.

(3) Limitations. For subcutaneous use only.

(i) Gilts. For use only in gilts over 5 1/2 months of age and weighing at least 85 kilograms (187 pounds).

(ii) Sows. Delayed return to estrus is most prevalent after the first litter. The effectiveness has not been established after later litters. Delayed return to estrus often occurs during periods of adverse environmental conditions, and sows mated under such conditions may farrow smaller than normal litters.


§ 522.1081 Chorionic gonadotropin.

(a) Specifications. Each vial contains 5,000, 10,000 or 20,000 USP units of lyophilized powder for constitution with accompanying diluent to a 10-milliliter solution.

(b) Sponsors. See sponsors in § 510.600(c) of this chapter.

(1) Nos. 000402 and 054771 for use as in paragraphs (d)(1)(i)(A), (d)(1)(i)(B) and (d)(1)(i)(C) of this section.

(2) [Reserved]

(3) No. 000061 for use as in paragraphs (d)(1)(i)(A) and (d)(2) of this section.

(c) Related tolerances. See § 556.304 of this chapter.

(d) Conditions of use—(1) Cattle—(i) Amount. As a single dose. Dosage may be repeated in 14 days if the animal's behavior or examination of the ovaries per rectum indicates retreatment.

(A) 10,000 USP units by intramuscular injection.

(B) 500 to 2,500 USP units by intrafollicular injection.

(C) 2,500 to 5,000 USP units by intravenous injection.

(ii) Indications for use. For parenteral use in cows for treatment of nymphomania (frequent or constant heat) due to cystic ovaries.

(iii) Limitations. Federal law restricts this drug to use by or on the order of a licensed veterinarian.

(2) Finfish—(i) Amount. 50 to 510 IU per pound of body weight for males, 67 to 1,816 IU per pound of body weight for females, by intramuscular injection.

Up to three doses may be administered.

(ii) Indications for use. An aid in improving spawning function in male and female brood finfish.

(iii) Limitations. In fish intended for human consumption, the total dose administered per fish (all injections combined) should not exceed 25,000 IU chorionic gonadotropin. Federal law restricts this drug to use by or on the order of a licensed veterinarian.


§ 522.1083 Gonadotropin releasing factor analog-diphtheria toxoid conjugate.

(a) Specifications. Each milliliter of solution contains 0.2 milligrams (mg) gonadotropin releasing factor analog-diphtheria toxoid conjugate.

(b) Sponsor. See No. 054771 in § 510.600(c) of this chapter.

(c) Conditions of use in swine—(1) Amount. Administer 0.4 mg (2 milliliter (mL)) by subcutaneous injection no earlier than 9 weeks of age. A second subcutaneous injection of 0.4 mg (2 mL) should be administered at least 4 weeks after the first dose.

(2) Indications for use. For the temporary immunological castration (suppression of testicular function) and reduction of boar taint in intact male pigs intended for slaughter.

(3) Limitations. Federal law restricts this drug to use by or on the order of a licensed veterinarian. Pigs should be slaughtered no earlier than 3 weeks...