

Calcipotriene

Class: Topical Vitamin D Analog

Indications: Treatment of plaque psoriasis of the body (cream, foam, ointment) or of the scalp (foam, solution)

Available dosage form in the hospital: CALCIPOTRIOL 50MCG/GM CREAM, 50MCG/GM OINT, 50MCG/ML LOTION, 50MCG/ML SCALP SOLUTION

Trade Names:

Dosage:

Plaque psoriasis: Topical:

Cream: Apply a thin film to the affected skin twice daily

Foam: Apply a thin film to the affected skin or scalp twice daily

Ointment: Apply a thin film to the affected skin once or twice daily

Solution: Apply to the affected scalp twice daily

Common side effect: Burning, itching, rash, skin irritation, stinging, tingling

Pregnancy Risk Factor: C