

Afun[®]

Clotrimazole

COMPOSITION

Afun[®] Cream: Each gram cream contains Clotrimazole BP 10 mg.

PHARMACOLOGY

Clotrimazole is a broad spectrum antifungal. It also exhibits activity against *Trichomonas*, *Staphylococci*, *Streptococci* and *Bacteroides*.

INDICATION

1. All dermatomycoses due to dermatophytes (e.g. *Trichophyton* species).
2. All dermatomycoses due to yeasts (*Candida* species).
3. Dermatomycoses due to moulds and other fungi.
4. Skin diseases showing superinfections with these fungi.

Some examples of skin infections included in 1-4 points are: interdigital mycoses (e.g. athlete's foot), paronychias (associated with nail mycoses), mycoses in skin folds, *Candida* vulvitis, *Candida* balanitis, Pityriasis versicolor, erythrasma.

DOSAGE AND ADMINISTRATION

Afun[®] Cream should be thinly applied 2-3 times daily to the infected sites and rubbed in. On account of the excellent efficacy, a small amount of cream is usually sufficient for an area about the size of the palm.

For the treatment to become a complete success, reliable and sufficiently long time application of **Afun[®] Cream** is important. The duration of treatment varies; it depends among other factors on the extent and localisation of the disease.

RECOMMENDED DURATION OF TREATMENT

Dermatomycoses : 3-4 weeks
Candida vulvitis and *Candida* balanitis : 1-2 weeks
Erythrasma and Pityriasis versicolor : 3 weeks (approximately)

In fungal infection of the feet, to prevent relapse, treatment should be continued for about 2 weeks beyond the disappearance of all signs of disease. After washing, the feet should be thoroughly dried (particularly spaces between the toes). **Afun[®] Cream** is odorless, can be washed off and does not stain clothing.

CONTRAINDICATION AND PRECAUTION

Hypersensitivity to Clotrimazole.

SIDE EFFECT

When applied topically, Clotrimazole is well tolerated. With external application, systemic effects are not observed. Local irritation or burning sensation may occur in a very few cases but these symptoms are not considered harmful.

DRUG INTERACTION

No information is available.

USE IN PREGNANCY

It is recommended that Clotrimazole should be used in pregnancy only when considered necessary by the physician.

STORAGE CONDITION

Store below 25°C, protect from light.

HOW SUPPLIED

Afun[®] Cream: Each pack has a laminated tube containing 10 gm cream.

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