

# ELOSONE CREAM

Mometasone Furoate (0.1% w/w)

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This leaflet answers some common questions about ELOSONE CREAM. It does not contain all the available information. It does not take the place of talking to your pharmacist or doctor.

All medicines have risks and benefits. Your pharmacist or doctor has weighed the risks of you taking ELOSONE CREAM against the benefits they expect it will have for you.

## Keep this leaflet with the medicine.

You may need to read it again.

## What ELOSONE CREAM is used for

ELOSONE CREAM is used to suppress skin disease in which inflammation is the prominent feature. These skin problems are corticosteroid responsive dermatoses.

## How ELOSONE CREAM works

ELOSONE CREAM contains a medicine called Mometasone

Furoate. It belongs to a group of medicines called corticosteroids. It has anti-inflammatory, anti-itching and blood vessel narrowing actions.

## Ask your pharmacist or doctor if you have any questions about this medicine.

## Before you use ELOSONE CREAM

### -When you must not use it

## Do not take ELOSONE CREAM if:

- You are hypersensitive to Mometasone Furoate, other corticosteroids or any components in this preparation.

### -Before you start to use it

Tell your pharmacist or doctor:

- If you have infection on your skin and specify on the infected area.
- If you are using any other skin products.

## Pregnancy and breast feeding:

Ask your doctor or pharmacist for advice before taking this medicine if you are pregnant or breast-feeding.

### -Taking other medicines

**Tell your pharmacist or doctor if you are taking any other products (such as over the counter drug, prescribed medicine and herbal products).**

## How to use ELOSONE CREAM

Always use ELOSONE CREAM exactly as your doctor or pharmacist has told you.

### -How much to use

Apply a thin film of ELOSONE CREAM to the affected area once

daily as directed by your doctor or pharmacist.

### -When to use it

Apply on the affected area once dry and clean.

### -How long to use it

Apply once daily until lesion heals or for duration of 3 weeks, whichever sooner.

### -If you forget to use it

If you forget to use your cream at the right time, use it as soon as you remember, then carry on as before. Do not double the dose to replace the missed dose.

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

**Steroid can pass through your skin. Too much of ELOSONE CREAM passing through skin can produce systemic effect such as adrenal gland suppression, manifestation of Cushing syndrome, high blood sugar level and presence of sugar in the urine.**

If you suspect that you are overdosed, please consult your pharmacist or doctor. Bring any remaining medicine with you.

## While you are using ELOSONE CREAM

### -Things you must do

If you are about to start taking on any other new medicine, tell your pharmacist or doctor that you are taking ELOSONE CREAM.

### -Things you must not do

Do not take more than the recommended dose unless your doctor tells you to.

Do not apply into the eyes.

-Things to be careful of

Discontinue use if irritation or sensitivity reaction develops.

Suitable precautions should be taken during prolonged treatment, when treating extensive body surface areas, when using the occlusive technique and when treating infants and children (because of a larger skin surface area to bodyweight ratio).

**Side effects**

Like all medicines, ELOSONE CREAM can cause side effects, although not everybody gets them.

Reported local adverse reactions include abnormal sensation of the body, such as numbness, tingling, or burning, itching and sign of skin thinning.

If you get any side effects, even those not mentioned in this leaflet, tell your 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 [portal.bpfk.gov.my](http://portal.bpfk.gov.my) (Consumers → Reporting)

**Storage and Disposal of ELOSONE CREAM**

-Storage

Store below 30°C.  
Keep container well closed.  
Protect from light.  
Keep out of reach of children.

-Disposal

Dispose the medicine after the expiry date.

Consult your pharmacist on how to safely dispose of any medicines no longer required.

**Product description**

-What it looks like

ELOSONE CREAM is a white cream, available in 5g and 15g aluminium tube.

-Ingredients

Active ingredients:  
Mometasone Furoate 0.1% w/w

Inactive ingredients:  
Propylparaben, Methylparaben, White Soft Paraffin, Liquid Paraffin, Propylene Glycol, Macrogol Cetostearyl Ether, Sodium Dihydrogen Phosphate Dihydrate, Cetostearyl Alcohol, Phosphoric Acid 85% and Purified Water.

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