

WINCORT CREAM

Consumer Medication Information Leaflet (RiMUP)

Hydrocortisone Acetate (1%w/w)

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What Wincort 1% Cream is used for

Wincort 1% Cream is used for symptomatic relief of allergic disorders, localized itch and inflammatory conditions of the skin.

How Wincort 1% Cream works

Wincort 1% Cream contains Hydrocortisone, a topical corticosteroid which works by reducing inflammation on the skin. Its anti-inflammatory action is useful in the treatment of dermatitis and eczema.

Before you use Wincort 1% Cream

- When you must not use it

Do not use if you have hypersensitivity to hydrocortisone or any other ingredients in this product.

- Before you start to use it

You should not use this product if you have untreated bacterial skin infection. Do not use topical steroids in large amounts or for long periods during pregnancy.

If you are breast-feeding. Ask your doctor or pharmacist for advice before taking any medicine.

- Taking other medicines

Do not use any other skin products on the affected area without consulting your doctor or health professional.

How to use Wincort 1% Cream

- How much to use

Apply sparingly onto the affected area.

- When to use it

Apply the cream 2 to 3 times a day.

- How long to use it

Continue using Wincort 1% Cream for the duration your doctor recommends.

- If you forget to use it

If you forget to use Wincort 1% Cream, use it as soon as you remember.

- If you use too much (overdose)

Topically applied corticosteroids can be absorbed in sufficient amounts to produce systemic effects. In the event of accidental ingestion, you should go to the nearest hospital for medical advice.

While you are using Wincort 1% Cream

- Things you must do

Check with your doctor if symptoms persist or getting worse.

- Things you must not do

Do not use under occlusion unless under medical supervision. Do not use Wincort 1% Cream to treat any other conditions unless your doctor or pharmacist tells you so.

- Things to be careful of

For external use only. Avoid in contact with eyes, nose and mouth.

Side Effects

Prolonged and intensive treatment may cause loss of skin collagen, skin changes such as stretch mark, thinning and dilation of the superficial blood vessels, particularly when occlusive dressings are used.

You may report any side effects or adverse drug reactions directly to the National Centre for Adverse Drug Reaction Monitoring by visiting the website nppra.gov.my [Consumers → Reporting Side Effects to Medicines (ConSERF) or Vaccines (AEFI)].

Storage and Disposal of Wincort 1% Cream

- Storage

- Store below 30°C.
- Protect from light.
- Keep out of reach of children.
- Keep cap or container tightly closed after opening.

- 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

Wincort 1% Cream is white smooth cream.

- Ingredients

- Active ingredient
Hydrocortisone Acetate 1%w/w.

- Inactive ingredients

Chlorocresol, cetomacrogol emulsifying wax, white soft paraffin, propylene glycol, liquid paraffin, purified water.

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