

ABSTRACT

METHOD AND COMPOSITION FOR DISINFECTING CONTACT LENSES

The present invention covers a method for disinfecting a contact lens comprising contacting the lens with an isotonic aqueous solution comprising 0.6 to 2 weight percent tromethamine (preferably 0.8 to 1.5 percent) for a time sufficient to disinfect the lens. Other aspects include adding to the solution from 0.01 to 1 weight percent chelating agent (preferably disodium EDTA) and/or additional microbicide.