



Mycoheal Cream® (miconazole nitrate 2%) For topical use only

DESCRIPTION:

Mycoheal is miconazole nitrate, a synthetic antifungal agent which inhibits the growth of the common dermatophytes, the yeast - like fungus & *Candida albicans*. Also it inhibits the growth of the organism responsible for *Tinea versicolor*, besides a bactericidal activity against some Gram-positive staphylococci and streptococci.

PHARMACOLOGY:

The mode of action of miconazole nitrate is unknown . It seems that miconazole inhibits the biosynthesis of ergosterol in fungal cells membranes and changes the composition of the lipid components of the membrane resulting in fungal cell damage. There is little absorption through skin or mucous membranes.

INDICATIONS:

Mycoheal 2 % cream is used for the treatment of fungal infections of skin and nails caused by :

- Dermatophytes, such as *Tinea capitis*, *Tinea corporis*, *Tinea manum*, *Tinea pedis* (athlete's foot), *Tinea barbae* and *Tinea unguium* or onychomycosis.
- Candidosis of the skin and nails.
- Stomatitis angularis.

DOSAGE AND ADMINISTRATION:

- Apply a thin layer to infected areas twice daily (morning and evening).
- Treatment should be continued for 2 - 4 weeks in order to reduce the possibility of recurrence after disappearance of symptoms.
- If the patient shows no clinical improvement , diagnosis should be re - established by laboratory test.

CONTRAINDICATIONS:

Patients known to be hypersensitive to miconazole.

SIDE EFFECTS:

The most common side effects are : irritation, burning, maceration, and allergic contact dermatitis.

PRECAUTIONS:

The use of Mycoheal cream should be discontinued if sensitivity or skin reactions occur. Avoid application of the cream into the eyes.

PRESENTATION:

Mycoheal 2 % Cream : Tube of 30 grams .
Each gram contains 20 mg miconazole nitrate.

STORAGE CONDITIONS:

Store below 25° C.

THIS IS A MEDICAMENT

- Medicament is a product which affects your health , and its consumption contrary to instructions is dangerous for you.
- Follow strictly the doctors prescription, method of use and the instructions of the pharmacist who sold the medicament.
- The doctor and the pharmacist are experts in medicine, its benefits and risks.
- Do not by yourself interrupt the period of treatment prescribed for you .
- Do not repeat the same prescription without consulting your doctor.