

Deracin (chlortetracycline) Veterinary Feed Directive for use in Psittacine Birds

Client: Business or Home Address:		Veterinarian:	
		Address:	
Phone #:		Phone #:	
Approximate nu	mber of animals to be treated:		
Location of anin	nals:		
Special Instruct	ions and/or other animal identifications:		

Indication, Drug Level in Medicated Feed, and Duration of Use (select one and specify the additional required information):

Treatment of psittacine birds(parrots, macaws, cockatoos) suspected or known to be infected with psittacosis caused by *Chlamydia psittaci* sensitive to chlortetracycline.

Drug level: 10 mg/g of feed Duration of use: 45 days

Each bird should consume an amount of medicated feed equal to one-fifth of its body weight daily. During treatment, parrots, macaws, and cockatoos should be kept individually or in pairs in clean cages.

Caution: Use of feed containing this Veterinary Feed Directive (VFD) drug in a manner other than as directed on the labeling (extra-label use) is not permitted.

Warning: Psittacosis, avain chlamydiosis, or ornithosis is a reportable communicable disease, transmissible between wild animals and domestic birds, other animals and man. Contact appropriate public health and regulatory officials.

Caution: Aspergilliosis may occur following prolonged treatment.

VFD Issuance Date: _____

VFD Expiration Date:

Month/Day/Year (Not to exceed 6 months from issuance date)

Veterinarian's signature:

Copy – Supplier

Copy – Client

Original – Veterinarian