PATIENT INFORMATION LEAFLET

ANTIPEOL® OINTMENT

Each 10 mg contains:

Zinc oxide 2 mg

Salicylic acid 0,01 mg

Ichthammol 0,093 mg

Contains urea

SCHEDULING STATUS: **S0**

PROPRIETARY NAME AND DOSAGE FORM:

ANTIPEOL® OINTMENT

Read this leaflet carefully, before using ANTIPEOL OINTMENT on your child, because it contains important information.

ANTIPEOL OINTMENT is available without a doctor's prescription, to treat mild illness. Nevertheless, you still need to use ANTIPEOL OINTMENT carefully to get the best results.

Keep this leaflet. You may need to read it again.

Do not share ANTIPEOL OINTMENT with any other person.

Ask your healthcare provider or pharmacist if you need more information or advice.

You must see a doctor if symptoms worsen or do not improve after 10 days.

1. WHAT ANTIPEOL OINTMENT IS USED FOR:

ANTIPEOL OINTMENT is promotes Healing is a strong, bacteriostatic and anti-fungal ointment used to treat skin ailments such as chronic ulcers, dandruff, eczema, psoriasis, parasitic skin diseases and other chronic skin diseases.

2. BEFORE USING ANTIPEOL OINTMENT:

Do not using ANTIPEOL OINTMENT:

If your child is hypersensitive (allergic) to ANTIPEOL OINTMENT or any of the ingredients of ANTIPEOL OINTMENT.

If your child is prone to hypersensitivity reactions with salicylic acid.

If your child has severe liver function problems.

WARNINGS AND SPECIAL PRECAUTIONS:

Hypersentivity reactions occur with salicylic acid. Generally, appearing as slight irritation to the skin and/or dermatitis. If your child's discomfort persists or gets worse after using ANTIPEOL OINTMENT at the recommended dose, tell your healthcare professional.

Should be used with care on large areas of skin. Symptoms of acute systemic salicylate poisoning have been reported after application to large areas of the body.

If more ANTIPEOL OINTMENT is taken than recommended (overdose):

In the event of an overdose, consult your doctor or pharmacist. If neither is available, Contact the nearest hospital or poison control centre.

Using other medicines with ANTIPEOL OINTMENT:

If your child is prescribed other medicines, tell your healthcare professional before using ANTIPEOL OINTMENT on your child.

Pregnancy and Breast-Feeding:

If you are pregnant or breastfeeding, think you may be pregnant or planning to have a baby, please consult your doctor, pharmacist, or other healthcare provider before using this medicine.

3. HOW TO USE ANTIPEOL OINTMENT:

Always use ANTIPEOL OINTMENT as directed. You should check with your healthcare professional if you are unsure.

DIRECTIONS FOR USE:

Apply the ointment first around and then on the affected area. Renew applications frequently after removing the old ointment with clean cotton wool or lint.

4. POSSIBLE SIDE EFFECTS:

If any of the following happens, stop taking / using ANTIPEOL OINTMENT and tell you doctor immediately or go to the casualty department at your nearest hospital.

Skin rash or itching

Swelling of hands, feet, face, lips mouth or throat.

Difficulty breathing or swallowing

These are all serious side effects, if you or your child experiences any of them it is an allergic reaction to ANTIPEOL OINTMENT. You or your child may need urgent medical attention or hospitalisation. If you or your child experience any side effects not mentioned in this leaflet, please inform your doctor or pharmacist.

If you get side effects, talk to your doctor or, pharmacist or nurse. You can also report side effects to SAHPRA online: https://www.sahpra.org.za/Publications/Index/8.
By reporting side effects, you can help provide more information on the safety of ANTIPEOL OINTMENT.

5.STORAGE AND DISPOSAL OF ANTIPEOL OINTMENT:

Store at or below 25 °C in a cool, dry, airtight container.
Keep medicines tightly closed.
Store ANTIPEOL OINTMENT in the original container.
Do not use after the expiry date stated on the container.
Return all unused or expired medicine to your pharmacist.
Do not dispose of any medication in drains or sewerage systems (e.g. toilets).
STORE ALL MEDICINES OUT OF REACH OF CHILDREN.

6.WHAT ANTIPEOL OINTMENT CONTAINS:

Each 10 mg contains: Zinc oxide 2 mg, Salicylic acid 0,01 mg, Ichthammol 0,093 mg, as active ingredients.
Other ingredients: Contains urea, lanolin, purified water, yellow petroleum jelly, liquid paraffin and lavender oil.

WHAT ANTIPEOL OINTMENT LOOKS LIKE AND CONTENTS OF THE PACK:

ANTIPEOL OINTMENT is a smooth, beige coloured, unctuous ointment with a lavender odour in 18 g, 37 g or 93 g aluminium ointment tube.

NAME AND BUSINESS ADDRESS OF THE HOLDER OF THE CERTIFICATE OF REGISTRATION:

Tiger Consumer Brands
2 Purlin Street
Isando
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1600

REFERENCE NUMBER:

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