

CLOMAZOL-B CREAM

Beclomethasone dipropionate/clotrimazole (0.025%w/w/1%w/w)

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What Clomazol-B is used for

It is used to treat inflammation and infections of the skin, especially fungal infections on feet, groin, glabrous (smooth) skin and infections by ringworm Candida.

How Clomazol-B works

It contains beclomethasone dipropionate, a steroid for topical application with marked antiinflammatory activity. It is suitable when local steroid treatment is required. It also contains clotrimazole which is an antifungal agent which fights the cause of fungal infections.

Before you use Clomazol-B

- When you must not use it

- allergic to beclomethasone dipropionate, clotrimazole or other ingredients of Clomazol-B.

- Before you start to use it

Do not apply to large areas when the skin is broken or with occlusive dressings as beclomethasone may be absorbed to cause effects to other parts of body. Local reactions including irritation and burning occur in patients treated topically. Safety for use in pregnancy and lactation has not been established. Inform the doctor if pregnant or lactating.

- Taking other medicines

The medicine is for topical application, usually will have minimal effect on other medications. However, please tell your doctor if you are taking any other medicines, including any that you buy without a prescription from a pharmacy, supermarket or health food shop.

How to use Clomazol-B

- How much to use

Apply thinly to affected skin 2 times daily (morning & evening) for 2 weeks in infections of the groin, glabrous (smooth) skin and candidiasis, and 4 weeks in leg infection.

- When to use it

Please follow the advice of the doctor or pharmacist.

- How long to use it

Use of Clomazol-B cream for longer than 4 weeks is not recommended. Avoid prolonged use in children or on the face. You should check with your doctor or pharmacist.

- If you forget to use it

If forget to use this medicine, use it as soon as remember. Then next, use this medicine at the usual time.

- If you use too much (overdose)

If used too much Clomazol-B, contact your doctor, an emergency department or a poisoning center immediately. Excessive or prolonged use of a steroid for topical application may result in manifestations of Cushing's syndrome (a collection of symptoms caused by high levels of hormone cortisol in the body, like weight gain, thinning skin that bruises easily, fat deposits in the face, causing it to become round, muscle or bone weakness or decreased interest in sex). Discontinue use and wash with water the affected part.

While you are using Clomazol-B

- Things you must do

Inform doctor of medications taking.

- Things you must not do

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

- Things to be careful of

If pregnant or become pregnant or breast-feeding during treatment, should not use Clomazol-B unless doctor advised.

Side effects

Like all medicines, Clomazol-B can cause side effects, although not everybody gets them. Do not be alarmed by this list of possible side effects.

When applied over large areas of broken skin with or without occlusive dressing may result in systemic effects. Special precautions observed when use on infants & children less than 4 years as it may cause growth retardation on prolonged use. If any of the side effects become serious or any other side effects not listed in this leaflet, 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 visiting the website npra.gov.my [Consumers→ Reporting Side Effects to Medicines (ConSERF) or Vaccines (AEFI)].

Storage and Disposal of Clomazol-B

- Storage

Store in cool, dry place below 30°C. Protect from light. Keep out of reach of children.

- Disposal

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

Product description

- What it looks like

White opaque cream.

- Ingredients:

- Active ingredients: beclomethasone dipropionate and clotrimazole
- Inactive ingredients: liquid paraffin, cetomacrogol emulsifying wax, white soft paraffin, chlorocresol, disodium edetate and purified water.

- MAL number:

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