PATIENT PACKAGE INSERT IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE PHARMACISTS' REGULATIONS (PREPARATIONS) - 1986

The dispensing of this medicine requires a doctor's prescription

Read this package insert carefully in its entirety before using this medicine

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CLOTRISONE™

Cream

Composition:

Clotrímazole 1.00% Betamethasone dipropionate 0.05%

Inactive ingredients: White petrolatum, propylene glycol, cetostearyl alcohol, mineral oil, ceteareth-30, benzyl alcohol, sodium phosphate monobasic, phosphoric acid, purified water

Therapeutic activity:

For the local treatment of fungal skin infections such as: candidiasis, tinea pedis, tinea cruris, tinea corporis.

When should the preparation not be used?

Do not use this medicine if you are sensitive to any of its ingredients or to other corticosteroids or imidazoles.

Do not use this medicine in children under 17 years of age.

Do not take this medicine without consulting a doctor before starting treatment:

If you are pregnant or breastfeeding.

Warnings:

Do not use this medicine frequently, or for a long period, without consulting a doctor.

If you are sensitive to any type of food or medicine, inform your doctor before commencing treatment with this medicine.

Do not use this medicine on wide areas of skin or open wounds. Do not allow this medicine to come into contact with eyes. In the event of contact, wash immediately with water.

Do not use this preparation for any purpose other than that for which it was prescribed.

Drug Interactions:

If you are taking another drug concomitantly, including nonprescription medicines and food supplements, or if you have just finished treatment with another medicine, inform the attending doctor, in order to prevent hazards or lack of efficacy arising from drug interactions.

Side effects:

In addition to the desired effect of the medicine, adverse reactions may occur during the course of taking this medicine, such as: redness, dryness and peeling of the skin, local feeling of warmth and stinging.

These side effects usually disappear within a short time following the period of adaptation to the medicine. However, if the effects continue or are bothersome, consult a doctor.

Side effects that require special attention:

Rash or local inflammation (that did not exist prior to treatment with the preparation), appearance of blisters on the skin (rare): stop treatment and refer to a doctor.

In the event that you experience side effects not mentioned in this leaflet, or if there is a change in your general health, consult your doctor immediately.

Recommended dosage unless otherwise prescribed by your doctor:

Adults: gently and thoroughly massage a thin layer into the affected area of skin and the immediate surrounding skin area twice a day in the morning and evening.

Do not exceed the recommended dosage.

If there is no improvement in your condition within one week or if the condition worsens, consult a doctor.

If you forgot to take this medicine at the specified time, take the dose as soon as you remember, but if the time is approaching for the next dose, skip the forgotten dose and resume your regular dosing schedule.

Attention:

Do not swallow! This medicine is intended for external use only. Avoid contact with the eyes.

Do not bandage the area that was treated with the cream or wear tight clothing unless under doctor's instructions (wear loose clothing when using for treatment in the groin area).

How can you contribute to the success of the treatment?

Complete the full course of treatment as instructed by the doctor. Even if there is an improvement in your health, do not discontinue use of this medicine without consulting your doctor.

Adhere to the following recommended health habits: thoroughly dry the affected skin area after bathing. Avoid exposing the area as much as possible to heat and moisture. Avoid wearing woolen, synthetic or tight clothing on the affected skin (it is recommended to wear loose, breathable, clean cotton clothing). Use talc powder or an anti-fungal powder generously on the affected skin once or twice a day after applying the medicine and after it has been absorbed into the skin.

Avoid poisoning!

This medicine, and all other medicines, must be stored in a safe place out of the reach of children and/or infants, to avoid poisoning. If you have taken an overdose, or if a child has accidentally swallowed the medicine, proceed immediately to a hospital emergency room and bring the package of the medicine with you.

Do not induce vomiting unless explicitly instructed to do so by

This medicine has been prescribed for the treatment of your ailment; in another patient it may cause harm. Do not give this medicine to your relatives, neighbours or acquaintances.

Do not take medicines in the dark! Check the label and the dose each time you take your medicine. Wear glasses if you need them.

Storage: Below 25°C.

Even if kept in their original container and stored as recommended, medicines may be kept for a limited period only. Please note the expiry date of the medicine! In case of doubt, consult the pharmacist who dispensed the medicine to you. Do not store different medications in the same package.

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