

HYDROGEN PEROXIDE SOLUTION

Hydrogen Peroxide (6% w/v)

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What Hydrogen Peroxide Solution is used for

Hydrogen Peroxide Solution is used for:

- as first aid for minor cuts, wounds and abrasions.
- to remove dressing from wounds.
- as a mouthwash
- for ear wax removal.

How Hydrogen Peroxide Solution works

Hydrogen Peroxide Solution is an antiseptic, the antimicrobial substance that helps to reduce the possibility of infection.

Before you use Hydrogen Peroxide Solution

-When you must not to use it

- Do not use this medicine if you are allergic to hydrogen peroxide or any ingredients in this medicine.
- Not to be used on abscess (a painful collection of pus caused by bacterial infection).

-Before you start to use it

Tell your doctor or pharmacist if you:

- are pregnant or breast-feeding.

-Taking other medicines

Tell your doctor if you are taking any other medicines, including any that you buy without a prescription from a pharmacy, supermarket or health food shop.

How to use Hydrogen Peroxide Solution

-How much to use

- **First aid:**
Dilute 1 part Hydrogen Peroxide with 1 part of water (3% w/v).
Apply diluted solution onto the affected area. Allow oxygen to escape and then dress with bandage or adhesive plaster.

- **To remove dressing from wounds:**
Soak the dressing thoroughly with diluted solution (3% w/v) and leave for a few minutes before removal.

- **Ear wax removal:**
Dilute 1 part Hydrogen Peroxide with 3 parts water (1.5% w/v) and instill into the ear. Leave for a few minutes.

- **Mouthwash:**
Add 1 tablespoon Hydrogen Peroxide to half a tumbler of water and use as necessary.

-When to use it

Follow the advice from your doctor or pharmacist.

-How long to use it

Follow the advice from your doctor or pharmacist. Ask your doctor or pharmacist before prolonged use of this medicine.

-If you forget to use it

Consult your doctor or pharmacist on what you should do if you forget to use it.

Take the missed dose as soon as you remember. If it is almost time for your next dose, wait until then to take the medicine and skip the missed dose. Do not take a double dose to make up for the missed dose.

-If you use too much (overdose)

Contact your doctor immediately or go to the Emergency Department of your nearest hospital, if you think you or anyone else may have taken too much of this medicine. Do this even if there are no signs of discomfort or poisoning. You may need urgent medical attention.

While you are using Hydrogen Peroxide Solution

-Things you must do

Always wash your hands before and after using this solution.

-Things you must not do

- This concentrate solution is for application on skin only.
- Do not swallow it.
- Do not dress with bandage or adhesive plaster immediately after the application.

Do not give Hydrogen Peroxide Solution to anyone else, even if they have the same symptoms or condition as you.

- Things to be careful of

This medicine may affect your ability to drive or use machines. If the medicine makes you feel sick, dizzy or tired, or gives you a headache, do not drive or use machines and contact your doctor immediately.

Side Effects.

Like all medicines, Hydrogen Peroxide Solution can cause side effects, although not everybody gets them.

Visit your doctor or pharmacist immediately if you experience any side effects after taking this medicine.

You may report any side effects or adverse drug reactions directly to The National Centre for Adverse Drug Reaction Monitoring by calling Tel: 03-78835549 or visiting the website nprra.moh.gov.my [Public→Reporting Side Effects to Medicines (ConSERF) or Vaccines (AEFI)].

Storage and Disposal of Hydrogen Peroxide Solution

- Storage

Store below 30°C.

Keep out of the reach of the children.

Do not use this medicine after expiry date.

- Disposal

Medicines should not be disposed of via wastewater or household waste. Ask your pharmacist how to dispose of medicines no longer required. These measures will help to protect the environment.

Product Description

-What it looks like

Clear, colourless solution.

-Ingredients

-Active ingredient
Hydrogen Peroxide

-Inactive Ingredients

Purified Water, Benzoic Acid

-MAL Number

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