TRICODERM OINTMENT

Econazole Nitrate / Triamcinolone Acetonide (1%w/w / 0.1%w/w)

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What Tricoderm Ointment is used for

Tricoderm Ointment is used for the topical treatment of eczema, inflammatory of the skin with fungal infection. Inflammatory of the skin caused by yeasts, fungi and molds unresponsive to less potent corticosteroids.

How Tricoderm Ointment works

Tricoderm Ointment is a combination of broad spectrum antifungal, Econazole Nitrate and topical corticosteroid, Triamcinolone Acetonide with anti-inflammatory, anti-itch and anti-allergic effects.

Before you use Tricoderm Ointment

- When you must not use it

Do not use if you are hypersensitive to imidazole, corticosteroids or any other ingredients in this product.
Contraindicated in cases of tuberculous, luetic or virus infections of the skin or varicose veins.
Safety in pregnancy and lactation has not been established. Do not use if you are pregnant or likely to become pregnant unless the expected benefits outweigh the potential risk.

- Before you start to use it

Do not use Tricoderm Ointment to treat any other conditions unless your doctor or pharmacist tells you so.

- <u>Taking other medicines</u>

Do not use other skin products on the affected area.

How to use Tricoderm Ointment

- How much to use

Apply sparingly to the affected areas twice a day until improvement occurs. It may then be possible to maintain improvement by applying once a day, or even less often.

- When to use it

You should follow the recommended dose and should not use more than the prescribed dose.

- How long to use it

If no improvement is observed in 1 week, you should stop application and consult doctor.

- If you forget to use it

If you forget to use Tricoderm Ointment, use it as soon as you remember.

- If you use too much (overdose)

No specific antidote is available. In the event of accidental ingestion, you should be under observation and treated symptomatically.

Contact your doctor immediately or your nearest hospital for medical advice.

While you are using Tricoderm Ointment

- Things you must do

Check with your doctor if symptoms persist or getting worse.

- Things you must not do

For external use only. Avoid in contact with eyes, nose and mouth. Not to be taken.

- Things to be careful of

Avoid prolonged application to the face. Avoid occlusive dressing to large areas of the body because of the increased risk of systemic absorption.

Side Effects

Occasionally skin sensitive may happen. Local reactions including slight burning sensation and irritation have been reported.

You may report any side effects or adverse drug reactions directly to the National Centre for Adverse Drug Reaction Monitoring by calling Tel: 03-78835550, or visiting the website npra.moh.gov.my (Public Reporting Medicinal Problems / Side Effects / AEFI / Vaccine Safety).

Storage and Disposal of Tricoderm Ointment

- Storage
- Store below 30°C.
- Protect from light.
- Keep out of reach of children.

- Disposal

Do not use this after the expiry date. An expiry date is printed on the label and box of the medicine.

Product Description

- What it looks like

Tricoderm Ointment is a white smooth and non-greasy ointment.

- Ingredients
- Active ingredient Econazole Nitrate 1%w/w Triamcinolone Acetonide 0.1%w/w
- Inactive ingredients
 Benzyl alcohol, Isopropyl Myristate,
 Cetomacrogol emulsifying wax, White Soft
 Paraffin, Butylated Hydroxytoluene,
 Cetostearyl Alcohol, Hydrogenated
 Polyisobutene, PEG-40 Hydrogenated
 Castor Oil, Hard Paraffin Wax, Propylene
 Glycol, N-methyl- 2-pyrrolidone, Menthol

- <u>MAL Number:</u> MAL08031391AZ

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