# 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: Eksalb**

Active ingredient: Mixed killed bacterial suspension

Hydrocortisone

Dosage form:pale yellow ointment

Imprint or print on wrapping:エキザルベ 5g



# Effects of this medicine

This medicine enhances the ability of leukocyte migration and shows protective effect against local infection. It accelerates wound-healing with accelerative effect of granulation and anti-inflammatory effect.

It is usually used to treat pyoderma with eczematoid change and the following diseases with humectation, erosion and crust formation: eczema, dermatitis group, burns.

# 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: cutaneous tuberculosis, herpes simplex, varicella, herpes zoster, vaccinia, mycosis (candidiasis, tinea etc.), ulcer and burns/frostbite above second-degree.
- · 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 or apply a sterile absorbent gauze etc. previously spread with the ointment to the affected area once to several times a day, however, the dosage may be adjusted according to the disease or symptoms. Strictly follow the instructions of your doctor/pharmacist.
- •Do not apply this medicine to your eyes.
- ·If you miss a dose, apply as soon as possible. Do not apply a double dose to make up for the missed dose.
- ·If you accidentally applied more than your prescribed dose, consult with your doctor or pharmacist.
- •Do not stop applying this medicine without the instructions of your doctor.

# Precautions while taking this medicine

#### Possible adverse reactions to this medicine

The most commonly reported adverse reactions include skin irritation, redness, rash and humectation. 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.

No pertinent entries.

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

- •Keep out of the reach of children. Store away from direct sunlight, heat and moisture.
- ·Discard any unused leftover amount. Do not keep it.

#### For healthcare professional use only

For further information, talk to your doctor or pharmacist.