

CLOTRIMAZOL CREAM

CLASS: Antifungal Agent, Topical; Antifungal Agent, Vaginal

INDICATIONS: Treatment of susceptible fungal infections, including dermatophytoses, superficial mycoses, and cutaneous candidiasis, as well as vulvovaginal candidiasis

AVAILABLE DOSAGE FROM THE HOSPITAL:

CLOTRIMAZOLE 1% CREAM

TRADE NAMES:

DOSAGE:

- **Dosing: Adult**

Dermatophytosis, cutaneous candidiasis: Topical (cream, solution): Apply twice daily; if no improvement occurs after 4 weeks of therapy, re-evaluate diagnosis.

Vulvovaginal candidiasis: Intravaginal:

Cream (1%): Insert 1 applicatorful of 1% vaginal cream daily (preferably at bedtime) for 7 consecutive days.

Cream (2%): Insert 1 applicatorful of 2% vaginal cream daily (preferably at bedtime) for 3 consecutive days.

Dermatologic infection (superficial): Topical (cream, solution): Apply to affected area twice daily (morning and evening) for 7 consecutive days.

- **Dosing: Geriatric**

Refer to adult dosing.

COMMON SIDE EFFECT:

1% to 10%: Genitourinary: Vulvar/vaginal burning

PREGNANCY RISK FACTORS: B