Drugs Currently Used in Honey Bees

DRUGS CURRENTLY USED IN HONEY BEES

Fumagilin
Lincomycin
Oxytetracycline
Tylosin

APPROVED

Lincomycin
Oxytetracycline
Tylosin

UNAPPROVED

Fumagilin

WATER SOLUBLE

(Prescription required)

Terramycin®
- Powdered sugar or sugar syrup

Lincomix®, Tylan® soluble, Tylovet® soluble, Tylosin Tartrate soluble powder
- Powdered sugar only

MEDICATED FEED

(VFD required)

Terramycin® and Pennox 50®
- Powdered sugar
- Sugar syrup
- Extender Patty (vegetable shortening)

EXTRALABEL DRUG USE

- Federally regulated
- Federal VCPR applies (physical exam or site visit)
- Specific restrictions apply

ON LABEL USE

- State regulated
- VCPR requirements can vary or be non-existent

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- VCPR required—Check FDA list to determine whether State or Federal
- No ELDU unless covered under a revised FDA Compliance Policy Guide for minor species