# PRISEPTINE SOLUTION

Povidone iodine (10% w/v)

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## What Priseptine is used for

It is used in preparation of skin before any operation, treatment of contaminated wounds, eczematoid ringworm infection of the skin.

## **How Priseptine works**

Povidone iodine slowly change into iodine in contact with the skin and mucous membranes. Iodine has powerful action in killing bacterias.

## Before you use Priseptine

- When you must not use it
- allergic to the active ingredient of the product.
- not to be used if on litium treatment and thyroid diseases.

## - Before you start to use it

This solution when applied to the skin should not be covered with occlusive dressing. Iodine may cause unusual reactions. Discontinue use if irritation occurs. It should be used with caution in children below 2 years, pregnancy, breast feeding and on broken skin.

# - Taking other medicines

The medicine is for topical application and will usually have minimal effect on other medication. However, please inform the doctor or pharmacist if taking other medicines.

### **How to use Priseptine**

## - How much to use

Clean the affected part and then apply the lotion to the skin. As a vaginal douche, the solution may be diluted 3-4 times with water.

## - When to use it

Please follow the advice of the doctor or pharmacist.

### - How long to use it

You should check with your doctor or pharmacist.

## - If you forget to use it

If you forget to use this medicine, use it as soon as you remember. Then continue using it at your usual time.

#### - If you use too much (overdose)

If you have used too much Priseptine, contact your doctor, an emergency department or a poison center immediately.

## While you are using Priseptine

### - Things you must do

Inform your doctor of all the medications you are taking.

### - Things you must not do

Do not stop using medication although you feel better after a few days, until the prescribed course is finished.

## - Things to be careful of

If you are pregnant or breastfeeding, please inform the doctor or pharmacist.

## Side effects

There are generally no side effects. However, if you feel unwell after using the product, please inform the doctor or pharmacist.

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 <a href="npra.moh.gov.my">npra.moh.gov.my</a> (Public → Reporting Medicinal Problems / Side Effects / AEFI / Vaccine Safety).

# Storage and Disposal of Priseptine

### - <u>Storage</u>

Store in cool, dry place, below 25°C. Protect from light. Keep away from children.

#### - Disposal

Ask your pharmacist how to dispose of medicines no longer required.

## **Product description**

- What it looks like

Dark yellow coloured solution.

## - Ingredients:

- Active ingredient: povidone iodine
- Inactive ingredient: deionised water

## - <u>MAL number</u>: MAL19911900XZ

# Manufacturer and Product Registration Holder

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