

ELICA-M CREAM - JP DERMA Jamjoom Pharma

COMPOSITION

Each gram of Elica-M cream contains active compound Mometasone furoate 0.1% mg and Miconazole nitrate 2% w/w in a suitable cream base.

PROPERTIES

Pharmacology

Mometasone is a synthetic corticosteroid, which exhibits anti-inflammatory, anti-pruritic and anti-allergic actions and Miconazole nitrate is an antifungal agent with broad-spectrum activity against pathogenic fungi, including yeasts and dermatophytes.

INDICATIONS

Elica-M cream is a combination of medium potency corticosteroid Mometasone furoate and Miconazole nitrate. It is indicated for skin infections caused by *Candida spp.* or dermatophytes in which inflammatory and pruritic manifestations are prominent.

CONTRAINDICATIONS

Elica-M cream is contraindicated in patients who are hypersensitive to Mometasone furoate, to Miconazole nitrate or to any ingredient in this preparation.

SIDE EFFECTS

Local adverse reactions reported very rarely with Mometasone furoate 0.1%, include burning, pruritus, stinging and signs of skin atrophy.

PRECAUTIONS

Systemic absorption of topical corticosteroid will be increased, if extensive technique is used. Suitable precautions should be taken under these conditions or when long-term use is anticipated, particularly in infants and children.

Use of topical corticosteroid in children should be limited to the least amount compatible with an effective therapeutic regimen.

Since safe use of Mometasone furoate 0.1% in pregnant women has not been established, topical corticosteroids should be used during pregnancy,

only if the potential benefit justifies the potential risk to the fetus.

It is not known whether topical administrations of corticosteroids could result insufficient systemic absorption to produce detectable quantities in the breast milk, thus a decision should be made, whether to discontinue nursing or to discontinue the drug taking into account the importance of the drug to the mother.

If irritation or sensitizations develops with use of Elica-M cream, treatment should be discontinued.

Excessive or prolonged use of topical corticosteroids can suppress HPA axis resulting in secondary adrenal insufficiency.

STORAGE

Store at 15°C - 25°C

DOSAGE AND ADMINISTRATION

Apply a thin film of Elica-M cream to the affected skin areas once or twice daily.