

Assessment of Risk		Route of Administration	
DRUG:		ABACAVIR	Dosage Form: ORAL LIQUID
Indicate status based on 2016 NIOSH List of Hazardous Drugs			
	Antineoplastic dosage form that requires only counting or packaging (NO MANIPULATION)		
x	Non-antineoplastic		
	Reproductive hazard		
Reason for exemption:		Dispensed from pharmacy as final dosage form requiring no manipulation for administration. Practical alternative containment strategies and work practices can be implemented to limit the exposure and protect personnel from ingesting, inhaling or touching this HazD.	
Risk Assessment LOW			
Hazard		<p>H351 Suspected of causing cancer.</p> <p>H361 Suspected of damaging fertility or the unborn child.</p> <p>H318 Causes serious eye damage.</p> <p>H317 May cause an allergic skin reaction.</p>	
HANDLING		Alternative Containment Strategies	
		INPATIENT	RETAIL/SPECIALTY
Receipt	Wear 2 pair ASTM D6978 gloves; unpack process the same as nonhazardous drugs		
Transport within Pharmacy	wear 2 pair ASTM D6978 Gloves		
Storage	Neutral/normal pressure area: may be stored with non-hazardous drugs; must be labeled with yellow hazardous drug sticker in yellow bin.		
Preparation/compounding in pharmacy (manipulation)	If C-PECs are not available, compounding can be done in designated neutral pressure area on chemo prep pad with full USP 800 PPE and N95 mask. Area should be deactivated, decontaminated, cleaned and disinfected after manipulation.		
Repackaging (not manipulation)	If final dosage form not available, must manually package-do not use machine-use separate clearly marked area with dedicated equipment & 2 pr ASTM D6978 rated gloves; decontaminate and clean area and equipment between drugs and when packaging completed	When pouring and repackaging for retail/specialty, use separate, clearly marked area, dedicated counting equipment, 2 pair ASTM D6978 rated gloves. decontaminate and clean area and equipment between drugs and when packaging completed	
Receipt	Use transparent zipper locking plastic bags within facility. Bag must be clearly marked with Hazardous Material symbol or sticker. Wear 1 pair chemo rated gloves.	NA	
Transport product to holding area for patient pick-up	NA	Use transparent zipper locking plastic bags with hazardous materials symbol or sticker	

Storage of product waiting for patient pick-up	NA	Store in transparent zipper locking plastic bags with hazardous materials symbol or sticker. May use additional pharmacy paper bag if needed for PHI concerns.
Transport product to off-site administration areas	Use transparent zipper locking plastic bags clearly marked as HazD within a container that minimizes risk of breakage or leakage and can be decontaminated between uses. Mark external packaging with Hazardous Material Sticker	
Ship prescription to patient or to other location	NA	Use transparent zipper locking plastic bags . Exterior of shipping package must contain a readily seen universal hazardous materials sticker.
Deactivating, decontaminating, cleaning, and disinfecting	Use deactivation/decontamination wipes to clean area and equipment after use and between drugs. Wear 2 pair chemo rated gloves.	
Administration	Use 2 pair ASTM D6978 Gloves	NA
Disposal	Blue container, nonregulated disposal for all gloves, gowns, wipes, packaging waste. Reference waste bin designation code in EPIC for Regulated/RCRA waste when disposing of medication.	
Patient Care Activities-Urine, feces, sweat or vomit	Wear 2 pair chemo rated gloves. Wear shoe covers and gowns as needed to prevent clothing or shoe contamination	
Handling spills	Don 2 pair ASTM D6978 rated gloves, impermeable gown, N95 respirator, shoe covers and use spill kit as directed on package.	
NOTES:	Reviewed by A Choiniere	
Approved by <i>HD/AOR Committee</i> on _____		
Annual Review:		