

# CROTOCORT CREAM

Crotamiton (10%w/w)

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## What Crocort Cream is used for

- Symptomatic relief of itching
- Treatment of scabies

## How Crocort Cream works

Crotamiton works by killing the mites that cause scabies. Crotamiton also relieves itching by producing what is called a counter-irritation. As crotamiton evaporates from the skin, it produces a cooling effect. This cooling effect helps to divert your body's attention away from the itching.

## Before you use Crocort Cream

### -When you must not use it

If you are hypersensitive to crotamiton or other ingredients stated at the end of the leaflet.

### -Before you start to use it

Inform your doctor if you have any medical problem or if you are pregnant/breastfeeding or plan to get pregnant. Nursing mothers should avoid applying crotamiton in the area of the nipples.

### -Taking other medicines

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 Crocort Cream

### -How much to use

1. After taking a warm bath, let the skin dry.
2. Rub into the entire body surface from chin down until it is fully absorbed especially in the body folds and creases.

3. When applying crotamiton, special attention should be paid to sites that are particularly susceptible to infestation.
4. Do not wash the first coat of medication.
5. Apply a second coat of medication 24 hours after the first one.
6. Take a cleansing bath after 48 hours after the second application to remove medication.
7. To prevent re-infestation, put freshly washed or dry-cleaned clothing and change bedding.

### -When to use it

Itching

Apply 2-3 times a day until itching has subsided.

Scabies

Apply once daily, preferably in the evening

In small children, do not apply crotamiton more than once a day.

### -How long to use it

Apply for 3 to 5 days depending on the response.

Consult a doctor if the itching still persists after 5 days treatment.

### -If you forget to use it

Apply the missed dose as soon as possible as you remember it. However if it is almost time for the next dose, wait until then to apply the medicine and skip the missed dose. Do not apply a double dose to make up for a missed one

### -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 used too much of this medicine. Do this even if there are no signs of discomfort or poisoning. You may need urgent medical attention.

## While you are using Crocort Cream

### -Things you must do

Follow doctor's advice.

### -Things you must not do

Do not stop using without consulting your doctor first. Do not give your medicine to

whom experiencing the same symptoms as you.

Do not use in inflamed, weeping skin conditions or skin wounds.

Do not use more medication than prescribed.

### -Things to be careful of

Avoid contact with eyes or mucous membrane.

Keep this medicine away from mouth because it may be harmful if swallowed.

## Side Effects

Like all medicines, Crocort can cause side effects, although not everybody gets them. Some of the side effects are irritation of the skin.

Visit your doctor or pharmacist immediately if you experience any side effects after using this medicine.

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

## Storage and Disposal of Crocort

### -Storage

Store below 30°C, protect from light and do not freeze.

**KEEP ALL MEDICINES OUT OF REACH OF CHILDREN.**

### -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.

## Products Description

### -What it looks Like

A white, smooth, soft cream.

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-Ingredients:

-Active Ingredient used is Crotamiton.

-Inactive Ingredients used are

Propylene glycol, white soft  
paraffin, cetostearyl alcohol, methyl  
paraben, propyl paraben emulsifier and  
perfume.

-MAL Number.: MAL19971346XZ

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