

BETA FUSIDIC CREAM

Fusidic Acid (2% w/w) dan Betamethasone 17-Valerate (0.12% w/w)

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What Beta Fusidic Cream is used for

It is used to treat bacterial inflammatory including itchy, redness and dry skin where the skin is infected by germs.

How Beta Fusidic Cream works

It contains fusidic acid which is an antibiotic that kills the susceptible germs that cause infections. It also contains betamethasone velerate which is a steroid that reduces swelling, redness or itchiness of the skin.

Before you use Beta Fusidic Cream

When you must not use it

- Allergic to **Beta Fusidic Cream** or other ingredients of **Beta Fusidic Cream**.
- To treat a condition called acne rosacea (redness and inflammation over nose and cheeks) or perioral dermatitis (red spotty rash around mouth or chin) or fungus (athlete's foot).

Before you start to use it

- Caution when using near the eyes as it may cause irritation.
- Inform the doctor if pregnant or lactating
- Do not use on open wounds or sensitive areas such as nostrils, ears, lips or genitals unless on doctor's prescription.

Taking other medicines

Please inform the doctor or pharmacist if taking other medicines. The medicine usually will have minimal effect on ability to drive or use machines. However, please check with doctor if any side effects may

effect on ability to drive or use machines.

How to use Beta Fusidic Cream

How much to use

Uncovered Lesion: Apply to affected area 2-3 times daily.

Covered Lesion: Less frequent application may be adequate.

When to use it

Please follow the advice of the doctor or pharmacist.

How long to use it

Do not use for a long time on 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, contact your doctor, an emergency department or a poisoning centre immediately.

While you are using Beta Fusidic Cream

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 using over a long time or in large amounts it may make the chance of getting any side effects higher and skin gets more sensitive.

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

Side Effects

Low frequency of hypersensitivity reactions in the form of rashes and irritation. Topical use may lead to problems of resistance. When applied particularly to large areas when the skin is broken or under occlusive dressings, betamethasone17-velerate may be absorbed in sufficient amounts to cause this side effect. With prolonged use, thinning of the

skin, stretch marks, red spotty rash around the mouth and secondary infection may be present.

Other side effects such as increase pressure inside the eyes (glaucoma) and eye cataracts.

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 Beta Fusidic Cream

Storage

Keep Out of Reach of Children For External Use Only

Protect from light

Do not store above 30°C

Keep container tightly closed

Disposal

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

Product Description

What it looks like

White coloured cream with natural odour.

Ingredients

- **Active ingredient:** Fusidic Acid and Betamethasone17-Velerate
- **Inactive ingredients:** Sodium Dihydrogen Phosphate Monohydrate, Cetomacrogol Emulsifying Wax, White Soft Paraffin / White Petroleum Jelly, Chlorocresol, Glycerin, Propylene Glycol, Liquid Paraffin / White Oil.

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