Topicort®

Hydrocortisone Acetate

COMPOSITION

Topicort® 1% cream : Each 10 gm Topicort® Cream contains Hydrocortisone Acetate BP 100 mg.
PHARMACOLOGY
The anti-inflammatory activity of Topicort® (Hydrocortisone Acetate) is its main therapeutic property. It also has immunosuppressant and antimitotic actions.

INDICATION

Topicort® (Hydrocortisone Acetate) is indicated in:
1. Primary irritant dermatitis
2. Contact allergic dermatitis
3. Eczema - atopic; infantile; discoid; stasis
4. Seborrheic dermatitis
5. Lichen simplex and pruritus ani
6. Flexural psoriasis
7. Skin irritations, itching and rashes, for example those caused by insect bites, minor thermal burns, sunburn, etc.

DOSAGE AND ADMINISTRATION

Topicort® (Hydrocortisone Acetate) should be applied in a small
quantity to the affected area 2 or 3 times daily.

CONTRAINDICATION AND PRECAUTION

1. Infections - bacterial; viral; fungal
2. Skin ulcers
3. Hypersensitivity to the preparation
In infants and children, long-term continuous topical therapy should be
avoided where possible, as adrenal suppression can occur. As with all
corticosteroids, prolonged application to the face is undesirable.

SIDE EFFECT

Hydrocortisone Acetate 1% cream is usually well-tolerated, but if signs
of hypersensitivity appear, application should be stopped.

USE IN PREGNANCY AND LACTATION

There is inadequate evidence for safety in human pregnancy. It is
recommended that topical corticosteroids should not be used extensively during pregnancy.

PREPARATIONS

It is highly unlikely that sufficiently high blood levels of Hydrocortisone
are achieved during topical therapy to reach breast milk.

OVERDOSE

Acute overdosage is very unlikely to occur, however, in the case of
chronic overdosage or misuse, the features of hypercorticism may
appear and in this situation topical steroids should be discontinued.

STORAGE CONDITION

Store in a cool and dry place, away from light. Keep out of reach of
children.

HOW SUPPLIED

Topicort® 1% cream : Tube containing 10 gm cream.

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