

MECHANISM OF ACTION:

Miconazole is an antifungal that belongs to the imidazole class of antifungal. Miconazole blocks the synthesis of ergosterol by inhibiting the 14α-demethylase enzyme. Ergosterol is a key component of the fungal cell membrane. Inhibition of ergosterol synthesis results in increased cellular permeability causing leakage of cellular contents. Miconazole has broad-spectrum antifungal activity against dermatophytes of the Trichophyton, Epidermophyton and Microsporum genera, and yeasts of the genera Candida and Cryptococcus

Indications:

- Tinea pedis
- · Cutaneous candidiasis
- Tinea corporis
- · Tinea cruris
- Tinea versicolor
- · Tinea manuum
- · Seborrhoeic dermatitis

DOSAGE & ADMINISTRATION:

Children ≥12 years of age: Apply twice daily for 4 weeks.

· If clinical improvement does not occur after 2 weeks of treatment, consult physician.

ADMINISTRATION:

- Use MICONA Cream 2%, as directed by the physician. The hands should be washed before and after applying the medication to the affected area(s).
- MICONA Cream 2% is for external use only.
- Apply a sufficient amount of cream twice daily; rub gently into affected area (e.g., between the toes).
- Use the medication for the full treatment time recommended by the physician, even though symptoms may have improved. Notify the physician if there is no improvement after the end of the prescribed treatment period, or if the condition worsens
- Do not use this medication for any disorder other than that for which it was prescribed. Avoid contact with the nose, mouth, and other mucous mem-
- branes. Do not use with occlusive dressings or wrappings, unless otherwise directed by clinician.

SIDE FEFECTS:

Burning, stinging, swelling, irritation, redness, pimple-like bumps, tenderness, or flaking of the treated skin may occur.

Special Populations

Pregnancy:

Use in pregnancy is believed to be safe for the baby.

Lactation: Not known whether distributed into milk following topical application of 2% cream. Use with caution.

Pediatric Use:

Safety and efficacy not established in children <12 years of age.

Geriatric Use

Insufficient experience in patients ≥65 years of age to determine whether geriatric patients respond differently than younger adults.

WARNINGS:

Should not be used for ophthalmic, oral or intravaginal use.

STORAGE:

Keep this medication in the container it came in, tightly closed, and out of reach of children. Store it in cool & dark place. DO NOT FREEZE.

PRESENTATION:

15 gm tube

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