

# Drug Information Sheet("Kusuri-no-Shiori")

External

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The information on this sheet is based on approvals granted by the Japanese regulatory authority. Approval details may vary by country. Medicines have adverse reactions (risks) as well as efficacies (benefits). It is important to minimize adverse reactions and maximize efficacy. To obtain a better therapeutic response, patients should understand their medication and cooperate with the treatment.

**Brand name:** Dermovate Ointment 0.05%

**Active ingredient:** Clobetasol propionate

**Dosage form:** white translucent ointment

**Imprint or print on wrapping:** デルモベート軟膏 0.05%



## Effects of this medicine

This medicine is a steroid preparation for external use that improves symptoms such as redness, swelling and itch through anti-inflammatory or anti-allergic actions.

It is usually used to treat eczema/dermatitis, psoriasis and alopecia areata.

## The following patients may need to be careful when using this medicine. Be sure to tell your doctor and pharmacist.

- If you have previously experienced any allergic reactions (itch, rash, etc.) to any medicines or foods.  
If you have: skin infections due to bacteria/fungi/spirochete/virus, skin diseases caused by animals (scabies or hair lice), eczematous external otitis with eardrum perforation, skin ulcer or burn/frostbite.
- If you are pregnant or breastfeeding.
- If you are taking any other medicinal products. (Some medicines may interact to enhance or diminish medicinal effects. Beware of over-the-counter medicines and dietary supplements as well as other prescription medicines.)

## Dosing schedule (How to take this medicine)

- Your dosing schedule prescribed by your doctor is( ( ) to be written by a healthcare professional)
- In general, apply an appropriate amount of this medicine to the affected area, once to several times a day. The dosage may be adjusted according to the symptoms. Strictly follow the instructions.
- Pay attention so that this medicine does not get in your eyes.
- If you need to use this medicine for a long period of time, consult with your doctor regularly.
- Do not use this medicine under makeup or after shaving, as adverse drug reactions may occur.
- Avoid using tight-fitting diapers or plastic pants if this medicine is applied to an area touching the diaper.
- If you miss a dose, apply the missed dose as soon as possible. If it is almost time for the next dose, skip the missed dose and follow your regular dosing schedule.
- If you accidentally use more than your prescribed dose, consult with your doctor or pharmacist.
- Do not stop using this medicine unless your doctor instructs you to do so. In addition, if the symptoms are not improving or even worsened although you are using this medicine as instructed, consult with your doctor or pharmacist.

## Precautions while taking this medicine

### Possible adverse reactions to this medicine

The most commonly reported adverse reactions include skin atrophy, capillary vessel enlargement, folliculitis/furuncle and acneform eruption. If any of these symptoms occur, consult with your doctor or pharmacist.

**The symptoms described below are rarely seen as initial symptoms of the adverse reactions indicated in brackets. If any of these symptoms occur, stop taking this medicine and see your doctor immediately.**

- headache, blurred vision, eye pain [increased intraocular pressure, glaucoma, cataract]

**The above symptoms do not describe all the adverse reactions to this medicine. Consult with your doctor or pharmacist if you notice any symptoms of concern other than those listed above.**

### Storage conditions and other information

- Tighten the cap of the tube after use. Keep out of reach of children. Store away from direct sunlight, heat and moisture.
- Discard the remainder. Do not store them. If you do not know how to discard, seek advice of your dispensing pharmacy or medical institution. Do not give the unused medicines to others.

**For healthcare professional use only** / /

For further information, talk to your doctor or pharmacist.