

MEDINAZOLE PLUS CREAM

Econazole Nitrate / Triamcinolone Acetonide (1%w/w / 0.1%w/w)

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What Medinazole Plus Cream is used for

Medinazole Plus Cream is used for treatment of fungal infections of the skin (problems with itching and irritation).

How Medinazole Plus Cream works

Medinazole Plus Cream is a combination product that contains econazole nitrate (inhibits proliferation of fungi) and triamcinolone acetonide (a corticosteroid effective against inflammation symptoms).

Before you use Medinazole Plus Cream

- When you must not use it

Do not use Medinazole Plus Cream:

- if you are allergic (hypersensitive) to econazole nitrate, triamcinolone acetonide or to any of the other ingredients in Medinazole Plus Cream.
- if you suffer from rosacea (engorgement and red skin on e.g. the nose) or skin inflammations round the mouth (perioral dermatitis).
- if you have a certain type of skin disease such as tuberculosis, varicella or herpes simplex or other virus infections of the skin.
- on skin areas with a fresh vaccination site.

- Before you start to use it

- For external use only. Avoid getting Medinazole Plus Cream in your eyes or mouth.
- Discontinue treatment if you experience reactions suggesting hypersensitivity or chemical reaction.

- You should avoid applying it to large skin areas or damaged skin, use occlusive skin dressings and prolonged treatment since this could increase the risk of adverse events.
- Repeated and/or prolonged treatment with corticosteroids (e.g. triamcinolone acetonide) around the eyes can cause cataracts (blurred vision), increased pressure in the eyes or increased risk of glaucoma (with symptoms such as headache, nausea, visual impairment and rainbow vision).
- Prolonged external treatment with corticosteroids (e.g. triamcinolone acetonide) also are associated with skin thinning and fragile skin, stripe-like skin marks (striae), blood-filled reddish skin alteration e.g. on the nose, skin inflammations around the mouth, acne, visible small blood vessels, small bleedings in the skin and mucous membranes, increased hairiness in women, delayed wound healing and an increased risk of skin infections.
- Not to be used for children without a prescription by a doctor.

Pregnancy and breastfeeding

Ask your doctor or pharmacist for advice before taking any medicine.

Pregnancy

There is some risk that the unborn child could be affected. Always consult your doctor before using Medinazole Plus Cream during pregnancy.

Breastfeeding

It is not known if Medinazole Plus Cream affects the child. You should therefore consult your doctor before Medinazole Plus Cream is used during breastfeeding.

- Taking other medicines

Please tell your doctor or pharmacist if you are using or have recently used other medicines, including medicines obtained without a prescription.

It is especially important to tell your doctor if you concomitantly are using blood thinning medicines (such as warfarin and acenocoumarol).

How to use Medinazole Plus Cream

- How much to use

Always use Medinazole Plus Cream as your doctor has told you. Check with your doctor or pharmacist if you are not sure.

The usual dose for adults: carefully rub a thin layer of cream into the infected skin area with your finger, morning and evening, until the itching and irritation have been relieved.

- When to use it

Apply to the affected area no more than two times daily, preferably once in the morning and once in the evening.

- How long to use it

The duration of treatment should be until the itching or irritation has subsided but no longer than two weeks. After two weeks of therapy with Medinazole Plus Cream, continue therapy as needed with an antifungal only product until the infection is cured.

- If you forget to use it

Consult your doctor or pharmacist on what you should do if you forget to use it.

- If you use too much (overdose)

If you have used too much medicine, or if a child has taken the medicine by mistake, contact your doctor or hospital for assessment of the risk and advice.

While you are using Medinazole Plus Cream

- Things you must do

Take your medicine exactly as your doctor has told you.

Tell all the doctors and pharmacists treating you that you are taking Medinazole Plus Cream.

Tell your doctor immediately if you become pregnant while taking this medication.

- Things you must not do

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

Do not take any new medicines without consulting your doctor.

Do not give Medinazole Plus Cream to anyone else, even if they have the same symptoms or condition as you.

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- Things to be careful of

Driving and using machines

Medinazole Plus Cream has no known effects on the ability to drive or carry out precision work.

Side Effects

Like all medicines Medinazole Plus Cream can cause side effects, although not everybody gets them.

Common (occur in more than 1 in 100 users): Skin burning sensation, skin irritation, redness.

If any of the side effects get serious, or if you notice any side effects not listed in this leaflet, please tell your doctor or pharmacist.

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.moh.gov.my (Consumer → Reporting Side Effects to Medicines (ConSERF) or Vaccines (AEFI)).

Storage and Disposal of Medinazole Plus Cream

- Storage

- Store below 30°C.
- Protect from light.
- Keep cap tightly closed.
- Keep out of reach of children.

Do not use this after the expiry date. An expiry date is printed on the label and box of the medicine.

- 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

Medinazole Plus Cream is a white smooth cream with faint smell in 15g aluminium tube.

- Ingredients

- Active ingredient

Econazole Nitrate 1%w/w

Triamcinolone Acetonide 0.1%w/w

- Inactive ingredients

White Soft Paraffin, Liquid Paraffin, Sodium Acid Phosphate, Disodium Phosphate Anhydrous, Purified Water, Chlorocresol, Cetomacrogol Emulsifying Wax, Hydrogenated Polyisobutene, N-Methyl-2-Pyrrolidone, Isopropyl Myristate, Tuberose Fragrance.

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