# DERMAFIN® CREAM

Terbinafine Hydrochloride (10mg/g)

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**What DERMAFIN® CREAM is used for**

DERMAFIN® CREAM is used for fungal infections of the skin such as below:

- athlete's foot (tinea pedis) - especially when it occurs between the toes
- jock itch (tinea cruris) - itchy rash with a clear border which often occurs on the groin and inner thigh area.
- ringworm (tinea corporis) - circular patches of red rash which may appear scaly.
- pityriasis (tinea) versicolor - skin infection caused by yeast, causing scaly patches that become white areas due to loss of skin pigmentation.

DERMAFIN® CREAM is for external use only.

**How DERMAFIN® CREAM works**

Terbinafine is a fungicidal medication which kills certain dermatophytes, mould, fungi and fungistatic (inhibit growth of fungi) for some yeast that causes the infection.

**Before you use DERMAFIN® CREAM**

*-When you must not use it*

DERMAFIN® CREAM is not recommended for pregnant and breastfeeding women.

Do not use DERMAFIN® CREAM if you have allergy towards terbinafine or any components in this cream preparation.

Do not use this medicine after the expiry date or if the tube is leaking or tube nozzle cover is broken.

*-Before you start to use it*

Tell your doctor or pharmacist if you are allergic to terbinafine or any components of this preparation.

*-Taking other medicines*

Seek advice from your doctor or pharmacist if you intend to use DERMAFIN® CREAM together with other medication.

**How to use DERMAFIN® CREAM**

*-How much to use*

Apply a thin layer and rub lightly to the affected skin and surrounding area once or twice daily.

In the case of fungal infections affecting two skin areas that may touch or rub together, such as below breast area, between fingers, in folded areas of the body, the application may be covered with gauze strip, especially at night.

*-When to use it*

Apply the cream as directed by your doctor or pharmacist.

*-How long to use it*

Athlete's foot, jock itch, ringworm:
1 week of treatment will normally suffice if the cream is applied once daily.
Skin infection caused by fungi: 1 - 2 weeks.
Skin infection caused by yeast: 2 weeks.

*-If you forget to use it*

If you forget to apply DERMAFIN® CREAM, apply it as soon as you remember and then continue the rest of the treatment as usual.

*-If you use too much (overdose)*

Contact your doctor immediately or seek medical attention if you think you or anyone else may have apply too much of this medicine.

If you accidentally ingested a large amount of this medicine, gastrointestinal disturbances such as nausea and vomiting are to be expected.

**While you are using DERMAFIN® CREAM**

*-Things you must do*

Follow your doctor's instruction when you are taking DERMAFIN® CREAM.

You should promptly inform your doctor if you become pregnant while using this ointment.

*-Things you must not do*

Avoid contact it with your eyes.

Keep it at the place that cannot be reached by children.

Do not stop use this medicine or change the dosing regimen without instruction from your doctor. Do not give this medication to anyone else, even if they have the same condition as you.

*-Things to be careful of*

If you develop any hypersensitivity reactions with DERMAFIN® CREAM, immediately go to the emergency department.

**Side effects**

Occasional redness or itching.

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 DERMAFIN® CREAM**

*-Storage*

Keep in a tight container. Store at temperature below 30ºC. Protect from light and moisture.

*-Disposal*

Dispose DERMAFIN® CREAM when you have stopped using it or if it has expired.

**Product description**

*-What it looks like*

A white to off-white cream

*-Ingredients*

Active ingredient:
Terbinafine Hydrochloride

Inactive ingredients(s):
Benzyl alcohol, Fruilix, White Petrolatum, Dimethylpolysiloxane, Sodium Citrate, Propylene Glycol, Span 60, Propyl Paraben, Purified Water, Tween 60, Mineral Oil, Cetyl Alcohol and Methyl Paraben.

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