

PHARMANIAGA DERMAL C CREAM

Betamethasone / Clotrimazole (0.05% w/w / 1.00% w/w)

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What Pharmaniaga Dermal C Cream is used for

Pharmaniaga Dermal C Cream is a medication used on the skin to treat fungal infections of the feet, groin, and body, as diagnosed by your doctor.

Pharmaniaga Dermal C Cream should be used for fungal infections that are inflamed and have symptoms of redness and/or itching. Talk to your doctor if your fungal infection does not have these symptoms.

How Pharmaniaga Dermal C Cream works

Pharmaniaga Dermal C Cream is a combination of an antifungal agent (clotrimazole) and a corticosteroid (betamethasone dipropionate). Clotrimazole works against fungus. Betamethasone dipropionate, a corticosteroid, is used to help relieve redness, swelling, itching, relieve low blood pressure and other discomforts of fungal infections.

Before you use Pharmaniaga Dermal C Cream

-When you must not use it

- Pharmaniaga Dermal C Cream is not recommended for use in diaper rash.

- Pharmaniaga Dermal C Cream should not be used with occlusive and adhesive dressing.
- Pharmaniaga Dermal C Cream is not recommended for children under the age of twelve years.
- Individuals who are sensitive to clotrimazole and betamethasone dipropionate, other imidazoles or corticosteroids, or any ingredients in the preparation should not use Pharmaniaga Dermal C Cream.

-Before you start to use it

Before using Pharmaniaga Dermal C Cream, tell your doctor if you are pregnant or plan to become pregnant. Also, tell your doctor if you are nursing.

-Taking other medicines

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

Other corticosteroid-containing products should not be used with Pharmaniaga Dermal C Cream without first talking with your physician.

How to use Pharmaniaga Dermal C Cream

-How much to use

Follow all directions given to you by your doctor and pharmacist carefully. They may differ from the information contained in this leaflet. If you do not understand the instructions on the label of your medicine, ask your doctor or pharmacist for help.

Gently massage sufficient Pharmaniaga Dermal C Cream into the affected and surrounding skin areas twice a day, in the morning and evening. Treatment for 2 weeks on the groin or on the body, and for 4 weeks on the feet is recommended.

-When to use it

Use as directed by your doctor or pharmacist.

-How long to use it

Continue taking Pharmaniaga Dermal C Cream for as long as your doctor recommends.

-If you forget to use it

Take the missed dose as soon as you remember. If it is almost time for your next dose, wait until then to take the medicine and skip the missed dose. Do not take a double dose to make up for the missed dose.

-If you use too much (overdose)

Contact your doctor immediately or go to the Emergency Department of your nearest hospital if you think you or anyone else may have taken too much of this medicine. Do this even if there are no signs of discomfort or poisoning. You may need urgent medical attention.

When topical corticosteroids are taken in excess, it can suppress the function of part of the endocrine system that controls hormones in the body.

While you are using it

-Things you must do

Take your medicine exactly as your doctor or pharmacist has told you.

When seeking other treatment, inform all the doctors, dentists and pharmacists that you are taking Pharmaniaga Dermal C Cream.

Notify your doctor if there is no improvement after 1 week of treatment on the groin or body or after 2 weeks on the feet.

-Things you must not do

Do not bandage the infected area after applied the medicine.

Do not use the medicine for eyes infection.

Do not stop taking the medicine unless advised by your doctor.

Do not take any new medicines without consulting your doctor or pharmacist.

Do not give Pharmaniaga Dermal C Cream to anyone else even if they have the same symptoms or condition as you.

-Things to be careful of

When using Pharmaniaga Dermal C Cream in the groin area, it is especially important to use the medication for 2 weeks only, and to apply the cream sparingly. You should tell your doctor if your problem persists after 2 weeks.

If you are pregnant, trying to get pregnant or are breastfeeding, you should not take Pharmaniaga Dermal C Cream without discussing it with your doctor or pharmacist.

You should also wear loose-fitting clothing so as to avoid tightly covering the area where Pharmaniaga Dermal C Cream is applied.

Pharmaniaga Dermal C Cream has no influence on the ability to drive and use machines.

Side effects

Like all medicines, Pharmaniaga Dermal C Cream can cause side effects, although not everybody gets them. Please tell your doctor or pharmacist if you notice any of the following effects or any effects not listed.

The following side effects have been reported with topical corticosteroid medications: itching, irritation, dryness, infection of the hair follicles, increased hair, acne, fragile blood vessels, spider veins, sensitization (local reactions upon repeated application of product), change in skin color, allergic skin reaction, skin thinning, stretch marks, capillary fragility (ecchymoses) and blurred vision.

In children, reported adverse events with the use of topical corticosteroids include slower growth, delayed weight gain, Cushing's syndrome (a type of hormone imbalance that can be very serious), and local skin reactions, including thinning skin and stretch marks.

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 Pharmaniaga Dermal C Cream

- Storage

Keep out of the reach and sight of children. Store below 30°C. Protect from light.

Do not take Pharmaniaga Dermal C Cream after the expiry date which stated on the label.

- 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

Smooth, white cream.

-Ingredients

- Active ingredient(s):
Betamethasone (as dipropionate) 0.05% w/w and Clotrimazole 1.00% w/w

- Inactive ingredient(s):
White soft paraffin, cetostearyl alcohol, dimethicone, liquid paraffin, citric acid, chlorocresol, propylene glycol, sodium citrate, cetamacrogol and purified water.

-MAL number(s):

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