

# ORAL AID LOTION

Lignocaine / Chlorhexidine hydrochloride / Triamcinolone acetonide (2.5% v/v / 0.5% v/v / 0.1% v/v)

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## What Oral Aid is used for

This medicine is used to treat mouth infections or oral lesions.

## How Oral Aid works

Oral Aid contains three active ingredients called Lignocaine, Chlorhexidine hydrochloride and Triamcinolone acetonide.

Lignocaine is an anaesthetic agent which relieves the pain. Chlorhexidine hydrochloride is an antibacterial agent which clears up bacterial infection. Triamcinolone acetonide is an anti-inflammatory agent which helps to reduce swelling.

## Before you use Oral Aid

- When you must not take it

Do not use this medicine if you have an allergy to:

- Lignocaine
- Chlorhexidine hydrochloride
- Triamcinolone acetonide
- Any of the other ingredients listed at the end of this leaflet

Do not use this medicine after the expiry date printed on the pack or if the packaging is torn or shows signs of tampering. If it has expired or is damaged, return it to your pharmacist for disposal.

If you are not sure whether you should start using this medicine, talk to your doctor.

- Before you start to use it

Use Oral Aid Lotion with caution if you have:

- local infection at area of treatment
- severe injuries to oral cavity
- herpes simplex (virus infection) at treatment site
- (front-tooth fillings)
- serious (gum infection that destroys soft tissue and bone that supports your teeth)

Tell your doctor if you have allergies to any other medicines, foods, preservatives or dyes.

- Taking other medicines

If taking Oral Aid in large quantities, repeatedly or swallowed, lignocaine may be absorbed and may interact with:

- beta blockers (for heart problems)
- cimetidine (for heartburn and stomach ulcers)
- phenytoin (for seizures)

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

Some medicines and Oral Aid may interfere with each other. Your doctor or pharmacist has more information on medicines to be careful with or avoid while using Oral Aid.

## How to use Oral Aid

Follow all directions given to you by your doctor or pharmacist carefully.

They may differ from the information contained in this leaflet.

If you do not understand the instructions, ask your doctor or pharmacist for help.

- How much to use

Apply to the affected area up to every one to two hours as required.

- When to use it

Use Oral Aid as your doctor has prescribed.

- How long to use it

Continue using your medicine for as long as your doctor tells you.

- If you forget to use it

If you forget to apply the medicine, you can apply it as soon as you remember.

- If you use too much (overdose)

When used as recommended, overdosing with Oral Aid is rare.

## While you are using it

- Things you must do

Always follow your doctor's instructions carefully.

Tell your doctor if you are pregnant or breast-feeding.

- Things you must not do

Do not use Oral Aid to treat any other complaints unless your doctor tells you to.

Do not give your medicine to anyone else, even if they have the same condition as you.

- Things to be careful of

Be careful driving or operating machinery until you know how Oral Aid affects you.

**Side effects**

All medicines can have side effects. Sometimes they are serious, most of the time they are not. You may need medical attention if you get some of the side effects.

Do not be alarmed by the following lists of side effects. You may not experience any of them.

Ask your doctor or pharmacist to answer any questions you may have.

Side effects include:

- allergic reaction including skin rash, redness, itching or hives.
- Angioedema (swelling under the skin)
- burning
- stinging
- swelling
- tenderness
- transient taste disturbances and a burning sensation of tongue may occur on initial use

Tell your doctor or pharmacist if you notice anything else that is making you feel unwell. Other side effects not listed above may also occur in some people.

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

**Storage and Disposal of Oral Aid**

- Storage

Keep your medicine in the original container. If you take it out of its original container it may not keep well.

Keep your medicine in a dry place below 30°C. Protect from light.

Do not store Oral Aid or any other medicine in the bathroom or near a sink. Do not leave it on a window sill or in the car. Heat and dampness can destroy some medicines.

Keep it where children cannot reach it.

A locked cupboard at least one-and-a-half metres above the ground is a good place to store medicines.

- Disposal

If your doctor tells you to stop taking this medicine or the expiry date has passed, ask your pharmacist what to do with any medicine that is left over.

**Product Description**

- What it looks like

A milky white, flavoured, homogenous, colloidal solution.

- Ingredients

Active ingredient

- Lignocaine
- Chlorhexidine hydrochloride
- Triamcinolone acetoneide

Inactive ingredients

- Chloroform spirit
- Menthol
- Preservatives (methylparaben and propylparaben)
- Propylene glycol
- Sugar
- Tragacanth gum
- Pineapple essence
- Glycerine
- Saccharin sodium

- MAL number

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**Manufacturer**

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**Product Registration Holder**

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