

Aluminium Acetate Solution

Active Ingredient

Aluminium Acetate

What is in this leaflet

This leaflet contains some information about your medication. It does not take the place of talking to your doctor or pharmacist. All medicines have risks and benefits. Your doctor has weighed the risks of you taking this medication against the positive benefits they expect it will have for you. **If you have any concerns about taking this medicine, please contact us again or speak with your doctor or pharmacist for more information.** Keep this leaflet with the medicine as you may need to read it again in the future.

What it is used for

Aluminium acetate topical solution is used to treat molluscum contagiosum virus which causes small, harmless, raised spots on the skin. Aluminium acetate can also be used to temporarily relieve skin irritation caused by poison ivy, oak, sumac, insect bites, athlete's foot, and contact dermatitis.

Aluminium acetate ear drops is used to relieve chronic ear infections and otitis externa (swimmer's ear).

Before you apply Aluminium Acetate

When you must NOT take it:

- If you are allergic to the active ingredient, aluminium acetate
- If the medication is expired or has not been stored correctly

Let us know if you are:

- Pregnant, planning on becoming pregnant, or breastfeeding
- Suffer from any other medical conditions or take any other medications

How to apply Aluminium Acetate

How much to apply

Please use this medication as directed by your doctor or pharmacist. Refer to the directions on the product label if required.

How to apply it

Wet dressing/compress: Apply to affected skin for 15-30 minutes; reapply as needed

Soak: Soak affected area for 15-30 min every 8 hours as needed. * Soaking for too long could lead to severely dry skin, so monitor on how your skin looks and feels after each soak.

How to report side effects

If you experience any adverse experiences from this medication, you should report it via:

- Visiting www.tga.gov.au/reporting-problems
- Call Adverse Medicine Events Line on 1300 134 237

If it is an EMERGENCY call the Poisons Information Centre on 13 11 26 or call 000.

Side effects

Please let us or your doctor know as soon as possible if you do not feel well while taking this medication.

Some side effects you may experience include:

- Burning/stinging (temporary)
- Itching
- Skin inflammation
- Skin dryness

Storage

Products expire 3 months after preparation. Keep in the original packaging until you need to take your next dose.

Store your medication in a cool, dry place that is below 25°C and away from sunlight.

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