[9] A method of reducing a temporal change in the kinetic viscosity of an ophthalmic composition comprising hyaluronic acid or a salt thereof and chlorhexidine, the method comprising allowing propylene glycol and ethylenediaminetetraacetate to be comprised of the ophthalmic composition.

[10] A method of reducing a temporal change in the kinetic viscosity of an ophthalmic composition comprising hyaluronic acid or a salt thereof and chlorhexidine, the method comprising allowing 0.03 to 1.5% (w/v) of propylene glycol and 0.015% (w/v) or less of ethylenediaminetetraacetate to be comprised of the ophthalmic composition.

[10a] A method of suppressing a temporal change in the kinetic viscosity of an ophthalmic composition comprising hyaluronic acid or a salt thereof and chlorhexidine, the method comprising allowing propylene glycol and ethylenediaminetetraacetate to be comprised of the ophthalmic composition.

[10b] A method of suppressing a temporal change in the kinetic viscosity of an ophthalmic composition comprising hyaluronic acid or a salt thereof and chlorhexidine and maintaining the antiseptic or preservative effect of the ophthalmic composition at a high level, the method comprising allowing propylene glycol and ethylenediaminetetraacetate to be comprised of the ophthalmic composition.

[11] A method of maintaining the antiseptic or preservative effect of an ophthalmic composition comprising hyaluronic acid or a salt thereof and chlorhexidine at a high level, the method comprising allowing propylene glycol and ethylenediaminetetraacetate to be comprised of the ophthalmic composition.

[12] A method of maintaining the antiseptic or preservative effect of an ophthalmic composition comprising hyaluronic acid or a salt thereof and chlorhexidine at a high level, the method comprising allowing 0.03 to 1.5% (w/v) of propylene glycol and 0.015% (w/v) or less of ethylenediaminetetraacetate to be comprised of the ophthalmic composition.

[13] A method of reducing a temporal change in the kinetic viscosity of an ophthalmic composition comprising hyaluronic acid or a salt thereof and chlorhexidine and maintaining the