



AftaCare[®]

Dressing for Canker Sores

INSTRUCTIONS FOR USE

AftaCare is a protective layer that reduces discomfort caused by ulcers and lesions of the oral mucosa.

The main AftaCare mechanism of action in relieving pain results from its ability to adhere to the injured surface, adopting the conformation of injury and protecting it from contamination and irritation by forming a temporary protective barrier similar to the normal mucosa.

WHAT ARE APHTHAS (CANKER SORES)?

The term aphtha comes from the Greek and means ulcer. According to medical descriptions, canker sores are small sores that affect the oral mucosa, tending to recurrence and that appear suddenly, causing significant local discomfort.

Usually these wounds are small (less than 1 cm in diameter), covered with a whitish membrane and surrounded by reddish edges.

WHAT IS THE CAUSE OF CANKER SORES?

Canker sores do not have a definite cause so far, although they have been correlated with inherited tendencies and some diseases, such as anemia due to folic acid or iron deficiencies.

There are several factors that are described in the medical literature as capable of triggering recurrence of canker sores, for example, menstruation, trauma and stress, although in many patients it is not possible to relate a precipitating factor

HOW LONG DO CANKER SORES LAST?

Generally, canker sores have their course restricted to a few days, being resolved completely in about 2 weeks. If there is persistent lesions, a new medical evaluation is recommended.

WHICH GENERAL CARE SHALL WE TAKE?

In general, patients should avoid foods they realize that worsen or trigger the lesions, such as hard foods (like toasts), acidic foods or drinks, salty or spicy foods, and alcoholic beverages.

WHAT ARE THE RECOMMENDATIONS FOR PATIENTS WITH WOUNDS IN ORAL CAVITY?

Some diseases may have symptoms similar to those of Canker sores. A medical evaluation is important for the correct diagnosis of lesions.

DESCRIPTION:

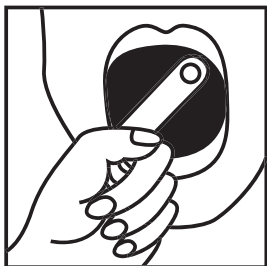
AftaCare is presented as disk-shaped films in sizes of 1.0 cm, 1.5 cm, 2.0 cm, 2.5 cm, 3.0 cm, 4.0 cm and 5.0 cm in diameter, wrapped in single units composed of special PET, packed in cardboard cartridges. Each AftaCare package has 01, 05, 10, 15, 20, 30 or 50 units.

INDICATIONS:

AftaCare is indicated for secondary mucosa lesions caused by radiotherapy or chemotherapy, stomatitis, irritation related to oral surgery, traumatic ulcers, secondary lesions caused by dental prostheses or braces, aphthous ulcers or other mucosal surfaces conditions or diseases.

COMPOSITION:

Maltodextrin, polyvinylpyrrolidone (PVP), sodium hyaluronate, hydroxyethylcellulose and glycerin.

INSTRUCTIONS FOR USE:

Ensure that your hands are clean and dry before handling the product. Remove one AftaCare film from the package and place it on the wound, previously moistened with saliva, for a few seconds. To facilitate adherence, pass the wetted tongue on the product after application. After some seconds, the film will adhere completely to the lesion, protecting it from contamination or irritation. The treatment may be carried whenever necessary. It is recommended the product application five (5) minutes before food intake.

AftaCare adheres to the injured area and protects it against irritation and local contamination.

WARNINGS AND CONTRAINDICATIONS:

AftaCare administration is contraindicated in patients with hypersensitivity to any of its formulation components.

It should not be used in children due to the product aspiration risk.

AftaCare is safe if swallowed.

Discontinue use if there are signs of irritation.

Do not use after the expiration date described on the package.

CONDITIONS OF STORAGE AND TRANSPORT: STORE AND TRANSPORT AT ROOM TEMPERATURE (15 ° C TO 30 ° C).

SINGLE USE MEDICAL PRODUCT

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