

MUODERM

Mupirocin 2%w/w Ointment

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What is Muoderm Ointment used for

Muoderm (simply called Muoderm Ointment throughout the rest of this leaflet) is an antibiotic. It is used to kill bacteria in skin infections such as impetigo (which may appear as a small scratch or itchy patch of eczema), folliculitis (swelling of the skin around the hair roots) and boils. Muoderm Ointment is for external use on your skin only.

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Before you use Muoderm Ointment

-When you must not use it

Before you use Muoderm Ointment

- if you are allergic to Mupirocin or any of the other ingredients of this medicine
- to treat infections in your nose
- to treat infections in your eyes
- around intravenous cannula ("drip") sites.

Symptoms of an allergic reaction may include a red and lumpy skin rash, difficulty breathing, swelling of face,

mouth, lips or eyelids, unexplained high temperature (fever) and feeling faint. If the swelling affects your throat and makes breathing and swallowing difficult, go to hospital straight away

-Before you start to use it

Talk to your doctor, pharmacist or nurse before using Muoderm Ointment

- if you have problems with your kidneys
- if you have open wounds or damaged skin.

If you use Muoderm Ointment for a long period of time, you may develop thrush (a yeast infection). If this occurs, tell your doctor or pharmacist.

-Taking other medications

There are no known interactions with other medicines. Tell your doctor, pharmacist or nurse if you are using, have recently used or might use any other medicines.

How to use Muoderm Ointment

-How much to use

Always use this medicine exactly as your doctor or pharmacist has told you. Check with your doctor or pharmacist if you are not sure.

For use on the skin only

- do not mix Muoderm Ointment with other creams or ointments on the infected area of your skin, as this may reduce the effectiveness of Muoderm Ointment

- if you are using Muoderm Ointment on your face, you should be careful not to get it in your eyes or in your nose.

If you accidentally get Muoderm Ointment in your eyes, wash them thoroughly with water and contact your doctor or nearest hospital Accident and Emergency Department immediately

- wash and dry your hands before, and after, you use Muoderm Ointment.

-When to use it

Adults, the elderly and children

- use on the infected area of skin up to three times a day

- you can cover the infected area with a plaster(s) or suitable dressing(s), unless your doctor has told you to leave it uncovered.

- replace the cap on the tube and wash your hands

- use Muoderm Ointment for as long as your doctor has told you. The bacteria are normally cleared from your skin within 10 days of starting treatment. Do not use for more than 10 days. If your symptoms persist, talk to your doctor or pharmacist

- throw away any ointment that is left over.

-How long to use it

If you stop using Muoderm Ointment too early, not all of the bacteria, causing your skin infection, may have been killed, and your infection may come back. Ask your doctor, Pharmacist or nurse when to stop using the ointment.

If you have any further questions on the use of this medicine, ask your doctor, pharmacist or nurse.

-If you forget to use it

- do not worry, use the ointment when you remember and then carry on as normal. If your next dose is due within an hour, skip the missed dose. Do not apply double the amount to make up for the amount missed.

-If you use too much (overdose)

- if you use more Muoderm Ointment than your doctor prescribed, tell your doctor, pharmacist or nurse

- if you or a child accidentally swallows Muoderm Ointment, you should contact your doctor or the nearest hospital Accident and Emergency Department immediately.

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Side effects

Like all medicines, this medicine can cause side effects, although not everybody gets them.

Very rare (may affect up to 1 in 10,000 people)

If you have any of the following very rare side effects while using your medicine, rinse the product off of your skin and tell your doctor immediately or go to hospital straight away:

- severe allergic reaction which may include a red and lumpy skin rash, difficulty breathing, swelling of face, mouth, lips or eyelids, unexplained high temperature (fever) and feeling faint. If the swelling affects your throat and makes breathing and swallowing difficult, go to hospital straight away
- inflammation of the colon (larger intestine), causing diarrhoea, usually with blood and mucus, stomach pain, fever (pseudomembranous colitis).

Common (may affect up to 1 in 10 people)

- burning sensation where you have applied the ointment.

Uncommon (may affect up to 1 in 100 people)

- itching, redness, stinging and dryness where you have applied the ointment
- allergic rash, redness or soreness of the skin on the face, hands or body.

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

Storage and Disposal of Muoderm Ointment

-Storage

Keep this medicine out of the sight and reach of children. Do not use this medicine after the expiry date which is stated on the carton after Exp: The

expiry date refers to the last day of that month.

Store below 30°C. Do not freeze, replace cap tightly after use.

-Disposal

Do not use this medicine if you notice any visible signs of damage or deterioration to the tube or product. Return it to your pharmacist.

Do not throw away any medicines via wastewater or household waste. Ask your pharmacist how to throw away medicines you no longer use. These measures will help to protect the environment.

Product Description

-What it looks like

Muoderm Ointment is a white or almost white ointment. Each tube of Muoderm Ointment contains 15g of ointment.

-Ingredients

- Active ingredient(s)
the active substance is mupirocin. Each gram of ointment contains 20mg mupirocin
- Inactive ingredient(s)
Macrogol 400 and Macrogol 3350

-MAL number

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