DEZOR SHAMPOO

Ketoconazole (2% w/v)

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

All medicines have risks and benefits. Your doctor has weighed the risks of you using this medicine against the benefits they expect it will have for you.

If you have any concerns about using this medicine, ask your doctor or pharmacist.

Keep this leaflet with the medicine.

You may want to read it again.

What DEZOR SHAMPOO is used for

DEZOR SHAMPOO contains a medicine called Ketoconazole. This belongs to a group of medicines called "antifungal". It is indicated for the treatment and prevention of *Malassezia* yeast on skin and results in *Pityriasis versicolor* (skin discoloration), *Seborrheic dermatitis* (skin flaking) and *Pityriasis capitis* (dandruff).

How DEZOR SHAMPOO works

DEZOR SHAMPOO works by inhibiting the growth of fungi and yeast. It also relieves scaling and itchiness.

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

Before you use DEZOR SHAMPOO

-When you must not take it

Do not take DEZOR SHAMPOO if you are hypersensitive to:

- Any medicine containing Ketoconazole
- Other anti-fungal of similar chemical of structure
- Any of the ingredients listed at the end of this leaflet.

Before you start to use it

Take special care with DEZOR SHAMPOO:

- Do not use for children under two years of age except under the advice and supervision of a doctor.

Pregnancy and breast feeding:

Ask your doctor or pharmacist for advice before taking any medicine.

Taking other medicines

Please tell your doctor or pharmacist if you are taking or have recently taken any other medicines, including medicines obtained without a prescription.

Some medicines and DEZOR SHAMPOO may interfere with each other. These include:

- Phenytoin
- Rifampicin

How to use DEZOR SHAMPOO

-How much to use

Wash hair and scalp or skin thoroughly with DEZOR SHAMPOO for 3-5 minutes, then rinse clean.

Treatment

Skin discoloration: once daily for 5 days.
Skin flaking and dandruff: twice weekly for 3 to 4 weeks.

Maintenance

Skin discoloration: once daily for 3 days during a single treatment course before exposure to sunshine.
Skin flaking and dandruff: Once every 1 or 2 weeks.

-When to use it

Therapy should start as soon as possible after the start of an infection.

-How long to use it

If the affected area has still not healed after the treatment course, stop using DEZOR SHAMPOO and tell your doctor.

If condition worsens or does not improve after regular use of this product as directed, consult a doctor.

-If you forget to use it

Use it as soon as you remember. Then go back to your regular schedule. If it is about time for your next dose, apply just that 1 dose, and continue with your regular schedule. Do not make up the missed dose. If you miss several doses, tell your doctor.

-If you use too much (overdose)

Talk to your doctor or go to the hospital as soon as possible.

While you are using DEZOR SHAMPOO

-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 DEZOR SHAMPOO.

-Things you must not do

Do not used the shampoo into the eyes cause may cause skin irritation.

-Things to be careful of

Particular care should be taken to avoid accidental introduction into the eye.

Side effects

Like all medicines, DEZOR SHAMPOO can cause side effects, although not everybody gets them. As with all medicines, some people may be allergic to the cream.

Stop taking the medicine if you have experience:

- The symptoms of skin infection, such as itching or soreness, should improve within the few days of treatment although signs such as redness and scaling may take longer to disappear. If the symptoms persist or you do not start to improve after 7 days, consult your doctor.
- Redness of skin (erythema) or mild drying and flaking of the skin have been reported in a small proportion patients.

If any side effect becomes severe, or you notice any side effect not listed here, please tell your doctor or pharmacist.

For External Use Only
Not for Ophthalmic (Eye) Use

If any of the side effects gets serious, or if you notice any side effects not listed in this leaflet, please 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 visiting the website npra.gov.my (Consumers → Reporting Side Effects to Medicines (ConSERF) or Vaccines (AEFI)).

Storage and Disposal of DEZOR SHAMPOO

-Storage
Store below 30ºC. For external use only. Keep out of reach of children**.**

-Disposal
Medicines should not be disposed of via wastewater or household waste. Ask your pharmacist how to dispose of medicines no longer required. These measures will help to protect the environment.

Product description

-What it looks like
DEZOR SHAMPOO is a red viscous liquid shampoo with characteristic odour in 60ml and 120ml plastic bottle respectively.

-Ingredients
-Active ingredients:
Ketoconazole

-Inactive ingredients*:*
Potassium Sorbate, Sodium Laureth Sulphate, Simethicone Emulsion 30%, PEG-40 Hydrogenated Castor Oil, D-Panthenol, Cocamide DEA, PEG-120 Methyl Glucose Dioleate, Hydrochloric Acid 37%, Pansee Bleue Parfum RSTT5, Ponceau 4R, Sodium Hydroxide and Purified Water.

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