**Hemoclar® 0.5% Cream**

**Pentosan sulphuric polyester**

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**Please read this entire leaflet carefully before using this medicine. It contains important information for your treatment.**

- This medicine may be used in self-medication, without consultation or prescription of a physician.
- If symptoms persist, get worse or if new symptoms develop, seek advice from your doctor or pharmacist.
- This leaflet is meant to help you in using this medicine. Keep it; you may need to read it again.
- Keep the medicine out of the reach of children.

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**1. What Hemoclar 0.5% cream is and what is it used for?**

Product for local muscle and joint pain, vasculoprotective. (M: Musculoskeletal system) (C: Cardiovascular system)

This medication treatment is recommended in local mild injuries (bruises, trauma) in adults and children from one year old.

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**2. What information to know before using Hemoclar 0.5% cream?**

Never use Hemoclar 0.5% cream in the following cases:
- Previous allergy or decreased platelets count in blood after taking anticoagulant therapy with heparin or heparin related products.
- Known allergy (hypersensitivity) to other components (methyl parahydroxybenzoate and propylene glycol).

In case of doubt, it is essential to ask your doctor or pharmacist.

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**Precautions**

For external use only. Do not swallow.
- This product contains propylene glycol that may cause skin irritation.
- This medicine contains "parahydroxybenzoate" and can cause allergic reactions.
- Discontinue treatment in case of allergic skin reactions.
- Do not apply in the immediate vicinity of the eyes, mucous membranes, on wounds, burns, infected lesions or weeping (oozing) dermatitis.
- Wash hands after use (to avoid contact with eyes or mucous membranes).

In case of doubt, do not hesitate to ask your doctor or pharmacist.

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**Using other medications**

To avoid possible interactions between several drugs, you should mention any current treatment to your doctor or pharmacist.

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**Pregnancy and lactation**

It is better not to use this medicine during pregnancy and lactation. If you discover you are pregnant, consult your doctor; only he can judge the need to continue treatment. In general, during pregnancy or lactation, you should consult your doctor or pharmacist before taking any medication.

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**List of excipients with known effect**

- propylene glycol (E1520), methyl parahydroxybenzoate (E218).

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**3. How Hemoclar 0.5% cream is used?**

**Dosage:**
Apply 2-4 times daily to the affected area and massage lightly to facilitate penetration. This medication has been issued personally in a specific situation.

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**4. What are the possible side effects?**

Like any active product, this medicine may, in some people, cause more or less side effects.
- Possible allergic reactions localized at the point of application:
  - Due to the presence of propylene glycol, this medicine may cause skin irritation. Due to the presence of methyl parahydroxybenzoate, this medication can cause allergic reactions (may be delayed).
  - Inform your doctor or your pharmacist about any side effect not mentioned in this leaflet.

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**5. How to store Hemoclar 0.5% cream?**

Do not exceed the expiry date stated on the outer packaging. Store below 25°C.

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**6. Additional information.**

What does Hemoclar 0.5% cream contain?
- The active substance is:
  - Pentosan sulphuric polyester 5mg per one gram of cream
- Other ingredients are:
  - Non-ionic emulsifying wax - cetostearyl macrogol, poly glycosylated corn oil, glycerol, propylene glycol (E1520), methyl parahydroxybenzoate (E218), leuvinic acid, sodium hydroxide, purified water.

**What are the contents of the package?**
A carton box containing 1 aluminium tube of 40g & an inner leaflet.

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**Talk to your pharmacist or your doctor**

If you need additional information or advice.
If you are not sure (e) that this drug is right for you, including:
- If you are pregnant or nursing.
- If you have other illnesses, apart from what you want to use this medication for.
- If you take other medicines at the same time, even if they are sold without a prescription.
- If you have been allergic to any medicine.

**Prevention tips to be associated:**
Accidents could be avoided by appropriate preventive measures:
- Design your home to avoid the risk of falling.
- Wear appropriate protective equipment during various activities (crafts, sports gloves, helmet, shin guards, knee, ankle, etc.).

**Warning signs requiring medical consultation:**
Do not try to handle yourself if:
- the pain is severe, widespread or cause an interruption of the activity;
- it is impossible to walk or use the affected limb;
- the injured area becomes red, hot and painful;
- it seems that a liquid pouch has formed;
- the impact hit the eye or near the eye;
- signs appeared without obvious cause, and in the absence of a hit;
- your signs persist or worsen.

These signs can be symptoms of illness / worsening of condition, for which medical advice is needed.

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**Keep out of reach of children.**

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